



PENTECOST

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The largest online Prayer Gathering, Sunday May 23rd, 2021
11am (Church Meeting) 2pm (Large Gathering)
Register www.virtualpentecost.com

1st March 2021 - Press Release from the National Day of Prayer and Worship

Largest Online Prayer Meeting announced for Pentecost Sunday

Church and Network Leaders, alongside the National Day of Prayer and Worship have announced plans to hold the UK's largest online prayer gathering on Sunday 23rd May 2021 to mark Pentecost Sunday.

The 'In One Accord' events on Pentecost Sunday, will unite Christians and Churches from across the United Kingdom, British Isles and Ireland in two virtual gatherings. First a Church service, then a virtual mass gathering, celebration style event in the afternoon.

This call begins the journey towards the third phase of a vision of the National Day of Prayer and Worship, building stadium gatherings in Millwall, Westham, Wembley and St. Helens. Then in Phase two visits to over 300 Church events across our family of Nations.

Both National Celebrations will take place on Sunday 23rd May 2021; firstly, a Church service which will take place at 11.00am, where Churches can link their own meeting into this time as part of their Pentecost Sunday.

The mass gathering will begin online at 2.00pm with a focus on uniting the church and is open to everyone. Scotland, Northern Ireland, England, The Republic of Ireland, Wales, Isle of Man and our surrounding island communities. Final details for the time together will be announced late April.

Speaking about Virtual Pentecost, Dr Jonathan Oloyede of the National Day of Prayer and Worship said...

"I'm delighted to share the idea that God gave us around Virtual Pentecost. The Bible says that on the Day of Pentecost, all the believers were in one place. As we seek to look at how we prayerfully respond and move forward from this pandemic as a united body of Christ, I believe the Lord gave this prophetic command to call a virtual prayer gathering on Pentecost Sunday to unite the church in Christ. I'm delighted that National and local church leaders have agreed to collaborate towards this vision of Unity"

To register for Virtual Pentecost 2021, please visit www.virtualpentecost.com

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Note to editors:

1. Virtual Pentecost will take place online via www.virtualpentecost.com on Sunday 23rd May 2021 at 11.00am and then at 2.00pm. Media are invited to either celebration approved in advance.
2. Dr Jonathan Oloyede has prepared an invitation video here for use alongside this article: <https://youtu.be/YR6nKlhHeBQ>
3. Dr Jonathan Oloyede is available for media interviews by request.
4. Images for Virtual Pentecost are available on request.
5. All media requests should be directed to Adam May, Director of Communications and PR for the National Day of Prayer and Worship on 07736 949 869 (24 hours) or adam.may@virtualpentecost.com