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SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST

Psalter Week: 4
Weekday Cycle: Year 1
Sunday Year: C

| Saturday 7 th | SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST | 4.15pm | STM | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions | |
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| | | 5.00pm | STM | Vigil Mass | James Gallagher (Anniv) |
| | | 9.00am | STM | Mass | Gary Crilly (9 th Anniv) |
| | | 11.00am | SJW | Mass | Maurice Crespi (RIP) |
| | | 12.45pm | SJW | Mass | Pro Populo |
| Monday 9 th | Mary, Mother of the Church | | | No Mass | |
| Tuesday 10 th | Feria | 6.00pm | SJW | Mass | Vinnie Holliday and Family (Ints) |
| Wednesday 11 th | St Barnabas | 11.00am | STM | Mass 'n' Mingle | Veronica Hammond (RIP) |
| Thursday 12 th | Jesus Christ, Eternal Priest | 10.00am | STM | Mass | Maureen Pollard (RIP) |
| Friday 13 th | St Anthony of Padua | 10.00am | STM | Mass | Dennis O'Sullivan |
| | | | | followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament | |
| Saturday 14 th | Our Lady | 5.00pm | STM | Solemn Benediction to conclude the Day of Prayer for Vocations | |
| | | 10.00am | SJW | Mass | Thomas Furey and family (Ints) |
| | | | | followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament | |
| | | 12noon | STM | Nuptial Mass for Bernice Asibor and Ekene Anakor | |
| Sunday 15 th | SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY | 3.00pm | SJW | Solemn Benediction to conclude the Day of Prayer for Vocations | |
| | | 4.15pm | STM | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions | |
| | | 5.00pm | STM | Vigil Mass | Paul and Richard Norris |
| | | 9.00am | STM | Mass | Penny O'Leary (RIP) |
| | | 11.00am | SJW | Mass | Carmel Silver (RIP) |
| | | 12.45pm | SJW | Mass | Pro Populo |

*Welcome to Mass today. We extend a special welcome to anybody joining us for the first time.
Please introduce yourself, and if you are able, stay for refreshments after the Mass.*

The Prayer to the Holy Spirit attributed to St Augustine is a short but powerful way to invite the Holy Spirit into our daily lives. It reminds us that God is active and present, and that we need His guidance to live a holy life. The Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches, "The Holy Spirit, the artisan of God's works, is the master of prayer." (CCC 741). This prayer speaks to the daily call to holiness, which every Christian is invited to embrace.

Each line of the prayer focuses on action. We ask the Holy Spirit to breathe, act, draw, strengthen, and guard us. These actions help us to open ourselves to God's will. They also show how holiness involves both God's grace and our cooperation with it. Through this prayer, we recognise that holiness is not just about what we do but about allowing the Holy Spirit to work within us.

The Prayer to the Holy Spirit also ties into the gifts of the Holy Spirit, which are taught in Catholic catechesis. These gifts—wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety, and fear of the Lord—help us live as faithful Christians. When we pray for the Spirit to breathe in us and strengthen us, we are asking for these gifts to take root in our lives.

Breathe in me, O Holy Spirit, that my thoughts may all be holy.
Act in me, O Holy Spirit, that my work, too, may be holy.
Draw my heart, O Holy Spirit, that I love but what is holy.
Strengthen me, O Holy Spirit, to defend all that is holy.
Guard me, then, O Holy Spirit, that I always may be holy. Amen.

STM and SJW Website: stmcov.org/wp/

Facebook: Catholic Parishes of St Thomas More and St Joseph the Worker

Livestream webcam: <https://www.youtube.com/@stmandsjtw-cov>

Coventry Catholic Deanery: www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk

OFFERTORIES AND COLLECTIONS

Collections: STM: £836.50 | SJW: £161.00

Catholic Communications: STM: £368.20

Thank you for your continued generosity

IF YOU ARE A VISITOR to our Masses and not a Catholic, or a Catholic unable to receive, you are very welcome to come forward to receive a blessing. As you approach, please have your arm crossed over your chest, so that the minister knows to give a blessing. If you require a celiac host, please let us know before Mass.

WE PRAY FOR THE SOULS OF Ann Brooks, Patrick Mulqueen, Finbarr O'Brien, Fr Ron Cosslett, Fr John Baggley, Peter Charman, Deacon Tony Hewitt and Deacon Tony Rigby together with all who have died recently. We pray for them and their families at this time. May they rest in peace.

