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SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 2nd June 2019

**Dear Parishioners,
'Come Lord Jesus!**

Christ is ascending into heaven. We now await His second coming and like Stephen, in faith we see Him standing at the right hand of God, where He is constantly praying for us. We too join Him in our prayers that soon we may be with Him. Come, Lord Jesus.' (Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

The baptismal preparation Meetings for June will take place on Thursday 6th and 13th June at 8pm in the Presbytery. All are welcome.

We would like to hold a Corpus Christi Procession on Sunday 16th June immediately following on from the 9am Mass. We invite our First Holy Communion Children to come along dressed in their First Holy Communion attire

The A.G.M. of the Solihull Faith Forum takes places on Monday 10th June from 6.30pm-8.30pm at Solihull Civic Chamber, Civic Suite. You are welcome to attend and to join Mr Henryk Cettler, our representative. See details in the porch.

The second phase of our building work is to begin on Monday 3rd June. This will involve erecting scaffolding in front of the original Church and Hall. Please use the main entrance and side entrance for access.

Please remember in your prayers our young parishioners who are to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on Wednesday 26th June at 7pm with Monsignor Timothy Menezes.

Our official Day of Prayers for Vocations before the Blessed Sacrament will take place on Tuesday 9th July. A rota will be made available for you to sign, indicating your availability.

On Thursday 6th June, there will be a Holy Hour by Candlelight between 6.15pm-7.15pm. This will be followed by a Meeting on Evangelisation at 7.30pm. All are welcome.

Please pray for Hannah Kiely and Luke O'Brien who are to be married at Olton Friary on Saturday 8th June at 1.00pm.

Please note there is a funeral Service for Vera Manton on Tuesday 4th June at 11.30am. Also there is a Requiem for Keevan O'Kane on Thursday 6th June at 10am.

1st June Saturday St Justin	Acts 7:55-60 Apocalypse 22:12-14,16-17,20 John 17:20-26 12.30pm Muriel Walsh- Intentions Christine Flynn-RIP Lane & Gallagher Families	Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon Tea/Coffee available after 12.30pm Mass
2nd June SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER World Communications Day	Acts 7:55-60 Apocalypse 22:12-14,16-17,20 John 17:20-26 9.00am Bridie Quinn-RIP 11.00am Jim Brown-RIP & Mandy Brown- Intention	Tea/Coffee available after 9am & 11am Masses
3rd June Monday Ss Charles Lwanga & Companions	Acts 19: 1-8 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Biddie Cooney-Intention John 16:29-33	Pre-School 9.30am-12.30pm JOY OF HOPE-A new 4 week DVD presentation-10.45am
4th June Tuesday Easter Feria	Acts 20:17-27 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Nora Tighe-RIP 11.30am Funeral Service Vera Manton John 17:1-11	Pre-School 9.30am-12.30pm Legion of Mary 6.15pm
5th June Wednesday St Boniface	Acts 20:28-38 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am William Kelly-RIP Deceased Members of the Murray,Daley & Mulvihall Families John 17:11-19	Parents & Toddlers Group Rainbows 4.30pm-5.30pm Brownies 5.45pm-7.30pm
6th June Thursday Easter Feria St Norbert	Acts 22:30,23:6-11 10.00am Requiem Kevin O'Kane 12.05pm The Rosary 12.30pm Mary Melody-Intention Dave Williams-RIP John 17:20-26	Pre-School 9.30am-12.30pm Exposition between 12.00pm- 12.30pm Holy Hour by Candlelight 6.15pm-7.15pm. Evangelisation Meeting 7.30pm
7th June Friday Easter Feria	Acts 25:13-21 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Don Reavey & Family-Intentions 6.30pm Private Intention(BMcN) John 21:15-19	Exposition after 10am Mass Until 12.30pm Holy Hour 5.15pm-6.15pm followed by Mass 6.30pm
8th June Saturday Easter Feria	Either Acts 2:1-11 1 Corinthians 12:3-7,12-13 John 20:19-23 OR Acts 2:1-11 Romans 8:8-17 John 14:15-16,23-26 12.30pm Angelina Farmer-Intention Christian Morris-RIP Eugene Duffy-RIP	Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon Tea/Coffee available after 12.30pm Mass
9th June SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST	Either Acts 2:1-11 1 Corinthians 12:3-7,12-13 John 20:19-23 OR Acts 2:1-11 Romans 8:8-17 John 14:15-16,23-26 9.00am Raymond Grant-RIP 11.00am All People of The Parish	Tea/Coffee available after 9am & 11am Masses

Offertory Collection last week: £969:22 (Gift Aid £228:20 Loose £740:72)

Second Collection this weekend for: Catholic Communication

On this day, Catholics are encouraged to pray for all those professionals who work in Communications. A particularly for those who are responsible for communicating on behalf of the Catholic Church in this country.

