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SOLEMNITY of PENTECOST YEAR C 15th May 2016

Dear Parishioners,

'The coming of the Holy Spirit on the Church. The message 'Jesus is Lord' must be preached to every corner of the earth. We cannot do this unless we receive the Holy Spirit. Today we pray that we may be open to the power of the Spirit and that He will come and fill the hearts of the faithful.' (Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

Please pray for Heidi Williams who is to be baptized into the family of the Church this Sunday afternoon. The Baptismal Preparation Evenings for June will take place on Thursday 2nd and Thursday 9th June at 8pm in the Presbytery. All are welcome.



Thank you to all for your generous sponsorship of 'Liam' for the Walk in the Bluebell Woods at Wootton Wawen. It was a delightful afternoon and everyone who participated had a wonderful time. We have raised in excess of £1,000 for the Oxford Handicapped Fellowship. This weekend we welcome Mr Eamonn McDonald, the Secretary and Leader of the Fellowship. He has just completed the St Cuthbert's Walk and is here to thank us for our generous support of the Fellowship. **Father Dominic will be travelling to Lourdes at the end of May** as Chaplain to the Fellowship. If you wish to have any petitions brought to Lourdes, please place them in an envelope and let Father have them. Please do not place any money in the envelopes. Also, if you wish to have any petitions brought to the Divine Mercy Shrine at Krakow please hand them in at the Presbytery. A number of Parishioners are going on pilgrimage to Krakow at the end of the month.

We welcome Mr Anthony Hofler to the Parish for the second of his lectures on the European Referendum and Catholicism, on Thursday 19th May at 7.30pm. in the Parish Hall. Do please try to support this.

The Diocesan Memorial Mass for Father Sean McTernan, will take place on Friday 24th June at 7pm. A coach will leave St Augustine's at 5.15pm. Cost £5 per person. If you would like to attend and travel by coach, please sign the list in the main porch. Payment is required when booking.

'Night Fever' will take place here at St Augustine's on Saturday 21st May between 8pm and 10pm. Please pray for this Evangelisation outreach and try to come along, even for a short while to support it.

The second of the Parents' Meeting for the First Holy Communion will take place on Wednesday 18th May at 8pm in the Parish Hall. Free car parking in the lower level of the Dominion car park.

<p>14th May Saturday FEAST St Matthias</p>	<p>Acts 1:15-17,20-26 John 15:9-17 9.00am Flynn Family-Anniversary Acts 2:1-11 Romans 8:8-17 John 14: 15-16,23-26 12.30pm Bartley, Elizabeth & Sean Hyland-RIP</p>	<p>Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon Tea/Coffee available after 12.30pm Mass</p>
<p>15th May SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST</p> 	<p>Acts 2:1-11 Romans 8:8-17 John 14: 15-16,23-26 9.00am Philomena Power-RIP 11.00am Janet Dodman-92nd Birthday</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee available after 9.00am and 11.00am Masses</p>
<p>16th May Monday Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>James 3:13-18 Mark 9:14-29 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Liam Flinter-RIP</p>	<p>Pre School 9.00am-12.45pm Journey In faith 10.45am in the Presbytery CWL Meeting 7.30pm</p>
<p>17th May Tuesday Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>James 4:1-10 Mark 9:30-37 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Francis Gallagher-RIP</p>	<p>Pre School 9.00am-12.45pm Youth Group 7.00-9.00pm Legion of Mary 6.30pm</p>
<p>18th May Wednesday Feria in Ordinary Time St John 1</p>	<p>James 4:13-17 Mark 9:38-40 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Frank Reavey-RIP</p>	<p>Moms & Toddlers' Group 9.30am-11.15am Rainbows 4.30pm-5.50pm Brownies 5.45pm-7.30pm</p>
<p>19th May Thursday Feria in Ordinary Time St Dunstan</p>	<p>James 5:1-6 Mark 9:41-50 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Johnson Association 12.30pm Andrew Holt-RIP</p>	<p>Pre School 9.00am-12.45pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 10am Mass until 12.30pm</p>
<p>20th May Friday Feria in Ordinary Time St Bernadine of Siena</p>	<p>James 5:9-12 Mark 10:1-12 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Roger Embley-RIP 6.30pm Una Greene-RIP</p>	<p>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 10am Mass until 12.30pm Holy Hour 5.15pm-6.15pm Followed by Mass at 6.30pm</p>
<p>21st May Saturday Feria in Ordinary Time Ss Christopher Magallanes & Companions Our Lady on Saturday</p>	<p>James 5:13-20 Mark 10:13-16 9.00am Mary Brennan Proverbs 8:22-31 Romans 5:1-5 John 16:12-15 12.30pm Bernadette, Michael & John Lane -RIP</p>	<p>Confession/Exposition 11.00- 12.00 Noon Tea/Coffee available after 12.30pm Mass</p>
<p>22nd May Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity</p> 	<p>Proverbs 8:22-31 Romans 5:1-5 John 16:12-15 9.00am All People of the Parish 11.00am Bernard Cusack-RIP</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee available after both 9.00am and 11.00am Masses</p>

