

Pentecost (C)

5 June 2022

Sun:	9.00am Mass 11.00am Mass	HM Queen Elizabeth II Isabella Gniatkowska RIP
Mon:	<u>Mary, Mother of the Church</u> (Memorial) 12 noon Mass	Mary Buckley RIP
Wed:	12 noon Mass	Sheila Sanders RIP
Thurs:	<u>Christ the High Priest</u> (C)(Feast)	
Fri:	12 noon Mass	
Sat:	<u>St Barnabas, Apostle</u> (Memorial)	
Sun:	<u>The Holy Trinity</u> (C) 9.00am Mass 11.00am Mass 3.00pm Mass for Senior Citizens	Jack Moore RIP Vito & Carmela Bonito RIP HM The Queen

Money Matters:

Collections:	£492.64
Ascension:	£143.32
World Communications:	£67.90

For those who regularly contribute to the church via the Envelope Scheme, another option would be to set up a Direct Debit or Standing Order –
Lloyds Bank: sort code 30-92-59;
Account number 01620555 – English Martyrs, Derby RCP.

Payments to the parish by cheque should be made payable to:
English Martyrs Derby RCP

Sanctuary Lamp:
SVP: Monday 7.30pm

Prayers for the Sick: Please always keep in your prayers the sick and housebound especially William Johnson, Simon Thompson, Christine and Michael Dreuit, Terry Bullock, Alan, Norman Annable, Giovanni Busato, Ian Robinson, Bart Makowski, Joe Migallo, Liam Blaney, Tom Lee, Christopher Turner, Brendan Keegan, Sean Connolly and for all on our sick list.

Please Pray for those who have died. May they rest in peace.

Carmela Florek's Requiem Mass will be on **Tuesday, 14 June** at 11.00am followed by a service at Trent Valley Crematorium at 12.30pm

Celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee: Under the auspices of the SVP, a Senior Citizens Party will take place next **Sunday 12 June** after a Jubilee Mass at 3.00pm.

A sign-up sheet is at the back of Church. If you require transport please add your address and phone number.

Charity Walk: Tom Vause (former employee and seminarian for the Diocese) is walking the Camino de Santiago to raise money for a Ukrainian refugee suffering from arthrogyrosis, a rare bone condition requiring vital regular surgeries. Please visit his 'Go Fund Me page' at <https://gofund.me/c9905c4c> to donate. Thank you for your generosity.

Are you looking for a way to live out your faith and serve your local community at the same time?

If so, becoming a Foundation Governor at St John Fisher School could be just the thing for you. Foundation Governors play a vital role in maintaining and developing the Catholic character of our school.

Bishop McKinney invites you to an information evening on **Wednesday, 22 June, 7-8.30pm** by **VIRTUAL – Microsoft Teams**. For more information on how to access this event please contact Julie Sweeney at Julie.sweeney@nottingham-des.org.uk Also see the poster at the back of Church.

Movement & Sensory Space Mass at the Church on Oakwood next **Sunday, 12 June at 2.00pm**. This will be a 'relaxed' Mass, specially adapted for those with sensory needs. Refreshments afterwards. Everyone welcome.

Confirmation: Sign-up sheets are now available at the back of Church. Classes will begin on **Saturday, 18 June** with Confirmation Mass on **Sunday, 17 July** at the 11.00am Mass.

300 Club Records: To make sure we post winning cheques to your current address, please let us know of any changes. It's also useful to have a contact telephone number if there are any queries. Please tell Mary Spray or Barbara Rusk of any changes. They are also happy to check their record of details held for you.

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Prayer of Protection:

Holy Michael the Archangel defend us in this day of battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do you, Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all evil spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls.

Amen

Churches Together in Chellaston: Sincere thanks to everyone who participated in any way in last Sunday's Service celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. Prepared by St Ralph Sherwin Community in St Peter's Church Hall.

Diary Dates:

11 June: Walsingham Pilgrimage

**18 June: Spirit of Chellaston – 12-4.00pm Chellaston Recreation Ground (Opposite Lidl) Churches Together
Information: Socialising: Children's activities etc.**

26 June: Rodsley Pilgrimage

Pentecost: In the solemn celebration of Pentecost we are invited to profess our faith in the presence and in the action of the Holy Spirit and to invoke his outpouring upon us, upon the Church and upon the whole world. With special intensity, let us make our own the Church's invocation: Veni, Sancte Spiritus! It is such a simple and spontaneous invocation, yet also extraordinarily profound, which came first of all from the heart of Christ. The Spirit is indeed the gift that Jesus asked and continues to ask of his Father for his friends; the first and principal gift that he obtained for us through his Resurrection and Ascension into heaven.

Today's Gospel passage, which has the Last Supper as its context, speaks to us of this prayer of Christ. The Lord Jesus said to his disciples: "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will pray to the Father, and he will give you another Counsellor, to be with you for ever". Here the praying heart of Jesus is revealed to us, his filial and fraternal heart. This prayer reaches its apex and its fulfilment on the Cross, where Christ's invocation is one with the total gift that he makes of himself, and thus his prayer becomes, so to speak, the very seal of his self-gift out of love of the Father and humanity.

Emeritus Pope Benedict XVI

St Barnabas, Apostle: (first century) is frequently mentioned in the Acts of the Apostles. He introduced St Paul to the Twelve and accompanied him on his first missionary journey. St Barnabas was present at the Council of Jerusalem and has long been honoured as an Apostle, although he was not one of the Twelve. Different traditions assert that he was martyred in his native Cyprus, or at Salamis in Greece; he has also, improbably, been claimed as the first Bishop of Milan. His name is included in the Roman Canon.

'The Church of Christ has been founded by shedding its own blood, not that of others; by enduring outrage, not by inflicting it. Persecutions have made it grow; martyrdoms have crowned it'

St Jerome