

Gospel: John 16:20-23
No one shall take your joy from you.

Communion Antiphon: **Christ our Lord was handed over for our transgressions and was raised again for our justification, alleluia.**

Saturday, 12th May

**Weekday of Easter or
St Nereus and St Achilleus, Martyrs or
St Pancras, Martyr**

Nereus and Archilleus were martyred in 304 by beheading. They had been great persecutors of the Church but underwent a Pauline experience and embraced Christ becoming champions of the faith.

Pancras was an orphan martyred in Rome aged 14.

Entrance Antiphon: **O chosen people, proclaim the mighty works of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light, alleluia.**

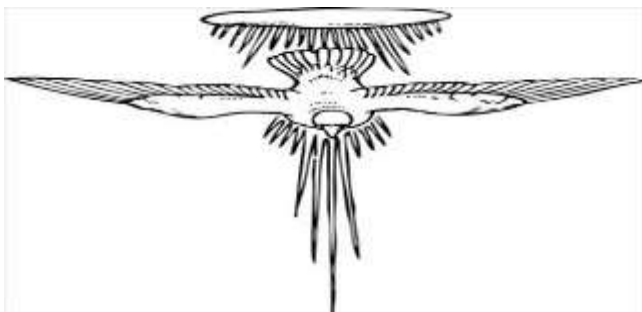
First Reading: Acts 18:23-28
Apollos demonstrated from the scriptures that Jesus was the Christ.

Responsorial Psalm: **God is king of all the earth.**

Gospel Acclamation: **Alleluia, alleluia! The Lord, who hung for us upon the tree, has risen from the tomb. Alleluia!**

Gospel: John 16:23-28
The Father loves you for loving me and believing.

Communion Antiphon: **Father, I wish that, where I am, those you gave me may also be with me, that they may see the glory that you gave to me, alleluia.**



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WEEKDAY MASS SHEET

**7th – 12th May
(Includes the Ascension)
Easter Week Six**



Monday, 7th May

Weekday in Easter

Entrance Antiphon: **Christ, having risen from the dead, dies now no more; death will no longer have dominion over him, alleluia.**

First Reading: Acts 16:11-15
The Lord opened her heart to accept what Paul was saying.

Responsorial Psalm: **The Lord takes delight in his people.**

Gospel Acclamation: **Alleluia, alleluia! It was ordained that the Christ should suffer and rise from the dead, and so enter into his glory. Alleluia!**

Gospel: John 15:26-16:4
The Spirit of truth will be my witness.

Communion Antiphon: **Jesus stood in the midst of his disciples and said to them: Peace be with you, alleluia.**

Tuesday, 8th May

Weekday in Easter

Entrance Antiphon: **Let us rejoice and be glad and give glory to God, for the Lord our God the Almighty reigns, alleluia.**

First Reading: Acts 16:22-34

Become a believer in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, and your household too.

Responsorial Psalm: **You stretch out your hand and save me, O Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation: **Alleluia, alleluia! Christ has risen and shone upon us whom he redeemed with his blood. Alleluia!**

Gospel: John 16:5-11

Unless I go, the Advocate will not come to you.

Communion Antiphon: **The Christ had to suffer and rise from the dead, and so enter into his glory, alleluia.**

Wednesday, 9th May

Weekday in Easter

Entrance Antiphon: **I will praise you, Lord, among the nations; I will tell of your name to my kin, alleluia.**

First Reading: Acts 17:15.22 – 18:1

The God whom I proclaim is in fact the one whom you already worship without knowing it.

Responsorial Psalm: **Your glory fills all heaven and earth.**

Gospel Acclamation: **Alleluia, alleluia! Since you have been brought back to true life with Christ, you must look for the things that are in heaven where Christ is, sitting at God's right hand. Alleluia!**

Gospel: John 16:12-15

The Spirit of truth will lead you to the complete truth.

Communion Antiphon: **I have chosen you from the world, says the Lord, and have appointed you to go out and bear fruit, fruit that will last, alleluia.**

Thursday, 10th May

SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION

Entrance Antiphon: **Men of Galilee, why do you gaze in wonder at the heavens? This Jesus whom you saw ascending into Heaven will return as you saw him go, alleluia.**

The **Gloria** is said.

First Reading: Acts 1:1-11

He was lifted up while they looked on.

Responsorial Psalm: **God goes up with shouts of joy; the Lord goes up with trumpet blast.**

Second Reading: Ephesians 1:17-23

He made him sit at his right hand in heaven.

(or Ephesians 4:1-13 Year 'B' only)

Gospel Acclamation: **Alleluia, alleluia! Christ, having been raised from the dead, will never die again. Death has no power over him any more. Alleluia!**

Gospel: Mark 16:15-20

He was taken up into heaven: there at the right hand of God he took his place.

The **Creed** is said.

Communion Antiphon: **Behold, I am with you always, even to the end of the age, alleluia.**

Friday, 11th May

Weekday in Easter

Entrance Antiphon: **You have redeemed us, Lord, by your Blood from every tribe and tongue and people and nation, and have made us into a kingdom, priests for our God, alleluia.**

First Reading: Acts 18:9-18

I have many people on my side in this city.

Responsorial Psalm: **God is king of all the earth.**

Gospel Acclamation: **Alleluia, alleluia! Christ has risen; he who created all things, and has granted mercy to men. Alleluia!**