Offertory Collection last week: £1,201:39 (Gift Aid £389:71Loose £811:68)
Second Collection last week: Catholic Communications- £586:38

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK 15th-21st MAY Starts with a COFFEE MORNING- Saturday 14th May 2016 10am-2pm Solihull Methodist Church Hall. Please see poster in porch for details. **ALSO, Annual door-to-door collections need you. If you are willing to spend two to three hours distributing and collecting envelopes in a street close to where you live please speak with a member of the Clergy or with Mary Clark.**

MULTI-CULTURE EVENT- St Thomas More Church Sunday 15th May 2016. 11.30am-1.30pm Enjoy some traditional Polish, Irish and Indian Dancing; with choirs from the Philippines and Poland. Adults £2 Children £1. Proceeds to Mary's Meals.

JOB VACANCY- Educational Outreach Fieldworker based at the Archdiocese Vocation Office. Please see poster in porch for details.

Please note we have a Rosary Rally here in Church on Sunday 22nd May from 2pm. We would like to involve our children who are preparing for their First Holy Communion. We hope they will participate in the May procession which takes place at the end of the Rosary Rally.

ACCOUNTS ASSISTANT REQUIRED The Columban Missionaries invite applications for the part-time position of Accounts Assistant to work in the Mission Office at St. Columban's in Solihull. The role will assist the Regional Bursar/Treasurer to provide and develop financial management services and support to the Missionary Society of St. Columban in Britain. For more information and an application form telephone the Mission Office on 01564 772 096 or e-mail stephenawre@columbans.co.uk. Deadline: Monday 6th June. www.columbans.co.uk

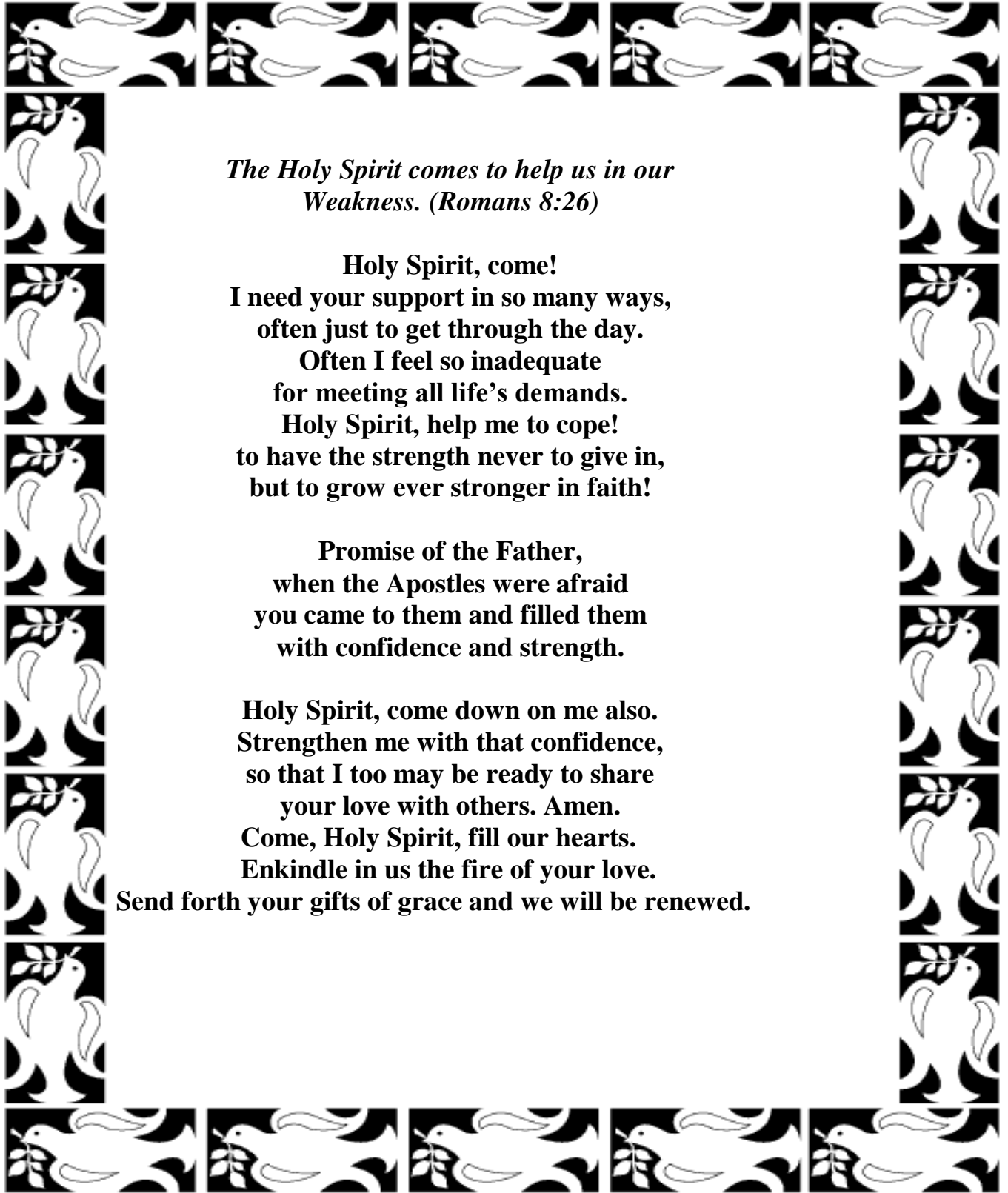
The Governors of St Augustine's Catholic Primary School wish to appoint an Office Administrator (School Secretary/PA to the Head Teacher) required from September 2016. 34 1/2 hours per week (term dates + 5 INSET Days). Closing date for application 25th May 2016. Contact Details: Mrs. T.M. Willmott Head Teacher Augustine's Catholic School Whitefields Road Solihull B91 3NZ Tel: 0121 705 4355 Fax: 0121 705 9489 Email: office@staugustines.solihull.sch.uk website www.st-augustines.solihull.sch.uk

