

# ST JOSEPH'S STONEHOUSE & THE ANNUNCIATION, WOODCHESTER

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## SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST SUNDAY – PSALTER WEEK 2 – 5<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2022

DAY	TIME	PARISH	INTENTION
Sunday	9.00am	St Joseph's	People of the parish
	11.00am	The Annunciation	People of the parish
Monday	10.00am	St Joseph's	Sheila Ferriss
Tuesday	6.00pm	The Immaculate Conception	Donncha, Laura and Ezra Tominey
Wednesday	7.00pm	The Immaculate Conception	Confirmation Mass
Thursday	10.00am	The Immaculate Conception	Mr and Mrs Ben Blanch and Family
Friday	9.30am	The Annunciation	Special Intention
Saturday	10.00am	The Immaculate Conception	Special Intention

## LECTIONARY

DAY	ACTS	PSALM	ROMANS	JOHN
Sun	Acts 2: 1-11	Psalm 103: 1, 24, 29-31, 34	Romans 8: 8-17	John 14: 15-16, 23-26
Mon	Gn 3: 9-15, 20	Psalm 86		John 19: 25-34
Tues	1Kgs 17: 7-16	Psalm 4: 2-8		Matthew 5: 13-16
Wed	1Kgs 18: 20-39	Psalm 15: 1-5, 8, 11		Matthew 5: 17-19
Thurs	Is 6: 1-4, 8	Psalm 22: 2-6		John 17: 1-2, 9, 14-24
Fri	1Kgs 19: 9, 11-16	Psalm 26: 7-9, 13-14		Matthew 5: 27-32
Sat	Acts 11: 21-26, 13: 1-3	Psalm 97: 1-6		Matthew 5: 33-37

### PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL AT ST JOSEPH'S

Mike Gibbons and Olga, Julie Wood, Elizabeth Carr, Mary Evans, Aine Anderson, Mary Scully, Maggie, Janet Strong, Ellen Osman, Brian Bignall

### AND FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED ABOUT THIS TIME

Josephine Jones, Francis Mason, Edward Stock, Fr. William O'Callaghan, Edna Richardson, Mary Welch, Henry Curtis, Kathleen Mills, Maria Richardson, Dorothy Powers,

### PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL AT THE ANNUNCIATION

Fr. Richard Finn O.P. and family, Rebekah Hollingshead, Brendon Conboy, Barry Norris, Cynthia Stevens, Peggy Chapman, Barry Taylor, John Presland, Tony Thompson, Georgina Mazzone, Frances Little, Trese Hulbert, Elizabeth Lillinton, Chris Jay, Steve Chandler, Anne Chandler

### AND FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED ABOUT THIS TIME

Albert Fruin Mary Robins, Mary Marshall, William Freeman, Mary White, Grace Bowring, Adelajda Podolska, Mary Powell

### POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR MAY

For all young people, called to live life to the fullest; may they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates, and the dedication to service.

### DIOCESAN PRAYER LINK

*Brockworth: St Patrick; Churchdown: Our Lady of Perpetual Succour*

## IN GENERAL

### SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST

This Sunday is the Solemnity of Pentecost. This feast of the descent of the Holy Spirit can be seen as the birthday of the Church. It also marks the end of the Easter Season. Ordinary time recommences on Monday with week 10. Weekday readings are from year 2 and Sunday readings are from Year C.

### PLATINUM JUBILEE OF THE QUEEN

This will be remembered in prayers at all Masses this weekend.

### CONFIRMATION MASS

Bishop Declan will be visiting our deanery to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to some of our young people this Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> June at 7:00pm at the Immaculate Conception, Stroud. All are welcome to this celebration. We pray for the candidates at this time.

### RETURNING TO MASS AT PENTECOST

Following their recent meeting the Bishops of England and Wales have issued an invitation to all Catholics to return to Mass at Pentecost and speaks of the Sunday Obligation. The invitation includes: 'Looking forward to the forthcoming feast of Pentecost, we now invite all Catholics who have not yet done so to return to attending Mass in person.' It also recognises that: 'It has always been the understanding of the Church that when the freedom of any Catholic to attend Mass in person is impeded for a serious reason, because of situations such as ill health, care for the sick or legitimate fear, this is not a breach of the Sunday Obligation.' The full text can be found at <https://cliftondiocese.com/news/returning-to-mass-at-pentecost/>. There are copies of this document and another issued by the bishops regarding migration issues available in our churches.

### READERS AND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

There will be a time for prayer, reflection and formation next Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> June from 10:00am until 1:00pm at the Immaculate Conception, Stroud for all readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion from our three parishes. The morning will begin with Mass followed by light refreshments. The time will also include a talk and Holy Hour.

### CORPUS CHRISTI – JUNE 19TH

The children of Stonehouse and Woodchester parishes will be celebrating their first Holy Communion on this day. At Stonehouse this will be at the 9am mass and at Woodchester 11am mass. The first few rows at both Churches will be reserved for them their parents and guests, these will be marked reserved. Please be aware that they are to be kept free. On Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> June we are celebrating their First Holy Communion by having a parish meal, this is open to all parishioners, from Stonehouse and Woodchester. We are asking that if you wish to bring something to the table it would be

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appreciated. Please keep the children in your prayers for this great day.

### SHARING THE JOURNEY

Sharing the Journey is an opportunity for catechists to be renewed and refreshed by taking part in a series of online conversations with a variety of speakers from around the country. Each speaker will offer their own insights into different aspects of catechesis and evangelisation, followed by time to discuss, comment and share ideas. The remaining speakers and dates are: Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> June ('Being a Catechist' with David Wells); and Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July ('Formation of the Heart' with Raymond Friel). The conversations will take place on Microsoft Teams from 7:30pm until 8:45pm. Anyone wishing to register interest should email [adult.education@cliftondiocese.com](mailto:adult.education@cliftondiocese.com). A Microsoft Teams invitation will be sent out a day before each talk.

### SYNOD

Bishop Declan has invited every parish to an evening liturgy at the Cathedral on 22 June at 7pm when he will also present Clifton's Synod report to each parish. Please book onto the event via this link (*Eventbrite*): <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/evening-liturgy-synod-tickets-327123734897>

### MARRIAGE MASS

Bishop Declan is celebrating Mass in Clifton Cathedral on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July at 12:00 noon and is inviting all married couples to join him. He will send a personal invitation to those couples who are celebrating significant anniversaries during 2022 or those who will marry during this year. If you are celebrating a 25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup>, 65<sup>th</sup>, or 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary during 2022 or getting married this year please email [adult.education@cliftondiocese.com](mailto:adult.education@cliftondiocese.com) so that a personal invitation can be sent out, leaving details of your names, address, and the number of years you are both celebrating.

## ST JOSEPH'S

### CTIS QUIZ

This will be taking place on Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> June, 7pm at St Joseph's Hall. A light supper will be provided. All are welcome.

## THE ANNUNCIATION

### CAFOD

The CAFOD committee will be having a cake sale on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July after the 11am Mass. We will also have the books for sale. Cash payment please.

- Angela

### CHURCHES TOGETHER

The Ecumenical choir will be performing a short concert at 4:00pm in Christ Church on July 10<sup>th</sup> followed by tea.