



ST GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL SOUTHWARK

METROPOLITAN CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST GEORGE



SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (YEAR A)

21 MAY 2017

Readings: Apostles 8: 5 – 8. 14 – 17. Psalm 65: 1 – 7. 16. 20.
 1 Peter 3: 15 – 18. John 14: 15 – 21.

Mass Intentions: 6pm (*Saturday Vigil*): Sean and Eileen Parry – RIP
 8am: Intentions of the Anthony Family
 10am: Brooks Family – Thanksgiving
 11.30am: People of the Parish
 6pm: Intentions of Phyllis Church

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be heard;
proclaim to the ends of the earth:
The Lord has freed his people, alleluia.

PSALM RESPONSE:

Cry out with joy to God all the earth.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Jesus said: 'If anyone loves me he will keep my word,
and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him.'

Alleluia!

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord,
and I will ask the Father and he will send you another Paraclete,
to abide with you for ever, alleluia.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY:

This group is open to all children aged between 4 - 9 years. Parents are asked to ensure their child is signed in each week, by the **parent or carer** who is attending Mass with them, so that we have a correct register should there be an emergency.

This week: Mercy, Maria Q, Sarah L & Rosemary.

PARISH NOTICES:

Last week's collections:

The total collection for last Sunday was **£1,670**. Thank you.

If you would like to gift-aid your offering, please see one of the Clergy after Mass.

Next Sunday:

Next Sunday is the Solemnity of the Ascension and is also World Communications Day.

There will be a retiring collection for the Catholic Communications Network which seeks to develop the public profile of the Church and its teaching on behalf of the Bishop's Conference.

Pentecost Sunday

The Feast of Pentecost is on Sunday 4 June and the parish Confirmation Mass is at 3pm, celebrated by Archbishop Peter.

Centre for Catholic Formation

The last in the series of post Easter talks will take place in the Amigo Hall on Thursday 25 May at 7.30pm. Admission is free. It is entitled 'Father, Son & Holy Spirit' and will be given by Sebastian Morello.

Flower Pots

As spring dawned the flower pots outside the cathedral were filled with colourful pansies that have now been replaced by bright red geraniums. These pots, bought

with your generosity, have helped to brighten the front of the cathedral and make it more welcoming. Grateful thanks to James Green who has worked so hard to produce this array of colour as well as the beautiful floral displays we see in the cathedral. James could do with some help with watering and routine weeding etc. If anyone can give a little time please let Canon Richard know.

Society of St. Vincent De Paul

Thank you for generously supporting the SVP Lenten appeal. The SVP continues to work with the Waterloo Foodbank to collect food for local people in crisis. Collection baskets are at the back of the Cathedral. Please see the posters at the back of the Cathedral for more details. If you know anyone who may benefit from help from the Foodbank please let one of the priests know.

Gift Aid scheme

If you are a member of the Gift Aid scheme your new envelopes will be available from the back of the cathedral at Sunday Masses on 3 and 4 June. More details next week.

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration takes place in the Day Chapel every Friday starting at 8am, ending with Evening Prayer and Benediction at 6pm. There is also Adoration from 10am until 12.15pm on Saturday morning.

12.30pm Mass on the 24 May

This Mass will be for past students of Mark Cross Junior Seminary and St John's Seminary. There will be singing and so the Mass may be slightly longer than usual.

Tea & Coffee

Tea and Coffee are available after the 10am and 11.30am Masses in the Amigo Hall on Sundays.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Thursday 25 May	CCF Post Easter Talks: The Holy Spirit – Amigo Hall – 7.30pm
Sunday 28 May	<i>Solemnity:</i> the Ascension of the Lord
Monday 29 May	BANK HOLIDAY: 12.30 Mass only – Cathedral closes after Mass
Sunday 4 June	Covenant Scheme – New envelopes available after all Masses from the back of the cathedral.
Sunday 4 June	Pentecost Sunday: Parish Confirmation Mass, celebrated by Archbishop Peter – Cathedral – 3pm

MASS & CONFESSION TIMES:

Weekday Mass:	Weekend Mass:	Confession:	Exposition:
Monday to Friday: Mass 7.30am, 12.30pm Evening Prayer and Benediction 6pm (Fridays) Holy Days of Obligation: Mass 7.30am, 12.30pm, 6pm	Saturday: Mass 9.30am, 12.30pm, 6pm (First Mass of Sunday) Sunday: Mass 8am, 10am (Family), 11.30am (Solemn), 1pm (Español), 6pm	Monday to Friday: 12-12.20pm Saturday: 11.15am-12.15pm, 5-5.50pm	Friday: 8am-6pm Saturday: 10am-12.15pm <i>Usually takes place in the Day Chapel</i>

THIS SUNDAY'S HYMNS & MUSIC:

	10am	11.30am	6pm Mass
Organ Music before Mass		O ye daughters of Jerusalem - Dupré	(Said Mass)
Entrance Hymn	398 Love divine	398 Love divine	
Mass Setting	St Anne's Mass - MacMillan	Messe Cum Jubilo (K S A) - Duruflé Gloria VIII (467) Credo III (469)	
Offertory	355 Let all mortal flesh keep silence	Jubilate in chordis - Schütz	
Communion	Ave verum Corpus - Mozart	355 Let all mortal flesh keep silence	
Recessional Hymn	215 God is love	215 God is love	
Organ Voluntary	March from "Things to come" - Bliss	Fugue sur le Nom d'Alain - Duruflé	

Translation of Communion motet text at the 10am Family Mass:

Hail, true body, born of the Virgin Mary, suffering and sacrificed on the cross for mankind, from whose pierced side flowed blood. Be to us a source of strength in the hour of our death. - Gradual for the Feast of Corpus Christi

Translation of Offertory motet text at the 11.30am Solemn Mass:

*Rejoice in God with strings and organ, with drum and in chorus.
Sing, rejoice and sing psalms with wisdom. Alleluia.* - Psalm 97

A full music list for the current Easter Term is available on the Cathedral website.

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