THE SVP SOCIETY- WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL THOSE WHO HAVE MADE DONATIONS TO OUR TWO CHARITIES, Anawim and Sifa Fireside. There is still a need for dry food items rice, pasta and cereals etc, and canned foods for the food banks. It would be great if every visit to Church included one or two items for the SVP box in the front porch, so don't be shy! We are ok for women's clothing for the next few months, but still need children's clothing for all ages. Also, clothes suitable for rough sleepers i.e. underwear, socks, warm coats (zip-ups) and hats, plus any decent sleeping bags that we can take to Fireside in Digbeth.

Readers this week	Eucharistic Ministers this week
Sunday	Sunday
9am Teresa Cund Madeleine Coburn	9.00am Don & Mary Deneny Don & Mary Deneny
11am Sarah Pitchford Marie Watts	11.00am Annette Kelly Annette Kelly
Cleaning Rota: for week beginning May 16th for Services May 21st/22nd -D Mary Murray, Pat Ferris, Veronica Norton	
Flower Rota: for week beginning May 16th for Services May 21st/22nd Sue Hodrien	

Please remember in your prayers the sick of the Parish

Jayne Hemming	Brian Jones	Anne White	Joseph Lockington
Peter Griffin	Clare Farmer	James Farmer	Kathleen McLoughlin
Martha Sheridan	Katie Kelly	Patricia Jones	Eilish Duffy
Mick Green	Andrew Simpson	Bernadette Day	Ray Nicholson
Christopher Browne	Kate McAvinney	Sarah Maloney	John Balder
Ann Marie Boyd	Kathy Stead	Amando Tenorio	Heath Balder
Maureen McLoughlin	Louisa and Nick	Margaret Kelly	Teresa Farrelley
Angela D'Arcy	Joseph Farmer	Peggy Roper	Therese Coulton
Baby Lily Day	Rose Walsh	Aidan, Patrick and Michal O'Donnell	Norman Hart
Martine and Rita McDonnell	Raymond Shenstone	Cornelius Callanan	Doreen Shirley
Sally & Maddy	John Keaney	Glen Hughes	Finbarr Herron
Michael Cassidy	Susanna Gordon		



The Holy Spirit comes to help us in our Weakness. (Romans 8:26)

Holy Spirit, come!

**I need your support in so many ways,
often just to get through the day.**

**Often I feel so inadequate
for meeting all life's demands.**

**Holy Spirit, help me to cope!
to have the strength never to give in,
but to grow ever stronger in faith!**

**Promise of the Father,
when the Apostles were afraid
you came to them and filled them
with confidence and strength.**

**Holy Spirit, come down on me also.
Strengthen me with that confidence,
so that I too may be ready to share
your love with others. Amen.**

**Come, Holy Spirit, fill our hearts.
Enkindle in us the fire of your love.**

Send forth your gifts of grace and we will be renewed.

Please pray for: Mary and Fred Burt (Cremation for Fred Burt Friday 20th May, 10am Robin Hood. Requiem Mass for Mary and Fred on Monday 6th June 10.45am) and James Conway and Jenifer Rowley who have died recently. Also Kathleen May Hemming, James Joseph Owens, Pauline Marie Callaghan, Thomas Joseph Kellett, Maureen Walters, Eddie Kubic, Leslie Docker, Johanna O'Connell and Roger Embley whose anniversaries are at this time.

Protection Representatives are:

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