

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Cf. Ps 26:7-9

O Lord, hear my voice, for I have called to you; of you my heart has spoken: Seek his face; hide not your face from me, alleluia.

THE COLLECT

Graciously hear our supplications, O Lord, so that we, who believe that the Saviour of the human race is with you in your glory, may experience, as he promised, until the end of the world, his abiding presence among us. Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

FIRST READING

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles 1:12-14

After Jesus was taken up into heaven, the apostles went back from the Mount of Olives, as it is called, to Jerusalem, a short distance away, no more than a sabbath walk; and when they reached the city they went to the upper room where they were staying; there were Peter and John, James and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James son of Alphaeus and Simon the Zealot, and Jude son of James. All these joined in continuous prayer, together with several women, including Mary the mother of Jesus, and with his brothers.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

PSALM

Ps 26:1.4.7-8. R.v13

R) I am sure I shall see the Lord's goodness in the land of the living.

The Lord is my light and my help; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; before whom shall I shrink? **(R)**

There is one thing I ask of the Lord, for this I long, to live in the house of the Lord, all the days of my life, to savour the sweetness of the Lord, to behold his temple. **(R)**

O Lord, hear my voice when I call; have mercy and answer. Of you my heart has spoken; 'Seek his face.' **(R)**

SECOND READING

A reading from the first letter of St Peter. 4:13-16

If you can have some share in the sufferings of Christ, be glad, because you will enjoy a much greater gladness when his glory is revealed. It is a blessing for you when they insult you for bearing the name of Christ, because it means that you have the Spirit of glory, the Spirit of God resting on you. None of you should ever deserve to suffer for being a murderer, a thief, a criminal or an informer; but if anyone of you should suffer for being a Christian, then he is not to be ashamed of it; he should thank God that he has been called one.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! Cf.Jn 14:18

I will not leave you orphans, says the Lord; I will come back to you, and your hearts will be full of joy. Alleluia!

GOSPEL

John 17:1-11

The Lord be with you. **And with your spirit.** A reading from the holy Gospel according to John. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Jesus raised his eyes to heaven and said:

'Father, the hour has come: glorify your Son so that your Son may glorify you; and, through the power over all mankind that you have given him, let him give eternal life to all those you have entrusted to him. And eternal life is this: to know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. I have glorified you on earth and finished the work that you gave me to do. Now, Father, it is time for you to glorify me with that glory I had with you before ever the world was. I have made your name known to the men you took from the world to give me. They were yours and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now at last they know that all you have given me comes indeed from you; for I have given them the teaching you gave to me, and they have truly accepted this, that I came from you, and have believed that it was you who sent me. I pray for them: I am not praying for the world but for those you have given me, because they belong to you: all I have is yours and all you have is mine, and in them I am glorified. I am not in the world any longer, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you.'

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Accept, O Lord, the prayers of your faithful with the sacrificial offerings, that through these acts of devotedness we may pass over to the glory of heaven. Through Christ our Lord.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Jn 17:22

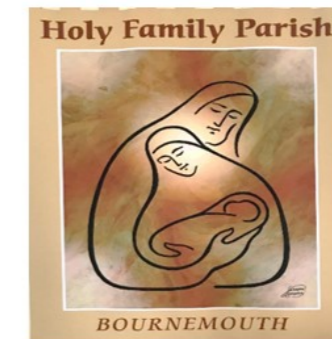
Father, I pray that they may be one as we also are one, alleluia.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Hear us, O God our Saviour, and grant us confidence, that through these sacred mysteries there will be accomplished in the body of the whole Church what has already come to pass in Christ her Head. Who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

THE PARISH OF THE HOLY FAMILY, BOURNEMOUTH

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GOSPEL REFLECTION

In this Gospel passage Our Lord speaks with joy: "Father," he says, "I have glorified you on earth and finished the work you gave me to do"

He has in fact not yet suffered the agony in Gethsemane or the crucifixion, his passion. He was showing his disciples—and those who came after—how, for the spiritual man or Woman, "accomplishment" lies in the will. St Thomas More, in the boat on the way to the Tower where he would be asked to take the oath that Henry was head of the Church in England, and would refuse, said to his son-in-law, "Son Roper, I thank the Lord the field is won" The struggle was over, he was at peace, at one with what God was asking of him.

Our Lord, although he still has Gethsemane ahead of him, is always entirely 'one' with the will & the mind of the Father; at the Last Supper the battle for our salvation is already won. Jesus reminds his followers, that glory is the reward of a will that is one with the Father's will: the battle maybe hard, but the reward is great:

"Keep those you have given me true to your name, so that they may be one like us"



We would all like to thank Canon George for his time here at Holy Family Parish , for his kindness and gentleness and allowing us to continue to celebrate our Masses

We wish him well and hope to see him again.