You Can Help Your Marriage –Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry at each other? Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. There is no group therapy or group work. This programme has helped thousands of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information about Retrouvaille, or to register for the next programme commencing with a residential weekend on **7th – 9th June 2019**.

Call or text 0788 7296983 or 0797 3380443 or Email retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com or visit

www.retrouvaille.org.uk

JOY OF HOPE-A new 4 week DVD presentation, starting Monday 3rd June, 10.45am after Mass in the Presbytery. Tea or coffee included and a chat.

50th Anniversary Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes at Hednesford, Sunday 7 July 2019 Sunday July 7th this year is the 50th Anniversary Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Diocesan Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes in Hednesford, with the Archbishop as the Principal Celebrant and Preacher. We are delighted that this year there will be a Youth Vigil on Saturday evening and a procession aimed mainly at young people on Sunday See poster in porch for details.

Novena for Pentecost-begins Friday 31st May

POPE FRANCIS- the Pope is planning to visit Japan in November and will celebrate Mass for peace in Nagasaki just a few hundred yards from where the atom bomb dropped on August 9th 1945. We pray for the success of this visit.

Readers this week	Eucharistic Ministers this week
SUNDAY	SUNDAY
9.00am Bernard McHale <i>SCHOOL YEAR 6</i>	9.00am Don Deneny & Mary Deneny <i>Don & Mary Deneny</i>
11.00am Marie Watts <i>Chris Hodrien</i>	11.00am Helen Brookes Helen Brookes
Cleaning Rota: for week beginning June 3rd for Services June 8th/9th-B Monica Green, Maureen Casey, Bernadette Rourke	
Flowers Rota: – for week beginning June 3rd for Services June 8th/9th- Cathy Street	

Please remember in your prayers the sick of the Parish: Keith Frettsome Martin Yates
Virginia Gregory, Angela, Eilish, Tony Duffy Margaret Kelly Joan Kennedy Roberto Cordora
Keith Frettsome Martin Yates Bruce Pountney Kevin Fahy Val Burgess

This is the theme chosen by the Holy Father Francis for the 53rd World Communications Day, Sunday 2nd June 2019

«We are members one of another» (Eph 4,25). From network community to human communities.

The choice of the theme for the 2019 Message confirms Pope Francis' attention to the new communications environment and for social networks, especially, where he is present in the first person with his @Pontifex account on Twitter and @Franciscus on Instagram.

**Lord, make us instruments of your peace,
Help us to recognise the evil
Latent in a communication that does
Not build communion.**

**Help us to remove the venom from our judgements.
Help us to speak about others
As our brothers and sisters.**

**You are faithful and trustworthy;
May our words be seed of goodness for the world.
Where there is shouting, let us practise listening;**

**Where there is confusion, let us inspire harmony;
Where there is ambiguity, let us bring clarity;**

**Where there is exclusion, let us offer solidarity;
Where there is sensationalism, let us use sobriety;
Where there is superficiality, let us raise real
questions;
Where there is prejudice, let us awaken trust;**

**Where there is hostility, let us bring respect;
Where there is falsehood, let us bring truth. Amen**

Please pray for: Vera Manton (Funeral Service Tuesday 4th June 11.30am) Keevan O'Kane (Requiem June 6th; 10am. Reception Wednesday 5th June 6pm), Mary Mitchell and Cath Harvey who died recently. Also Hans Benischice, Ann Ryan, Martin McLoughlin, Kathleen Poole, John & Catherine Isaacs, John Gorman, Kevin Patrick O'Connor, Maria Marta Pawlikowska, Ellen Murphy, Paschal McKeown, Eugene Duffy, Frank Clijton and all with anniversaries at this time.

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