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK AND UNWELL: Angie Browne, Judith Cuninghame, Peter Cunningham, Frank Cunningham, Elaine Fossett, Madge Ward, Heather Walton, Jay Veeman, Pat Farr, Phil Sands, Margaret Kelly, Joanna MacKinnon, Hilary Hanson, Debbie Colby, Monika Tokarska-Hosoi, Joan Theaker, Alice Rowland, John Walker, Christine Grady, Pauline Cullinane, Beatrice Upham, Peter Carvell, Sheila Jenkins, Lillian Chapman, Irena Bienek, Georgina Brannigan-Smith, Ann Kenny, Rose Warburton, David O'Grady, Joan O'Leary, Thomas Weatherstone, Clare Oliver, Romina Mendieta, Claire Hughes, Jennifer Bell, Tony Smith, Christopher Mason and Donal Heffernan.

THE MONTH OF JUNE is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Devotion to the Sacred Heart is a wonderful expression of the Church's piety for Christ, her Spouse and Lord: it calls for a fundamental attitude of conversion and reparation, of love and gratitude, apostolic commitment and dedication to Christ and His saving work.

O Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer you all my prayers, works, joys, and sufferings of this day, for all the intentions of your Sacred Heart, in union with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world, in reparation for my sins, for the intentions of all my relatives and friends, and in particular for the intentions of the Holy Father.

ORDER OF MASS CARDS: If you require a card with the Order of Mass text, please ask one of the welcomers for a copy. The readings for Sunday Mass can be found on the back of this newsletter. Please do take them home with you for private prayer and reflection.

PENTECOST VIGIL: For Pentecost Sunday there is an option to have an extended Vigil of Readings as part of the Mass, similar to what we have on Holy Saturday. This is a tradition which has died out in many parish settings. The readings reflect on the Resurrection, Ascension and the descent of the Holy Spirit — and on the role of the Holy Spirit in the life of the Church. Copies of the readings and prayers are available at the back of church if anyone would like to take them for personal prayer and reflection.

ON SATURDAY EVENING we welcome the Warwick University CathSoc Schola who will be singing again at the Vigil Mass. Please do keep all the students and staff in your prayers as the examinations continue.

MARRIAGE CARE THANKSGIVING: During our 5.00pm and 9.00am Masses this week we look forward to welcoming Mark Molden, the Chief Executive of Marriage Care, together with other volunteers who are involved in the work of Marriage Care. During the Mass, Mark will speak about the legacy, and the on-going work of Marriage Care and its need for support.

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY: Day for Life

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS AT SJW will be needed to help at the Sunday 11.00am Mass. If you are commissioned as an Extraordinary Minister at SJW, would you please let Fr Simon know, so that we can put together a rota for this ministry.

KINGDOM OF GOD PRAYER GROUP meets on Mondays at from 7pm to 8.30pm in the MRR.

WE DARE TO HOPE COURSE continues on Thursday 12th June at 7.00pm in the Parish Hall at SJW. The course consists of a time of reflection combining meditation, scripture, prayers and questions. In the course, the relationship between the virtue of hope, our lives and the source of all hope, Jesus, is explored.

PLEASE NOTE that Mass on Tuesday will be at 6.00pm in SJW. Fr Simon has an early physiotherapy appointment in the morning and is then attending the Diocesan Clergy Conference in Birmingham.

OSCOTT CEMETERY OFFICE has been in contact regarding the fitting and erecting of a headstone on Fr Michael Jordan's grave. The stone, which will be engraved with his name, date of birth, ordination and death will cost just over £900. If any parishioners would like to donate towards this, please hand them to Fr Simon. If you are a Taxpayer, please remember to Gift Aid your donation by filling out a 'one-off' donation form available from Fr Simon.

DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS will be happening in all churches throughout the month of June. Our designates days are this Friday, 13th June (STM) and this Saturday 14th June, (SJW). Following the morning Masses, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed, and all are invited to come and pray for an increase of Vocations. Sign-up sheets are at the back of both STM and SJW for people to come for a half hour slot or longer if they would like. At all times, there must be two people present in church. Both days will conclude with Solemn Benediction.

SVP CONFERENCE has now been running for a few weeks and is slowly starting to take shape. During this time, they have been looking at possible outreach projects which would be helpful to our parishioners at both STM and SJW. A few more members in the conference would be a marvellous addition. If you would like more information, please speak to Fr Simon. Please also let us know if you know of anyone who might like a visit from a member of the SVP. If you are interested, please contact Siobhan Allen on 07712732576.

