



NEWSLETTER

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6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

6TH MAY 2018

MASS TIMES, INTENTIONS & SERVICES

MAY 2018

6 th	Sun	09.30	Fiona Young+ <i>Filipino Choir</i>
		18.00	Pro Populo <i>Malayalam Choir</i>
7 th	Mon	NO MASS	
8 th	Tue	19.00	HOLY ROSARY
		19.30	Deceased members of the O'Niel Family
9 th	Wed	10.30	FUNERAL MASS FOR MAISE MORAN
10 th	Thu	09.00	ASCENSION OF THE LORD
			Nuala McNally – Get well (MD)
		19.00	ASCENSION OF THE LORD
			Maggie Durkin: Thanksgiving
11 th	Fri	NO MASS	
12 th	Sat	NO MASS	
13 th	Sun	7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY	
		09.30	Horacio Liu & Filomena Liu +
		18.00	Margaret Crowe + (ann) <i>Malayalam Choir</i>

RECENT DEAD:

- Maise Moran: Funeral Mass this Wednesday, 9th May at 10.30am
- Simon Muchene, dad to Salome Muchene

ANNIVERSARY: Mary Kelly and James Doherty

FINANCES LAST WEEK:

- Offertory: £377.81
- Window Project Fund: £85.31
- Half and Half: £64.00
- CAFOD LENTEN BOXES: £7.43

HALF & HALF: Congratulations to Bernadette Gavin for winning £32.00 from the April draw. Please keep buying tickets for the next draw which will take place on Sunday 27th May 2018.

EUCARISTIC MINISTERS

- **TODAY 9.30am:** Jenny Parker, Chris Donovan and Philomena Doherty. **6.00pm:** John Kusumalayam and Lilian Mwawa.
- **NEXT WEEK:** Jenny Parker, Pat McGroarty and Nuala McNally. **6.00pm:** John Thomas and Juniya John

READERS:

- **TODAY: 9.30am** Jocelyn Esteban, Marianne Fermin and Kylla Abrigo. **6.00pm:** Deanne Netto, Fred Manansala and Michelle Rodrigues.
- **NEXT WEEK: 9.30 am:** Sr Stella, Veronica Robbins and Sally McVeigh. **6.00pm:** Reemon Jacob, John Kusumalayam & John Thomas

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT: A big thank you to Jocelyn Esteban and Claire Fermin for the flower arrangement this week. Next week it will be the turn of Margaret Treavajo and Jenny Parker

COMMUNION:

- **MEETING:** Thursday, 10th May from 4.45pm.

- **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION DAY:** Sunday 20th May at 11am. African Choir to pick the hymns but all choirs to come together for the occasion

GROUP LEADER'S MEETING FOR INTERCULTURAL MASS: Sunday, 6th May soon after the 9.30am Mass

FINANCE MEETING: Today, 6th May, 2018 at 7pm

SOLEMNITY OF ASCENSION: This Thursday, 10th May is a Holy Day of Obligation. There are two Masses on the day, one at 9.00am and the other at 7.00pm. There will be no Exposition and Benediction on the day

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING: Saturday 26th May 2018 starting with Mass at 10am and going on till 4.00pm. Old and new altar servers please come along. New Altar Servers will have two extra sessions to be agreed on the day of the day.

BINGO AND RAFFLE organised by the Catholic Handicapped Fellowship will take place at the Cowley Workers Social Club (Between Towns Road) on Tuesday May 8th, 2018 from 7.30pm. In aid of the Fellowship Lourdes Pilgrimage.

LITTLEMORE MAY PROCESSION: Sunday, 13th May 2018: 4pm. Starting with Rosary in the College garden then process in honour of Our Lady to Blessed Dominic Barberi for crowning and Benediction. Enquiries to The Spiritual Family The Work (Tel 01865 779743)

PARISH COUNCIL: 20TH May 2018 from 7pm onwards

SHRINE DAY SUNDAY 27TH MAY: The Evening Mass that day will be at 4pm followed by a Rosary procession to the grotto by way of the main gate on Poulton Close round to the grotto via Balfour Road Gate. Children from this Year's communion will lead the procession in their Communion dresses. After a series of prayers at the shrine we shall have a series of barbecues in the church grounds run by different groups of the parish.

SUMMER FETE: Please keep Saturday, 23rd June in your diaries for the fete.

BANNS OF MARRIAGE: I publish banns of marriage between Pierre-Emmanuel Moron and Cecil Yvone Tardy who will be married on Saturday, 26th May 2018 at a parish in France. Both reside in Sacred Heart Parish. A serious obligation rests on everyone to reveal to me any known impediment to the proposed marriage. Therefore, if any of you know cause or just impediment why these persons should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, you are to declare it. This is for the second time of asking.

KINTBURY QUITE DAY OF PRAYER will take place on Sunday 1st July. This is to make up for the failed Lenten Quite Day of Prayer due to bad weather conditions we had then. Those interested to go please contact Sally.

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK: for Catholic Communications Network.