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ENGLISH MARTYRS PARISH  
ALVASTON & CHELLASTON



'He is risen!  
Alleluia, Alleluia!'

# 7th Sunday of Easter

12 May 2024

*Psalm Response: The Lord has set his sway in heaven*

Sun: 9.00am Mass The Swingle fam & all Travellers  
11.00am Mass Alfred & Greta Magee RIP

NO MASSES THIS WEEK

#### Pentecost Sunday

Sun: 9.00am Mass Paul Millwood Int.  
11.00am Mass Imelda Quinn RIP

#### Money Matters:

Collection: £618.24  
Offertory: £623.41  
CAFOD

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:

**Prayers for the Sick:** Please always keep in your prayers the sick and housebound especially Simon Thompson, Christine and Michael Dreuit, Terry Bullock, Norman Annable, Giovanni Busato, Ian Robinson, Bart Makowski, Joe Migallo, Liam Blaney, Christopher Turner, Tracey Reeve, Loretta Hewitt, Liz Simmons, Terry & Liz Spencer, Anu Chilka, Mick Connolly, Chris Connolly, Maria Latwiel, Anne Smith, Margaret Johnson, Margaret Meagher, James Wilson and Libby Dodes.

**Please Pray** for the repose of the souls of Bridget Mary Oldfield and Pat Ratcliffe. May they rest in peace. Please remember their families in your prayers.

**Funeral for Bridget Oldfield:** Reception 6.30pm **23 May**. **Requiem** at 11.00am at St Joseph's Burton, on **24 May** with Committal at Bretby at 12.15pm.

**Funeral For Pat Ratcliffe:** Reception at 6.00pm on **28 May**. **Requiem** on Wednesday, **29 May** at 11.00am followed by Committal at Trent Valley at 12.30pm

#### **Second Collections:**

**21 May** - Catholic Communications

#### **Churches Together in Chellaston:**

**12-18 May** - Christian Aid Week

**Tues 14 May - 12-2.00pm.** Hunger Lunch for Christian Aid - £6

**Sat 22 June** - Spirit of Chellaston at the Community Centre

**Sun 30 June** - United Service with shared tea at St Peter's Hall

**Confirmation:** Application forms are available at the back of Church. Classes start on **8 June** at 10.30am. Confirmation will take place on **7 July**

On Monday 20th May at 11.50am you are invited to join Bishop Patrick in Prayer for Peace. This short period of prayer is a schools' response to the various conflicts affecting thousands of people across the world, especially in Sudan, Gaza and Ukraine. Joining together in prayer will be a powerful way of showing solidarity with those suffering in these countries. Please join with Bishop Patrick in praying the Angelus and CAFOD's Prayer, 'Peace is...'. This on-line event can be accessed via the link below, with cameras and microphones automatically turned off to ensure the safeguarding of all students:

[https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting\\_MGRhZjYxODEtMDRjYS00ZDU2LWFhMWItYW M3MDViNmRmZDRh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22id%22%3a%22951c5638-e379-4685-9152-1c8309ca3169%22%2c%22oid%22%3a%22a26e3405-bfaf-40ab-adfa-8eac52110d23%22%7d](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MGRhZjYxODEtMDRjYS00ZDU2LWFhMWItYW M3MDViNmRmZDRh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22id%22%3a%22951c5638-e379-4685-9152-1c8309ca3169%22%2c%22oid%22%3a%22a26e3405-bfaf-40ab-adfa-8eac52110d23%22%7d)

**St Mathias - Feast - 14 March:** St Matthias (first century) was chosen by lot to take the place of Judas among the Twelve (Acts 1: 15-26). He was present at the first Pentecost and, according to various traditions, went on to preach in Judaea, Cappadocia and Ethiopia. He was martyred possibly by means of the axe or halberd with which he is often depicted in art.

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