

Please pray for the Sick and Housebound of our Parish (list on Notice Board).

Remember in your prayers those who have died recently especially Joseph Doran, Michael McCrovey, Bridget Hughes, Elizabeth McDonald, Ellen Wynne, Katie-Anne Carr, Noel Doyle, Patrick Fleming and Michael Maddison who died recently, due to current restrictions their funerals will be private services, Memorial Services will be arranged once restrictions have been lifted. We also remember Fr. Joseph McGovern and Bishop Leo McCartie. May they rest in peace.

MASS INTENTIONS: Please contact Michelle or Johanne on their respective telephone number for Mass requests.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Please remember in your Prayers those children of Year 3 and their families from St John Vianney who were due to make their First Holy Communion this Sunday, we ask God that they may soon be able to receive this wonderful sacrament.

SUPPORT IN THE COMMUNITY: A group of volunteers from both Churches have been making calls this week to some of their parishioners. We will continue to do this over the next few weeks, if you know of anyone who would appreciate a call please contact Johanne or Michelle.

DONATIONS TO PARISH: Ideally this might be via standing order but for anyone wishing to donate to the Parish on a one-off basis, as opposed to a standing order, the Diocese have now set up an online donation page. You can do this with a credit or debit card, click donate at the top of the page and follow the instructions. <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/>

MAY THE MONTH OF MARY: The month of May is the "month which the piety of the faithful has especially dedicated to Our Blessed Lady," and it is the occasion for a "moving tribute of faith and love which Catholics in every part of the world [pay] to the Queen of Heaven. During this month Christians, both in church and in the privacy of the home, offer up to Mary from their hearts an especially fervent and loving homage of prayer and veneration. In this month, too, the benefits of God's mercy come down to us from her throne in greater abundance" (Paul VI)

COME ALL WHO THIRST online retreat is now happening via zoom on 29/30/31st May. Beautiful times of prayer and mass planned with Sion Community and some very exciting speakers and musicians booked. Zoom is very easy to use and you may even be using it already. There is also the potential option to dial in for those who don't know how to use technology or have a computer but perhaps have a landline or mobile. You can revert them to look at the website/ e news or however you are contacting them for further details on how to register etc so that the below info can be shared with them

SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD: Thursday is the great feast of Our Lord being taken up into heaven. It is a HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION.



OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION and ST JOHN VIANNEY

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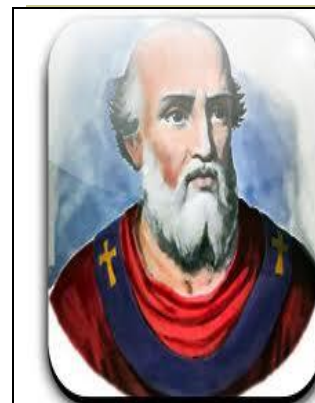


SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER – YEAR A.

17th MAY 2020

Preface of Easter II-V - Eucharistic Prayer II

Reading 1	Acts 8:5-8, 14-17	<i>They laid hands on them and they received the Holy Spirit.</i>
Psalm	Ps 65:1-7, 16, 20 r. 1	<i>Cry out with joy to God all the earth. or Alleluia!</i>
Reading 2	1 Pet 3:15-18	<i>In the body he was put to death, in the spirit he was raised to life.</i>
Gospel Acclamation	John 14:23	<i>Jesus said: 'If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him.</i>
Gospel	John 14:15- 21	<i>I shall ask the Father and he will give you another Advocate.</i>



Feast of Sy John I, Pope, Martyr Feast Day 18th May

Died May 18, 526, Ravenna; feast day May 18), pope from 523 to 526. He ended the Acacian Schism (484–519), thus reuniting the Eastern and Western churches by restoring peace between the papacy and the Byzantine emperor Justin I.. Unfortunately the reunion ended friendly relations between the papacy and Theodoric the Great, the Ostrogothic ruler at Rome. Theodoric was himself an Arian Christian, and in 525 he ordered Pope John to negotiate a withdrawal of Justin's edict. John was the first pope to go to Constantinople, but his attempt there to obtain a reversal of Justin's policies was only partly successful. After he returned to Ravenna (526), Theodoric had him cast into prison, where he soon died, probably of starvation. He is honoured as a martyr.

Our Lady of the Assumption

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We pray for Pope Francis and hear his call to invite the faithful never to fall into despair, but to trust in Jesus in the knowledge that he is always at our side and that there is a place awaiting us in Heaven. **Lord, hear us**

In this month of May we pray to Mary, Mother of the Church, and all mothers who are suffering during this time of trial. **Lord, hear us**

We pray for Britain's postal workers during the coronavirus pandemic. We give thanks for their dedication, resilience and hard work. **Lord, hear us**

We pray for all faith communities that are enduring long-term changes to their worship in order to prevent the spread of coronavirus. **Lord, hear us**

We pray for our young people that they may recognise their God-given gifts and contribute to society upholding strong Christian values. **Lord, hear us**

We pray for those caring for others, in particular those who care for the sick, the dying and the bereaved; that they, and those whom they serve, are strengthened through love and compassion. **Lord, hear us**

Let us pray to hear the voice of Jesus in our daily lives. May we grow in faith, prayer and Christian service, enabling us to be living witnesses to the Lord. **Lord, hear us**

In the month dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary, we join her intentions with ours as we say **Hail Mary...**

Mass Streaming Times

To watch Masses go to the following page :

<https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/parishes-online> and click the Parish name, this will take you directly to our YouTube page:

https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=olasjvcov

5 th SUNDAY OF EASTER		
Saturday 16 th	9.30am	Peter Ruddy - RIP Ann
Sunday 17 th	9.30am from SJV 11.00am from OLA	John Trower (Bell) Mac & Michelle Harris – Special Intentions
Monday 18 th	9.30am	Peggy Meehan
Tuesday 19 th	9.30am	Mick Kelly - Special Intentions
Wednesday 20 th	9.30am	John Ryan
Solemnity of Ascension of the Lord		
Thursday 21 st	9.30am	Victims of the Co-Vid 19
Friday 22 nd	9.30am	Private Intention
Saturday 23 rd	9.30am	Sheila Kayes – RIP Dill & Dennis Allen – RIP
6 th SUNDAY OF EASTER		
Sunday 24 th	9.30am from SJV 11.00am from OLA	Marie Moore Baby Lucy Mary Christer - Thanksgiving

OLA Sanctuary Candle is lit for Clare Cassidy – Birthday Intentions