



## NEWSLETTER

### SACRED HEART CHURCH

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SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY

28<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2017

#### MASS TIMES, INTENTIONS & SERVICES

##### MAY 2017

28 <sup>th</sup>	Sun	09.30	Ida FC Leitao
		16.00	Pro Populo <i>Malayalam Choir and others</i>
29 <sup>th</sup>	Mon	09.00	NO MASS
30 <sup>th</sup>	Tue	19.00	HOLY ROSARY
		19.30	Colin Green +
31 <sup>st</sup>	Wed		NO MASS

##### JUNE

1 <sup>st</sup>	Thu	18.30	EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION
		19.00	Liz FitzGibbons
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Fri	09.00	Theresa Rose +
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Sat	10.00	Margaret Crowe +
		10.30-11.00	CONFESSIONS
4 <sup>th</sup>	Sun		SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST
		9.30	Nicholas Cleary +
		16.00	Pro Populo

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR RECOVERING:** Minnie Rowse, Jean Collard, Pat Barfield, Dennis Thompson, Philomena Little, Sally Muhuta, Anna Ingelton, Ann Holden, Paddy Meridith, Michelle Iverson, Major Bartolome Giron, Vera Cooper, Bernadette Samworth, Natasha Anderson, Julio Arquimbau, Kate Surman, Steven Bradley, Johannes Baptista Klau, Bozena Pastuszka, Lucas Randall, Neville Melhado, Betty Duff, Noreen Mills, Christopher Owen King, Mary Healey, Charlie King, Andrew Pile and all who care for the sick.

**BAPTISM:** Jeremy Basilua Zimeuni, son of Jeremy Zimeuni & Beatrice Kasai: Today, 28<sup>th</sup> May at 1.30pm.

#### CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN ENGAGED RECENTLY

- Roshani Antonet Valentine & Sana Suntharamoorthy
- Gabriel Karegwa & Nancy Kiiru

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Claire Heafey

#### FINANCES:

- Offertory: £297.53
- Side Window Project: £84.34

**HALF & HALF** Please keep buying last minute tickets for the next draw which will take place today, 28<sup>th</sup> May.

**SECOND COLLECTION TODAY:** for Catholic Communications

#### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

- **TODAY 9.30AM:** L T Mwawa, P Doherty and M Barry. **4.00PM:** C Andrade and F Manansala
- **Next Week 9.30am:** M Emmerson, C Donovan and C Anrdade. **6.00pm:** D Augustine and E Manansala.

#### READERS

- **TODAY: 9.30AM:** S Busuulwa, C Wanja & KK **4.00PM:** J Kusumalayam, Ela Manansala & J Thomas
- **NEXT WEEK: 9.30AM:** K Abrigo, M Fermin and R Galindez. **6.00PM:** J Waine, R Breward and F Manansala

**SHRINE DAY SUNDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> MAY:** Welcome to Fr Pius Duniya who will be the main celebrant at the 4pm today. This will be followed by a Rosary procession to the Grotto. Children from this Year's communion please come dressed up in your Communion attire to lead the procession. Please bring a bunch of flowers for the crowning the Statue of the Blessed virgin Mary. After the crowning, there will be a series of Barbecues in the Church yard.

**COMMISSIONING OF READERS:** will be done at both Masses on Pentecost Sunday next week. Sally will be contacting individual readers to indicate what Mass they wish to be commissioned at.

**HOSPITALITY FOR PARISH HEALING MISSION:** 15<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> June. We still need more people to volunteer as welcomers on various days. Please sign up with Jenny Parker.

- Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June: Programme starts at 5.00pm
- Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June
  - 12.00 Lunch for 10 Team by **The English Community**
  - 7.45pm: Supper for 10 Team by **Timorese Community**
- Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> June
  - Lunch For 10 Team by **Malayalam Community**
  - 5.00pm: Supper for 10 Team by **African Community**
- Sunday, 18<sup>th</sup> June

Please pick a detailed programme from the porch as well as posters to advertise the Mission.

**HOLY SPIRIT SEMINAR:** Speaker Fr Philip Carroll Praise and prayer for the Holy Spirit Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2017 at 6.30pm Bl. Dominic Barberi RC Church Littlemore, OXFORD

**SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER DAY OF RECOLLECTION:** Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2017 at Elmthorpe Convent, Oxford Road, Cowley, OX4 2LF from 9.30am till 4pm. For details see poster in the porch.

**BANNS OF MARRIAGE:** I publish the banns of marriage between Jerome Ezekiel McKoy and Michalina Bruskiewicz on Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2017 at a parish in Poland. Both reside in Sacred Heart Parish. A serious obligation rests on everyone to reveal to me any known impediment to the proposed marriage. Therefore, if any of you know cause or just impediment why these persons should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, you are to declare it. This is for the third time of asking.