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SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER World Communications Day

Year C

28th to 29th May 2022

REFLECTION

John 17:20-26

"The glory that you have given me I have given to them, that they may be one even as we are one..." (Jn. 17:22). There is a sequence of glory, but it is not glory as the world gives. Jesus passes on to his disciples the same glory that he received from the Father. It is a "self-emptying glory" rather than the world's glory of "self-aggrandizement." Jesus has emptied himself of the self-aggrandizing glory of grasping after godhood. And now Jesus passes on to his disciples the emptying themselves of the self-aggrandizing glory of possessing a righteousness of their own rather than the righteousness that Jesus gives them. The Father is in Jesus and Jesus is in the Father. Jesus is in the disciples and the disciples are in Jesus. The discourse proceeding from the Father and from the Son, that is the Holy Spirit, is now the discourse between Jesus and the disciples. The Holy Spirit, calls the disciples through the Gospel, enlightens them with his gifts, sanctifies and preserves them in true faith. Holy Father, grant me to hold this oneness in faith until that day when faith shall become sight.

Masses, Service & Intentions

Sat	28	Easter Feria	10.00am		Sylvia Walker – Healing (Craig Family)
Sat	28	SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER <i>World Communications Day</i>	6.00pm		Dorothy Brooks † (Sue Whitteron)
Sun	29	SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER <i>World Communications Day</i>	10.00am	Livestreamed	Christina Mulloy † (Janet Williams)
Mon	30	The Solemnity of Dedication	12.00 noon	Livestreamed	Jean Horne † (Lynne Harper)
Tue	31	Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	9.15am		Douglas & Samantha Craig 25 th Wedding Anniversary (Fr Naz)
Wed	01	Memorial of St Justin, Martyr		Private Mass	Michael Mbogo Moyo †
Thu	02	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	10am- 6.45pm	In Church	
Thu	02	Easter Feria	7.00pm	Livestreamed	Helen & Chris Louise 25 th Wedding Anniversary (Fr Naz)
Fri	03	Memorial of Ss Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs	9.15am	School Mass Years 4 & 5 Livestreamed	Sylvia & Charles Walker 55 th Wedding Anniversary (Craig Family)
Sat	04	Easter Feria	10.00am		O'Sullivan Family (Pauline Kirton)
Sat	04	SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST <i>Day of Prayer for the Church</i>	6.00pm		Vivian Rosser † (Mary Marsh)
Sun	05	SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST <i>Day of Prayer for the Church</i>	10.00am	Livestreamed	Roger Eckersley † (Eckersley Family)

HOLY MASSES AT ST JOSEPH'S is livestreamed via YouTube:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCq9QGYz7CmmPDRxzmT_ttow 1127 6987 Passcode: 433646



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St Joseph's Catholic Parish, Malvern UK

PRAYER FOR THE QUEEN

V: O Lord, save Elizabeth, our Queen.
R: And hear us on the day we call upon you.
V: O Lord, hear my prayer.
R: And let my cry come before you.
V: The Lord be with you.
R: And with your spirit.

Almighty God, we pray, that your servant Elizabeth, our Queen, who, by your providence has received the governance of this realm, may continue to grow in every virtue, that, imbued with your heavenly grace, she may be preserved from all that is harmful and evil and, being blessed with your favour may, with the royal family, come at last into your presence, through Christ, who is the way, the truth and the life and who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen

PLEASE PRAY FOR the sick & housebound of St Joseph's parish: *Clare Gray, Michael Nealon, Arthur & Irma Bevan, Anne Wiseman, Martin Burger, Nicholas Ratcliff, Anne-Marie Elder, Margaret Coleman, Terry Warneford and Jessica. We include all those in hospitals, nursing homes & their own homes. Our Lady, health of the sick, pray for them. Amen*

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING & ELECTIONS to the PAC. The next APM will be held at 4.00 pm in the McEnnis room on Sun 12th June. The agenda for this meeting is now available in the Narthex. **There are 2 vacancies for members of the parish to serve on the PAC for the next 3 years.** Nomination forms are available in the Narthex. Completed nomination forms must be returned no later than this weekend of 29th May.

