

SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST

20th May 2018



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Today's Scripture Readings: Parish Mass Book pp. 286-90 Prf. p.62 Euch. Prayer 1 p.18

Acts 2:1-11 The Apostles had been told by the Lord to wait in Jerusalem for their Baptism by the Holy Spirit. This now happens in a dramatic way with dramatic effects.

1 Corinthians 12:3-13 The Body of Christ (i.e. the Christian community) has many different gifts of the Spirit which are used for many different forms of service.

John 20: 19-23 The giving of the Holy Spirit is an integral part of the Easter mystery. Luke inserts a 40 day "liturgical" interval. For John, it occurs on the day of the Resurrection itself.

COFFEE AFTER 10.30 MASS

WEEKDAY MASS No weekday Mass for next two weeks.

BRING-AND-SHARE SUMMER GARDEN PARTY on Sunday 3 June (Corpus Christi) at Phillips House, Much Marcle, by invitation of Elizabeth and Peter Lutzeier. **Please put your name on list.**

NEXT WEEK-END (Solemnity of the Holy Trinity) Dom Felix Stephens of Ampleforth Abbey will preside at both Masses. Please make him welcome.

ELGAR BIRTHDAY WREATH LAYING will take place on Sunday 3 June, immediately after Mass.

ORGAN RECITAL BY DAVID BRYSON in aid of Church Restoration Fund: Saturday 7 July at noon.

PARISH AGM at which accounts for 2017 will be presented and an opportunity to bring up and discuss other matters concerning the Parish: Sunday 1 July a quarter of an hour after end of Mass.

Red APF Boxes are due to be handed in. Please bring yours to the Church as soon as possible.

New rotas for Ministers of Holy Communion and Readers are available at back of church.

Open garden and afternoon tea at Cowleigh Park Farm on Sunday 27 May in aid of St Richard's Hospice and Chernobyl Children's Lifeline.

Michael Noakes is unable to speak after his stroke but is, apparently, in a stable condition. He has been moved to Worcester Royal Hospital, miles away from his family. Please pray for him.

Pray for Theresa Fry who has died, for Arthur Thurlow, Peter Kay, Maureen Flaux, Molly Thurlow, who died recently, for Michael Noakes, Angela Cranmore and Christopher Kouwen, who are ill, for Fr John Pitchford and Raymond Turner who are recovering, for Pat Higgins, Dorothy Tennant, Nicholas Ratcliff, Les Miller, Norah Lawley and Eileen Muir, who are housebound.