ARYPT MASS ON THE MALVERNS on Saturday 14th June 2025. An exciting opportunity to support the Trust with a fantastic day out! You can walk as a family, individual or get a group together from your parish. For more information, please contact arypt2022@gmail.com or follow the link to register: <https://www.tfaforms.com/5172259>

LARGE PRINT NEWSLETTERS available by request from Fr Simon.

COVENTRY CATHOLICS YOUNG ADULTS GROUP age 18-35. Meet on Tuesday evenings from 7.00pm to 9.00pm to eat and pray together and discuss their faith. Venue: St Osburg's Church Hall (CV1 4AQ). The next meeting will be held on 17th June.

STM FEAST DAY falls on a Sunday but is overlooked by the Solemnity of Corpus Christi. Rather than miss out on cause of celebration, we shall therefore keep our Patronal Festival on Friday 20th June with Mass and procession at 10.00am.

STM SUMMER 'FEAST'IVAL! on Friday 20th June from 3.30pm – 6.00pm. Lots of fun for everyone. Games, Tombola for Bottles, Sweeties, Cuddly Toys, Pimm's Tent, Bouncy Castle, 5 A Side Football tournament, hot food and more. New for this year will be our very own STM Bake Off! Get practising those Victoria Sponges!! Also, our 'Made with Love at Home' Stall: we'll be looking for donations of pickles, jams, chutneys, wine, crafts and even home grown veg soon! **We also need donations of bottles (full), tombola prizes, fancy gifts and cuddly toys (in good condition).** There is a box in the porch for all your kind donations. There will be entertainment provided during the afternoon with a special guest appearance from the fabulous Rock Choir. Raffle tickets for the Grand Prize Draw will be on sale soon. If you or someone you know would like to book a stall, priced at £15.00, they can contact Debbie Teixeira via email: deborah Teixeir@hotmail.com

STM SPRING FAYRE PUBLICITY: It has been suggested that we do 'door to door' leaflet drops in the local area. At the back of STM there is a list of all the local roads near to church. If you live on one of those roads, and would be willing to distribute the flyers, please take a handful with you and tick the road list. An excellent and easy way to get a few extra steps in!

FR REGINALD who often helps with supply at SJW and STM, invites all parishioners to join him as he celebrates his 25th anniversary since Ordination to the Sacred Priesthood on Saturday 21st June at 11.30am in St Mary and St Benedict's Church.

OUR PIETY STALLS are open after all Masses with a wide variety of gifts and cards available for purchase.

'YEAR OF JUBILEE' RETREAT DAY on Saturday 28th June from 10.00am – 3.00pm at St Thomas More Catholic Church (CV3 5DE). The day will include Mass, Adoration, Confessions together with the reflections given by Canon Michael Dolman, the Rector of Oscott College, with suggestions for getting the most out of this Holy Year and how we might become greater Pilgrims of Hope as we continue through this Holy Year and beyond. A soup lunch will also be available. Suggested donation of £10 per person. If you are attending, please sign the sheets at the back of church. This event has been opened up to other parishes within our deanery.

ACT NOW ON ASSISTED SUICIDE: The Team at Oxford Pro-Life Community are reminding people to contact their MP and urge them to vote against Assisted Suicide. The Third Reading and vote on the Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill is likely to take place on Friday 13 June or Friday 20 June. Your voice matters on the Assisted Suicide Bill. Your MP's vote on the Assisted Suicide Bill is imminent and critical. This Bill, if passed, cannot be undone. Your MP needs to hear from you. Many are wavering, and your opinion can truly make a difference in defeating this Bill. Please do not leave it to others. Please consider writing to your local MP this week.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION on Sunday 22nd June starting at 3.00pm at St Anne's Catholic Church, CV3 3AG processing to Corpus Christi Catholic Church, Langbank, CV3 2QP. You are invited to stay for a picnic on the grass at 4pm - drinks and nibbles provided! First Holy Communion children are especially invited to lead the procession in their First Holy Communion outfits. For more information, please see the posters in church.

CHEYLESMORE FOODHUB: You can support the work of the Foodhub through financial donations, allowing more flexibility for the Trust to purchase foods. Cheylesmore Food Hub CAF Bank Ltd, Sort Code: 40-52-40 and the Account no: 00034145. The Foodhub would also be grateful for donations of 'Bags for Life' shopping bags.

SJW FOOD BANK: There is now a box at the back of SJW if anyone would like to give donations of tinned goods towards the foodbank.