THE THURSDAY GROUP will not meet on Thurs June 2nd because the June lunch at the Golf Club has been rearranged for Thurs June 9th at 12.00 for 12.30pm.

RETURNING TO MASS AT PENTECOST (5th June) Since the beginning of the pandemic, attending Mass on Sundays and Holy Days has been much impeded. The Bishops of England & Wales asked us to worship in other ways and on other days. Now that the pressing challenges of the pandemic have lessened, the Bishops invite those of us who are able to re-engage with the obligation of attending Holy Mass on Sundays from Pentecost so that we once again enjoy the greatest of all our privileges – worshipping God by participating in person in the celebration of Holy Mass.

The North Malvern Community Platinum Jubilee Celebrations at Holy Trinity Church, Sun 5th June

10:30 Outdoor Church Service
11:45 Tree Planting
12:30 Bring and Share Picnic Lunch with BBQ
1:30 to 3:30 – Entertainment
3:30 Afternoon Tea & Coronation video in Church

The parishioners of St Joseph's are invited to bring cakes for the Afternoon Tea. Please list ingredients.

YOUTH GROUP will next meet on Mon 6th June for a nature walk led by Beck Baker from Malvern Hills Trust. Meet at the Victorian pillar box on the corner of Peachfield and St Andrews roads at 7pm.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: We need at least one (preferably two) volunteers for **Youth Group** from September. We meet once a month.

PARISH MAGAZINE Copy day for the next edition, is **Sunday 12th June**. All contributions welcome, whether a regular or new contributor. Email copy to Margaret Rank merank@btinternet.com or leave in an envelope the narthex.

FOOD BANK SHORTAGES: boxes of 80 tea bags, squash, ketchup, size 6 nappies, adult toothpaste, jars of pasta, pasta'n sauce, jars of jam and tins of fruit.

MALVERN HOMES FOR UKRAINE If you are considering housing a family from Ukraine, please visit: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/malvernhomesforukraine/>

PAM TAYLOR LIBRARY APPEAL In recognition of the enormous contribution Pam made to St Joseph's School, the governors have decided to name the school library after Pam. The School and Parish launched an appeal on Sun May 15th to refurbish the Library and increase the range of books for the children to enjoy. You can contribute via BACs payment to St Joseph's Catholic Church Malvern Sort Code: 53-81-33 Account no. 89263561 or by cheque made payable to St Joseph's Catholic Church Malvern or by cash to the Parish Office. Please mark envelopes and BACs payments: "Pam Taylor Library".

LIFE-SAVING SURGERY FOR FR RICHARD KIZZEYO The Vaughan Spruces (who organise the rota for Exposition at St Joseph's) are raising funds for life-saving surgery for their good friend and priest, Fr Richard Kizzeyo. Fr Richard has been diagnosed with a rare heart condition called an abdominal aortoiliac dissection. He has served as a priest in the UK, is himself a doctor and is currently at home in Uganda where his blood pressure is being kept as low as possible. He needs surgery within the month to survive. His diocese is not wealthy, but will cover half the cost of his treatment. There is a Go Fund Me page and any donations of any size would be gratefully received. At this writing, £1,470 has been raised towards the £8,000 goal. If you would like to help, you may donate through: <https://gofund.me/71d86fb8>.

'THREADS THROUGH CREATION', a textile art exhibition at Worcester Cathedral, is a spectacular display of twelve enormous silk panels retelling the story of Creation from Genesis. Artist Jacqui Parkinson took three years, miles of thread - and eight million stitches to create the works. Exhibition is on until 5th June. For more info go to: <https://www.jacqui-textile.com/creation/>

There is a Second Collection on Sunday 29th May for Catholic Communications.