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Sunday, 5th June 2022

PENTECOST SUNDAY – YEAR C

1100hrs Mass Intention: Jolyon White RIP

Entrance Hymn: 706

Offertory Hymn: 771

Communion Hymn: 303

Recessional Hymn: 870

Kyrie: M21

Gloria: M25

Sanctus: M39

Acclamation: M41

Great Amen: M43

Agnus Dei: M20

The obligation for the faithful to attend Holy Mass on a Sunday or Holy Day of Obligation has been reinstated. Pastoral consideration for the vulnerable and those isolating is imperative and appropriate dispensations remain in place for them.

WELCOME EVERYONE

Please observe sensible precautions when entering and leaving the Cathedral by sanitising your hands, as well as ensuring at least one seat between yourself and your household and another person or household. Face coverings are no longer mandatory for services, but a matter of personal choice.

For our celebration today you will require a Mass Sheet, a hymn book and a copy of any Mass Settings that we are using, all of which are available from the Welcome Team.

The children will go to their liturgy with the Catechetical Team following the introduction to the Mass and return at the offertory. After Mass refreshments are served at the back of the Cathedral.

MINISTRIES TODAY

Welcome Team: Mrs M Allen; Mrs L Orme

Readers: Mr B McMahon; Mrs S Cole

Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs C Keogh

THIS WEEK

The Cathedral is open every working day from 1000hrs - 1600hrs

Mon 6th June: *The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church*

Tue 7th June: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 10, Year II*

Wed 8th June: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 10, Year II*
1145hrs – Midday Prayer (Psalter Week II)
1200hrs – Holy Mass (Zoom available)

Ann Wilson RIP

Thu 9th June: *Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest*
1600hrs – Reception of Coffin

Fri 10th June: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 10, Year II*
1000hrs – Funeral Mass

Gladys Edwards RIP

1400hrs – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
1545hrs – Holy Communion Outside Mass

NEXT SUNDAY

Welcome Team: Mrs P Woodhouse; Mrs P Ward

Readers: Mrs B Brunning; Mrs C Pritchard

Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs Y Spreadborough

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please keep the military personnel of our Armed Forces, together with their families and support staff in your personal intercessions.

KNITTING NEWS

The Rushmoor Christmas Angels June Newsletter is available on the noticeboard and the Bishopric website.

LIVESTREAMING LITURGIES

Sunday's Mass Zoom Invitation details – ID: 861 1172 8726

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86111728726?pwd=Q2hkL05wS25OK1pUcVkyYldjWXRWZz09> Passcode: 250022

Wednesday's Mass Zoom Invitation details – ID: 839 3913 4291

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83939134291?pwd=VTBsVm0wUzUwMTdSRlViOXVrRHVCZz09> Passcode: 802344

Friday's Funeral Mass Zoom details – ID: 853 7222 1967

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85372221967?pwd=ZzJmUzhVazRhcHcxTWRBTW1QQ3MvQT09> Passcode: 850742

TODAY'S COMMEMORATION

The fifty days of the sacred season of Easter conclude with Pentecost Sunday, when the Universal Church recalls the gift of the Holy Spirit to the Apostles, the beginnings of the Church, and the start of her mission to all tongues and peoples and nations. After Pentecost Sunday the Easter candle is kept in the baptistery, so that from its flame the candles of the baptised may be lit during their baptism. At funerals the Easter candle is placed near the bier, to signify that Christian death is a true Passover.

CELEBRATING SERVICE

In common with all Catholic places of worship in England and Wales, the 70th anniversary of HM Queen Elizabeth II's accession will be celebrated during and after Mass today.

IN GRATITUDE

Many thanks to the team who put together the many and varied flowers and plants for our recent sale, as well as the great number who supported the event by purchasing items. £250 was raised for the Sisters of Nazareth in Cape Town in support of their work of pastoral and spiritual care for children and the elderly.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Taking place this Saturday, 11th June from 1000hrs to 1600hrs, Victoria Day celebrates Aldershot's links to Queen Victoria, as well as the town's proud history as the home of the British army. The theme of this year's event is 'Blossoms and Bees' and the highlight of the day will be the grand parade through the town centre, setting off from the Princes Hall at 1100hrs. Further details of the day are available at: www.rushmoor.gov.uk/victoriaday

AND FINALLY ...

... wise people are not always silent, but they know when to be.

With every blessing
Fr Nick