PARENT SCHOOL TOUR: Prospective parents are invited to this event at STM School scheduled on Tuesday 17th June at 9am. This is an opportunity to explore our school, meet our dedicated staff, and see our learning environment in action. The tour will provide insight into our values, curriculum, and the supportive community. To book your place, please contact the school office on 0247684 9910 or email stm-admin@hccmac.co.uk.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION COURSES are held on the first Saturday of every month in the MRR. For more information and to book a place, families are asked to contact Deacon Leo by emailing dcn.leo.poole@rcaob.org.uk

CONFESSION is available at STM on Saturday evenings from 4.15pm – 4.45pm; and at SJW on Saturday morning from 10.30am – 11.00am. Alternatively at other times with prior arrangement with Fr Simon. If you haven't been to confession for a while don't let fear, guilt, or embarrassment dissuade you. Jesus is waiting in the confessional for you, and his heart longs to grant you his mercy in abundance.

HOUSE VISITS to the sick and housebound are an important part of the life of the church. Those who would like a visit, are asked to contact Fr Simon or Deacon Leo. A visit can be arranged by themselves or by the Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion.

SEVEN DAY CANDLES: To sponsor a candle, please bring your £5 donation to the sacristy for booking. Please note that only one intention per candle can be booked. At STM the candles can be sponsored for St Thomas More, Our Lady, St Joseph and the Sacred Heart and at SJW they can be sponsored for St Joseph, Our Lady, St Anthony and the Sacred Heart.

GOING INTO HOSPITAL If you or a relative are going into hospital, please be sure to tell the ward staff you are a Catholic and would like to see the Catholic Chaplain. Please also notify the Parish Clergy, so a visit, either by them or the Chaplain can be arranged.

JOB VACANCIES AT STM SCHOOL for FTE Maternity Cover and a parttime EYFS. Full details on the website www.mynewterm.co.uk. Closing date for all applications is Tuesday 10th June at 12noon.

DIOCESAN PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS: Heavenly Father, we ask you to send labourers into your harvest. Inspire, in the hearts of your people, vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life. Bless our families with a spirit of generosity, so that those whom you call have the courage to give themselves to your Church in faith. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

MASS INTENTIONS: The Mass is the greatest prayer we can offer as Catholics since it is the 'source and summit' of the Christian Life. An individual may ask a priest to offer a Mass for several reasons: for example, in thanksgiving, for the intentions of another person or as is most common, for the repose of the soul of someone who has died. Mass offering envelopes are available at the back of both churches. Please fill in the required information and hand it to Fr Simon or push through the Presbytery letterbox. We ask that Masses be booked three months in advance of your required date. Please remember that preferred dates cannot be guaranteed—someone else might have asked for a particular day before you, but the nearest date will be offered.

ONLINE GIVING: If you were unable to give at Sunday Mass, you can give online to either parish by scanning this QR code and following the instructions on the website.



GIFT AID: If you are a UK Taxpayer and would like to increase your giving, at no extra cost to yourself, please consider Gift Aid. By this scheme we are able to claim 25p on every £1 donated. Information available from Tony Curristan at STM and Mike Callanan SJW.

A PILGRIM'S REFLECTION OF LOURDES

Early starts are always the best as that way you have the whole day ahead of you! A 7.00am check in at Birmingham Airport. 9.00am(ish) flight to Lourdes, arriving by early afternoon. Help and assistance at the airport in Lourdes for those in need, which continued throughout the time at Lourdes supported by the youth of the Diocese. A shout out to them and thank you. They did a sterling job ensuring that those who needed assistance got to venues on time and back to hotels without worry.

Archbishop Bernard enjoyed Father Simon's homily referencing 'Pooh bear and friends' that he used referencing again 'Pooh Bear and friends – kindest friendship and hope to each other.'

The pilgrimage was fast paced, reflective and full of song and music wherever you went with pilgrims singing at the Grotto of St Bernadette or Mass on the other side of the river. Rousing hymns, organ music playing by Fr Paul and Fr Simon: we were all blessed to hear them play for us at Lourdes.

A candlelight procession every night at 9.00pm singing the Ave Maria was stirring and emotional following the statue of Mary Immaculate.

Our very large candle for the intentions of both the parishes was carried down to its place. In fact, it was so large that we had difficulty in fitting it in the candle holder. A few prayers were said and 'hey ho', it burnt away flamingly, like others at the grotto. The candles threw out tremendous heat. Oh yes, the weather's scorching hot all the time. Dare I say, does the sunshine on the righteous? Of course, it does.

The baths at Lourdes are now fully open and a full immersion is now available for those who wish to participate. You will need to queue! It was truly worth the wait. You virtually come out of the bath dry – an experience not to be missed for the future.

The pilgrimage was not without fun and laughter. An evening of entertainment in the hotel was prepared, including our own pantomime rendition with costume and script traveling from Coventry. All complemented by liquid refreshments and nibbles.

Was it worth it? Of course it was, so many pilgrims from throughout the world and people within our Diocese, you were never without a friend to share experiences and life stories. We all had so much in common, our faith. I'm sure we all took away from Lourdes many hopes, wishes and prayers for others. I personally felt a strong sense of faith and comradeship in the Catholic faith, and am, of course, part of something bigger than myself. Act justly, love mercifully, walk humbly.

READINGS FOR PENTECOST SUNDAY

FIRST READING

Acts 2:1-11

When the day of Pentecost arrived, the Apostles were all together in one place. And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance. Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. And they were amazed and astonished, saying, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians — we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 104(103)

R: Send forth your spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.

Bless the Lord, O my soul!
O Lord my God, how great you are!
How many are your works, O Lord!
The earth is full of your creatures. R

You take away their breath, they die,
returning to the dust from which they came.
You send forth your spirit, and they are created,
and you renew the face of the earth. R

May the glory of the Lord last for ever!
May the Lord rejoice in his works!
May my thoughts be pleasing to him.
I will rejoice in the Lord. R

SECOND READING

Romans 8:8-17

Brothers and Sisters: Those who are in the flesh cannot please God. You, however, are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if in fact the Spirit of God dwells in you. Anyone who does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him. But if Christ is in you, although the body is dead because of sin, the Spirit is life because of righteousness. If the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, he who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through his Spirit who dwells in you. So then, brothers and sisters, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh. For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, 'Abba! Father!' The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs — heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.

SEQUENCE

Holy Spirit, Lord of Light,
From the clear celestial height
Thy pure beaming radiance give.

Come, thou Father of the poor,
Come with treasures which endure
Come, thou light of all that live!

Thou, of all consolers best,
Thou, the soul's delightful guest,
Dost refreshing peace bestow

Thou in toil art comfort sweet
Pleasant coolness in the heat
Solace in the midst of woe.

Light immortal, light divine,
Visit thou these hearts of thine,
And our inmost being fill:

If thou take thy grace away,
Nothing pure in man will stay
All his good is turned to ill.

Heal our wounds, our strength renew
On our dryness pour thy dew
Wash the stains of guilt away:

Bend the stubborn heart and will
Melt the frozen, warm the chill
Guide the steps that go astray.

Thou, on us who evermore
Thee confess and thee adore,
With thy sevenfold gifts descend:

Give us comfort when we die
Give us life with thee on high
Give us joys that never end.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful
and kindle in them the fire of your love.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

GOSPEL

John 14:15-16, 23b-26

At that time: Jesus said to his disciples, 'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you for ever. If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him. Whoever does not love me does not keep my words. And the word that you hear is not mine but the Father's who sent me. 'These things I have spoken to you while I am still with you. But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you.

HYMN TO THE SACRED HEART

Sweet heart of Jesus, fount of love and mercy,
today we come, Thy blessing to implore;
O touch our hearts, so cold and so ungrateful,
and make them, Lord, Thine own for evermore.
*Sweet heart of Jesus, we implore,
O make us love Thee more and more.*

Sweet heart of Jesus, make us know and love Thee,
unfold to us the treasures of Thy grace;
that so our hearts, from things of earth uplifted,
may long alone to gaze upon Thy face.

Sweet heart of Jesus, make us pure and gentle,
and teach us how to do Thy blessed will;
to follow close the print of Thy dear footsteps,
and when we fall - sweet heart, oh, love us still.

Sweet heart of Jesus, bless all hearts that love Thee,
and may Thine own heart ever blessed be,
bless us, dear Lord, and bless the friends we cherish,
and keep us true to Mary and to Thee

HYMN FOR THE YEAR OF JUBILEE

Like a flame my hope is burning, may my song arise to you:
Source of life that has no ending, on life's path I trust in you.

Ev'ry nation, tongue, and people find a light within your Word.
Scattered fragile sons and daughters find a home in your dear Son.

God, so tender and so patient, dawn of hope, you care for all.
Heav'n and earth are recreated by the Spirit of Life set free.

Raise your eyes, the wind is blowing, for our God is born in time.
Son made man for you and many who will find the way in him.

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