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30th May 2021

The Most Holy Trinity (Year B)

Sunday 30th May <i>The Most Holy Trinity</i> Diocesan Prayer Link <i>Sacred Heart, Chew Magna</i> <i>St Pius X, Withywood</i>	6.00pm Mass Ints of Colleen Buhagair 9.00am Mass Kenneth Hall <i>RIP</i> 10.30am Mass Danny McCarthy <i>RIP</i> 12.30pm <i>Polish Language Mass</i> 4.30pm <i>Rosary</i> 5.30pm Mass Ints of Sheril Kuruvila
Monday 31st May <i>Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	9.00am <i>Rosary</i> 9.30am Mass Thanksgiving
Tuesday 1st June <i>St Justin</i>	9.10am <i>Morning Prayer</i> 9.30am Mass CMBF
Wednesday 2nd June <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	11.00am <i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i> 12.00pm Mass Gibumon V Kuriakose <i>RIP</i>
Thursday 3rd June <i>St Charles Lwanga & Companions</i>	9.10am <i>Morning Prayer</i> 9.30am Mass Maggie Carey <i>RIP</i>
Friday 4th June <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.10am <i>Morning Prayer</i> 9.30am <i>Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion</i> 7.30pm <i>Polish Language Mass</i>
Saturday 5th June <i>St Boniface</i>	9.30am <i>Rosary</i> 10.00am Mass Lin Harvey <i>RIP</i> 10.45am – 11.15am <i>Confessions</i> 3.00pm <i>Filipino Monthly Mass</i> 5.00pm – 5.30pm <i>Confessions</i> 6.00pm Mass People of the Parish 7.30pm <i>Polish Language Mass</i>
Sunday 6th June <i>The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ</i>	9.00am Mass Ints of Joshua Jojin 10.30am Mass Catherine Anne O'Leary <i>Anniversary</i> 12.30pm <i>Polish Language Mass</i> 5.30pm Mass Annamkutty Jose Vallooran <i>RIP</i>

This Week: Week 9. Daily Prayer of the Church: Psalter Week 1. **Please note Mass on Tuesday is at 9.30am.**

Last Weekend: Offertory - £1411.73

Mass Attendance – 358

Church Cleaning: Will next take place on Monday June 7th after the morning mass.

Congratulations: To Jozef Dela Pena and Frances Dockree who were married in St Peter's on Wednesday.

Church Open: In addition to published mass times, St Peter's Church will be open for private prayer on Wednesday from mass time until 5.00pm and on Friday from 8.30am until 1.00pm.

SVP: To meet on Tuesday 8th June after evening mass.

RIP: Your prayers are asked for those who have died recently:

Deirdre Corrigan. Her funeral mass takes place in St Peter's Church at 11.00am on Thursday June 10th

Tony Capaldi. His funeral will take place at Our Lady's Churchdown.

Marcus Tarantino. Funeral details later.

We extend our sympathy to their families.

Publications: June edition of Bible Alive (£3) and Sacred Heart Messenger (£1.85) available at the back of the church. We are awaiting delivery of My Day by Day.

Booking a place for Sunday Masses: It is essential that those attending a Sunday mass book a place by contacting the parish office or visiting <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/131622160425>. Booking is now open for all Sunday masses up to June 20th.

200 Club: Thank you to all who support the parish 200 Club and to Debbie McQuillan for all her work in running it. £1500 was donated to parish funds from the 200 Club this week. Details of future draws later.

The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for June: That young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community may grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness, and patience.

Gloucester City Mission: The latest newsletter is on our notice board and on gloscitymission.org.uk

Half Term: We wish all associated with our schools an enjoyable and restful half term

Sunday Mass Readings: Are available to download in 13 different languages at www.virc.at

Healthy Planet, Healthy People Petition: The Bishops' Conference Pastoral letter for this Pentecost refers to a time of remarkable challenge and opportunity, referring to G7 and COP26 and poses the question '*Are we really demonstrating love, care and respect for our common home?*' 2021 is a very significant year, not just because we are gradually emerging in UK from the pandemic, but because of some very important international meetings which could determine the future of our planet and its inhabitants. There is the G7 summit in June and COP26 on the climate crisis in November, both of which are held in the UK; also, China will be hosting international negotiations on protecting biodiversity. Now is our opportunity to join with voices from Catholics (and others of faith) around the planet asking the leaders of these global gatherings to urgently align national and global commitments with limiting warming to 1.5°C at most. Alongside this we are asking that the wonderful diversity of creatures living in our common home be protected. Please sign the petition at thecatholicpetition.org and ask family and friends to join with you.

Summary of the Holy Father's words at the General Audience Wednesday 26th May 2021

Dear Brothers and Sisters, in our continuing catechesis on prayer, we now consider those times when our prayers appear to go unanswered. We think, for example, of the heartfelt prayers we offer for our sick children, or for our friends who experience great pain. In our disappointment, we may feel that God is deaf to our pleas; we may even be tempted to stop praying. Jesus, our great teacher of prayer, taught us in the *Our Father* to ask for many things, but above all that God's will be done. A mature faith trusts in the Lord's providence, his greater plan for our lives and our world, yet we naturally feel deep disappointment when our petitions seem to go unheard. Jesus shows us by his own example that God understands our sufferings yet does not always immediately grant our wishes. In Gethsemane, Jesus offered a prayer that seemed to go unanswered; yet his complete trust in the Father's will led to our salvation and the glory of the resurrection. Evil never has the last word. If there are times when we walk in the dark, guided only by the light of faith, may we never abandon our trust in the Father's will to make all things work together for our ultimate good.

We remember those who have asked for our prayers: Deacon David Hebbes, Fr Donal Daly, Andrea Brushneen, Sue Hartnett, Margaret Coleman, Cecilia Edwards, Marie O'Connor, Pat O'Ryan, David Burke, Margaret Withers, Cheryl Loy, Natalia Price, Sharon Scott, Christopher Browne, Paul Hawketts, Joanne Beamish, Kathy Smith, Joan O'Connell. In compliance with the requirements of GDPR permission must be sought from an individual (or next of kin) before their name can be added to a list of those who are sick.