

Mass Intentions for This Week

Sat	4 th June	6:30pm	Vigil Mass – Pentecost - Confirmation
Sun	5 th June <i>Pentecost Sunday – Day of Prayer for the Church</i>	10.15am	Birthday blessings for Keith, Kenneth & Sean Stiell & Maggie
		12.00 noon	Birthday blessings for Maggie Rea
Mon	6 th June	10:00am	People of the Parish
Tue	7 th June	10:00am	Chris Dunbar R.I.P.
Wed	8 th June	10:30am	Funeral Mass for Mrs Teresa Cora Hamilton
Thurs	9 th June	10:00am	Mass
Fri	10 th June	10:00am	Mass
Sat	11 th June	6:30pm	Vigil Mass
Sun	12 th June	10.15am	Mass
		12.00 noon	Mass

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, SHOOTERS HILL

Pentecost Sunday

Sunday 5th June 2022

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Office Hours
Tues, 9.30-11.30am, Thurs, 9.30am – 12.30pm

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Ist reading	Acts 2:1-11	They were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak
Psalm	Ps 103:1, 24, 29-31, 34 r cf v 30	Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth
2 nd reading	1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13	In the one Spirit we were all baptised
Gospel Acclamation		Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and kindle in them the fire of your love.
Gospel		As the Father sent me, so am I sending you: receive the Holy Spirit

NEWSLETTER

Due to the ever increasing costs of printing and photocopying (especially producing colour copies of documents), the Newsletter is to be printed in a new format.

If you have any comments or suggestions for the new format, please email Julie on shootershill@rcaos.org.uk

Collections for May 28th/29th

1 st Collection = £410.07
2 nd Collection = £163.71
Hall Hire = £110.00
Contactless = £35.00

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to have a Mass offered for a particular intention, please write the intention down with all the details, together with the Mass stipend, and put it through the Presbytery door. Alternatively, you can contact the parish office on 020 3105 8577 or email shootershill@rcaos.org.uk. Mass intention envelopes are available at the back of the church.

MARRIAGE & BAPTISM

By appointment only – please ring the office to make an appointment

GIFT AID

For those who have applied, please collect your new Gift Aid box from the back of the Church. Thank you.

Please remember that if you are a UK taxpayer you can Gift Aid your contribution to the Church. Collect a form from the back of the Church, complete and return it to the Parish Office, and we will do the rest. The parish recovers 25p for every £1 you donate in the weekly offering. If you are a member and have moved in the last year, please let us

know your new address. Also, if you are no longer a taxpayer, please let us know. To sign up to Gift Aid is quick and convenient and you can pay by direct debit. Please be assured that all information is treated in the strictest confidence as per the GDPR rulings. Once again thank you for your support.

CONFIRMATION

This Pentecost weekend at the 6.30pm Vigil Mass, 30 young parishioners will receive the sacrament of Confirmation and we will welcome Fr. David O'Malley – Rector of the Salesians of Don Bosco (SDB) in the UK to administer the sacrament, along with Brother Steven Lloyd who is in priestly training. The Salesians are a religious congregation in the Catholic Church, founded in the late 19th century by Italian priest St. John Bosco to help poor children during the Industrial revolution. The Confirmandi spent their retreat day with the Salesians whose mission it is to be signs and bearers of the love of God for young people, especially those who are poor.

Congratulations to all our Confirmandi and please keep them in your prayers as their faith journey to spread the Good News continues.

COMMISSIONING OF EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER

We are delighted that Tony Lanzon will be Commissioned as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion at our 10.15 Mass Pentecost Sunday

We thank Tony for his response to God's call to this call and wish him every blessing in his ministry. Please show your support for Tony in his journey.

Take some time to sit before the Blessed Sacrament to listen to God to see which ministry he is calling you to.

We ALL have one.

WALKING IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF ST. JAMES

Congratulations to Anthony Lanzon for walking the last 115km (just over 70 miles) of the Santiago de Compostela Camino in Spain. Anthony and his wife, Melanie, completed the pilgrimage in six days taking in beautiful woodland and countryside along the way. They met so many people with different reasons for doing the pilgrimage but all with the same goal of reaching the cathedral dedicated to St. James. At the end of their journey, they joined the Sunday Mass and saw the botafumeiro, one of the famous and popular symbols of the Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela, swing the length of the cathedral's nave with incense, a truly spiritual experience. We thank Tony and Melanie for taking thoughts of St Joseph with them and praying for the whole parish while they walked.

ST. THOMAS MORE SUMMER FAIR

The event is being run by the Friends of St Thomas More.

DATE: Saturday 18 June 2022

TIME: 1:00pm – 4:00pm

No charge for entrance, all welcome

Lots of fun stalls running activities for young and old:

- Licensed Bar
- BBQ
- Grand Raffle
- Home-made Cakes
- Tombola
- Live Music
- Plus lots more!

All funds raised by the Friends of St. Thomas More are utilised to support/provide opportunities for all students at the school. No unaccompanied children under 16 No parking available on the school site (we use the car park for stalls/activities etc)

DIOCESAN DAY FOR CATECHISTS – SATURDAY, 25TH JUNE 2022

The annual Day for Catechists, this year, is on Saturday 25th June at the Amigo Hall and St. George's Cathedral, starting with registration from 10.30am and ending with Mass at 4pm. This is an in-service training day for all catechists in the diocese (including those involved in Liturgy of the Word for Children and the RCIA process), and a day of support for them in their ministry.

Please email the office if you would like to attend – we need to send the registration form back to the Diocese by 20th June.

QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE

We will be including prayers for Her Majesty the Queen during all Masses this weekend, as she celebrates the remarkable milestone of her Platinum Jubilee and give thanks for 70 years of service to the people of Britain and the Commonwealth.

Prayer for HM Queen Elizabeth II

Almighty God, we pray, that your servant Elizabeth, our Queen, who, by your providence has received the governance of this realm, may continue to grow in every virtue, that, imbued with your heavenly grace, she may be preserved from all that is harmful and evil and, being blessed with your favour may, with the royal family, come at last into your presence, through Christ who is the way, the truth and the life and who lives and reigns in you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen

