

<i>TIMES OF MASS THIS WEEK</i>		
Saturday 7 th June 2014	St Peter's Church - Polish Mass – 4.30pm First Mass of Sunday 6.00 pm,	Cristeen Lucy (Int)
Sunday 8 th June Solemnity of Pentecost	St Michael's Church - Mass 9.00am St Peter's Church Mass 11.00 am	Sue Morgan (RIP)
Monday 9 th June	St Peter's Church Mass 9.00 am	Therese & Ted Richardson (RIP)
Tuesday 10 th June	St Peter's Church Mass 9.00am	Dorrie Smith & Denise Winfield (Sick)
Wednesday 11 th June Memorial of St Barnabas, Apostle	St Peter's Church 10.00am Liturgy of the Word & Expositions St Michael's Church Mass 10.00am	
Thursday 12 th June	St Peter's Church Mass 6.30 pm	May McGuinness (RIP)
Friday 13 th June Memorial of St Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church	St Peter's Church 9.00am	Anthony Ezenna (Int)
Saturday 14 th June	St Peter's Church First Mass of Sunday 6.00 pm	Private Intention
Sunday 15 th June Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity	St Michael's Church - Mass 9.00am St Peter's Church Mass 11.00 am	Francis Dickman (RIP)

ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH, TETBURY

Our Mediation Group meets on Friday morning @ 10.00am
All Welcome

ST PETER'S CHURCH, CIRENCESTER

THE ROSARY: Mon – Fri, **8.40** am, the Rosary is said in the Church.
CONFESSIONS: Confession time is every Saturday at **5.00 – 5.30** pm.
Confessions can also be arranged by appointment with Fr. Issy.

ST MICHAEL'S PARISH OFFICE

The Parish Office will be open on
Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 10.00am to 14.00pm

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***St Michael's Catholic Church, Tetbury
And
St Peter's Catholic Church, Cirencester***



***Sunday 8th June 2014
Solemnity of Pentecost***



***All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit
and began to speak in other tongues
Acts 2:4***

WELCOME

We welcome visitors and anyone who is visiting in our parish for the first time. We pray for God's special Blessings on you. We wish you a very happy & holy worship with us.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: A reading from the Acts of the Apostles 2: 1-11

Responsorial Psalm:

**Send forth your Spirit, O Lord
and renew the face of the earth.**

Second Reading: A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia

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

Alleluia

Gospel: John 20: 19-23

Memorial Acclamation

Regina Mass Setting – 2

CARE & DEVELOPMENT IN OUR PARISHES

New to the Parish:

Our Parishes are a welcoming community; please let us know you are new and collect a Registration form from Elaine or any Welcoming Person at Mass.

Please remember in your prayers

Those who are sick including Mgr Gabriel Leyden, Fr Michael Davies, Fr Kevin Knox-Lecky, Pip Mantell, Bill Brewer, Monica Whaley, Anne Dewey, Santina Long, Shelia Moore, Joan Agassi, Alexander Conway, Rex Chapman, Iris Brennan, Reg Bunt, Agnes Moran, Patrick MacDermott, Irene Spaul Elizabeth Catling, Dorothy Godleman, Lyn Ibbitt, Julie Bulmar and Alice Walsh.

Please inform Elaine of any changes to this list.

RIP those who have died recently and Kathleen Keeley and all whose anniversaries are at this time:

May they rest in peace Amen.

Our Prayer Link: Let us pray today for the Catholic Church

Home Visits or Sick Call:

If you would like a visit or Holy Communion at home, or in the case of emergency please ring the parish office (St Michaels 01666502367) or (St Peters 01285652087) to make arrangements. If you are going into hospital and would like to receive the sacrament of the sick before admission, please speak to Fr Issy who will arrange this for you. If you would like a visit from the hospital chaplain please ask in hospital as the chaplains no longer have access to admission records.

Parish Finances

St Michaels: Last week's collection: £164

World Communication: £97.50

May Standing Orders 2014 £1083.15

St Peters: Last week's collection: £473

World Communication £58.42

May Sanding Orders £1527

Many thanks for your great generosity.

Clifton Diocesan Registered Charity No 233977

Second collection

There will be a Second collection Next Sunday for the Priest Retirement Fund

Please take a letter and envelope with you and return the envelope next week; thank you.

This Week @ St Michael's:

Ministers of Holy Communion:; Fran Billington and Tony Morris Ministers of the Word:; Simon Barton and Elaine Wright Flowers:; Sue Rooker: Church Cleaning; Louise Gilbert and Sandra Womack

Collection Counters: Elaine and Louise

Next Week:

Ministers of Holy Communion: Deacon Steve and Elaine Wright Ministers of the Word: Mary Dignan and Helen Fathers Flowers:; Sue Rooker: Church Cleaning; Carol Hancock and Pat Martin

Collection Counters: Elaine and Pat

PARISH EVENTS

Congratulations: We wish Fr Issy a very Happy Birthday for yesterday. We also congratulate Bishop Declan on the Anniversary of his Ordination also yesterday. On the 7th June 1975 In St John's Cathedral Portsmouth; Bishop Derek Worlock was ordaining Declan Lang; on this day too Joseph and Maria-Celine Obi in Nigeria were celebrating the birth of their Son Isidore Nnamdi. Little did Declan Lang think on his day of ordination that he would become Bishop of Clifton and would welcome a young man to the priesthood from Nigeria who was born on the same day that he was ordained a priest.. Isn't it a small world?!

St Michael's Parish: Future Fund Raising:

We would like to hold one or two more events this year for a local charity. If you have any ideas of a worthwhile cause, please let Elaine know.

Raffle Prizes:

We are always looking for raffle prizes for our fund raising events; if during the year you come across gifts you would like to donate, please don't wait until we hold an event; bring it along to the Parish Office anytime; thank you for all your support.

Taize: There will be a Taize Prayer evening on Thursday 12th March 2014 in St Mary's Church @ 8.00pm. All are welcome to attend.

Fr Isidore Obi:

Bishop Declan Lang has asked that Fr Issy be inducted as the parish priest of St Peter's Cirencester and St Michael's Tetbury. This will be on Tuesday 17th of June at 7 pm with Mass at St Peter's Church Cirencester. For more information please contact the parish offices of Tetbury and Cirencester.

CAFOD: There are copies of the Spring issue of Side by Side available at the back of St Peter's Church; St Michaels are still waiting for theirs.

CAFOD: The most recent Cafod campaign 'Hungry for Change' has now ended. A new campaign will be launched in the Autumn. Cafod is part of The Climate Coalition - over 100 organisations with millions of supporters across the UK working together for climate action. If you would like to know more about it and what action you can take right now visit cafod.org.uk/fortheLoveof

You can also read about why campaigns are important on pages 14/15 of Side by Side.

DIOCESAN EVENTS

Vocation Matters "From his breast shall flow fountains of living water" There is a beautiful sculpture by Faith Tolkien in the chapel of the Sacred Heart at St John's Seminary, Womersley. It shows two deer drinking water flowing from the foot of the Cross. It is an ancient image of the Sacred Heart. Gushing and flowing water also remind us of the Holy Spirit poured out from Father and Son through the triumph of the Cross. This Holy Spirit, who waters the flourishing Church, is our faithful vocational guide. As Pope Francis says, "The Holy Spirit teaches us to look with the eyes of Christ, to live life as Christ lived, to understand life as Christ did." So, invoke the Spirit.

More Hall Convent: "One vacant, large ground floor room in catholic care home, run by Benedictine Sisters in Stroud, Gloucestershire. For more information please write to or telephone Sr Elsy, More Hall Convent, Randwick, Stroud, Glos. GL6 6EP. Tel. 01453 764486. Or you can email: moorehallconvent@tiscali.co.uk."

A Day With Mary: On Saturday 21st June 2014 at Buckfast Abbey commencing at 10.00am A day of instruction, devotion & intercession based on the message given at Fatima in 1917. Please see poster in porch for further information.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Glastonbury

This will take place on Sunday 13th July 2014; the theme this year is 'Mary, Queen of Evangelisation'. The Rosary Procession will start @ 2.15pm starting in the Abbey grounds with Mass in the Abbey @ 3.30pm celebrated by Rt Rev Declan Lang, Bishop of Clifton. There will also be services in St Mary's Church. Please see poster in the porch for further information.

POPE FRANCIS'S MESSAGE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

Pope Francis has blamed a "culture of well-being" and comfort for convincing married couples that a carefree life of world travel and summer homes is better than having children. He said married couples should look at how Jesus loves his Church to learn how to be faithful, perseverant and fruitful in their vocation. About 15 married couples celebrating their 25th, 50th or 60th anniversaries joined the Pope for his early morning Mass in the Domus Sanctae Marthae, where he lives. In his homily, Pope Francis said fidelity, perseverance and fruitfulness were the three characteristics of God's love for his church and should be the same three pillars of a Christian marriage. Just as the church is fruitful by generating new children in Christ through baptism, marriage should be open to new life, the pope said in his homily, according to a report by Vatican Radio. "In a marriage, this fruitfulness can sometimes be put to the test, when children don't come or when they are ill," he said. Couples who deal with infertility or loss can still look to Jesus and "draw the strength of fruitfulness that Jesus has with his church." However, "there are things that Jesus doesn't like", he said, such as married couples "who don't want children, who want to be without fruitfulness." The Pope blamed "this culture of well-being" for convincing married men and women to intentionally remain childless. This culture of comfort, he said, "has convinced us that 'it's better to not have children! It's better. That way you can see the world, be on vacation, you can have a fancy home in the country, you'll be carefree.'" "And in the end, this marriage will end in old age in solitude, with the bitterness of bad solitude." The Pope said Jesus is always faithful to his Church - "his bride: beautiful, holy, sinner, but he loves her just the same." Jesus is always faithful, even to those who sin and deny him, and "this fidelity is like a light" that shines on marriage, showing what "the faithfulness of love" looks like, he said. In addition to always being faithful, love also must be "untiring in its perseverance", he said. Just as Jesus forgives his Church, spouses must ask each other for forgiveness so that "matrimonial love can go on," he said. "Love perseveres," he said. "It keeps going, always seeking to resolve things in order to save the family." Read more on The Catholic Herald... www.catholicherald.co.uk