We look forward to welcoming Fr Chacko back in the Parish next weekend



SAVE THE DATE !!!
Saturday 17th JUNE
In StB Hall 7pm

The Diocesan Trophy has arrived



Faith is off to Lourdes next week & will be taking prayer intentions from the Parish to place at the altar. If you wish to pass one on, please write a card or place in an envelope and leave in the office or sacristy for her



Recycle Your Ink Cartridges for Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth)
Please pop your used ink cartridges in the box located at the back of the church.
We raise £2 per cartridge! Thank you for your support.



POPE's INTENTIONS for May 2023

For church movements and groups

We pray that Church movements and groups rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

www.thepopevideo.org

Please use this QR Code to make donations to the Parish



MASS INTENTIONS

We can never forget the infinite graces that flow from the Sacrifice of the Mass which benefit one's soul.

If you would like a Mass offered for your intention, please speak to the Parish office
Mass request envelopes are at the back of church.



Jocelyne Cotrel
Les Netherton
Noel Harris

Kevin Moor
Frances Smith
Sheila Shelley

Frances & Tony Herbert
Anna Browne Tony Bateman
Mike & Kathleen Carter

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS

Please contact the Parish Office for your prayer intentions

DAY	CHURCH	TIME	CELEBRATION or FEAST DAY/ MEMORIAL
Sat 20	StB	6pm	Vigil Mass of Seventh Sunday of Easter
Sun 21	CtK StB	9.30am 11am	Masses of Seventh Sunday of Easter <i>WORLD COMMUNICATION DAY—THE RIGHT USE OF MEDIA</i>
Mon 22			NO MASS
Tues 23	CtK	9.30am	Mass
Wed 24			NO MASS
Thur 25	CtK	9.30am	Mass
Fri 26	CtK StB	9.30am 7pm	Mass followed by the Divine chaplet HOLY HOUR
Sat 27	CtK	6pm	Vigil Mass of PENTECOST
Sun 28	StB	11am	PENTECOST



St Philip Neri

PENTECOST

Please note the mass times for the celebration of Pentecost

SECOND COLLECTION

Plymouth Secular Clergy Fund on the weekend of 27th/28th May.

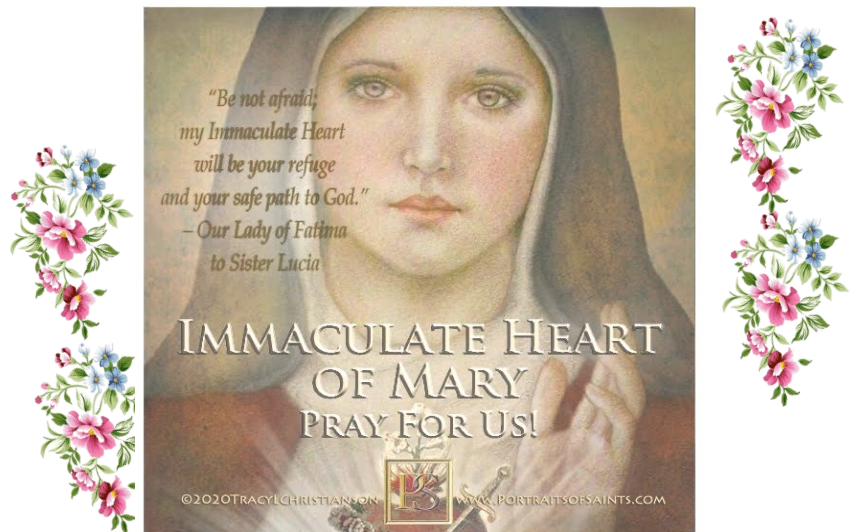
It is important that parishioners have an opportunity to contribute to the support of our retired and sick priests who have given years of service to our diocese and who will be known by many of our parishioners.

THANK YOU:

Although I couldn't attend the Coronation celebration held in the parish in honour of King Charles and Queen Camilla. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the team who organised the event which I heard was a great success. Thanks go to Jo Martin, Maria McKay, Di Barker, Madeleine and Gareth Hughes for all the meetings of preparation and to the many helpers who also made the day run so smoothly. Thank you all!

Sr Rosie

Member of the Parish Council



Returning to receiving the Chalice in our Holy Family Parish

The Bishops in England and Wales are encouraging the re-introduction of receiving the Precious Blood at Communion.



As there is a joint Sunday Mass at Christ the King for the Children's 1st Holy Communion on the 11th June, Fr Chacko would like to reintroduce Communion under both kinds into the Parish on the Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity, Sat 3rd and Sun 4th June.

It will be available for all who wish to receive communion under both kinds.

In preparation for this we ask all our Eucharistic Ministers to attend a meeting with Fr Chacko to refresh ourselves on how we minister the chalice.

There are two dates available.
Monday 29th May 7.30pm at CtK or
Tuesday 30th May 6.30pm at StB