



St Hugh of Lincoln Catholic Church Parish Newsletter

Battle is o'er, hell's armies flee: raise we the cry of victory
with abounding joy resounding, alleluia, alleluia.

Simphonia Sirenum (1695) tr. R A Knox

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER - 15th May 2022

Greetings from America



"And you, rivers and seas, O bless the Lord.
And you, creatures of the sea, O bless the Lord.
And you, every bird in the sky, O bless the Lord.
And you, wild beasts and tame, O bless the Lord.
To him be highest glory and praise for ever."

This is part of the Canticle of Daniel 3:57-88,56. Do read the whole thing.

This hymn of praise invites all God's creatures to praise him,
much like in the manner of Psalms 136 and 148.

In Jesus, Mary and Joseph.....Fr Gerard

Gift Aid Envelope Boxes

If you use Gift Aid envelopes or donate using Standing Orders for your Offertory donations the statements for 2021/2022 will be available for collection after all Masses this weekend.

If you would like further information about how Gift Aid benefits the Parish by allowing it to claim an additional 25% from the Inland Revenue for your offertory donations, from the tax you pay, please come and see us after Mass as we distribute the envelopes. This is a very important income and in the last year was around £10,000 and goes to meet the day-to-day costs and ongoing maintenance of the estate.

Counters and Bankers

The Parish urgently needs volunteers to help with counting the cash received by the Parish during the previous week, training will be given but you must be happy with counting money. The Parish also needs volunteers to prepare the counted cash for banking which takes place at the Post Office in Knaphill, again training will be provided. If you feel you can assist with this important ministry for the Parish, please provide your details to the Parish Office.

Day of Prayer for Victims and Survivors of Abuse - Tuesday 17th May

The Pontifical Commission for the Protection of Minors (PCPM) has highlighted the importance of prayer and suggested to Pope Francis that the worldwide Catholic Church should join together in a day of prayer. The Holy Father has welcomed this initiative. From 2021 the Bishops have chosen Tuesday of the 5th Week of Easter as the Day of Prayer for Victims and Survivors of Abuse. There were two connected reasons for moving the Day of Prayer from Lent to Easter: this is not a penitential day for the failure of the Church and others to respond to the scourge of abuse, but a day of prayer for those who have been abused in a season of hope and new life.

The church will be open from 9.00am-8.00pm if you would like to pop in to pray.

A Prayer for Healing & Reconciliation

Praise to you Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the source of all consolation and hope.

Be the refuge and guardian of all, who suffer from abuse and violence.

Comfort them and send healing, for their wounds of the body, soul and spirit. Help us all and make us one with you in your love for justice as we deepen our respect for the dignity of every human life.

Giver of peace, make us one in celebrating your praise, both now and forever.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

"Jesus made the crowds welcome and talked to them about the kingdom of God; and he cured those who were in need of healing." cf. Matthew 4: 123

Helping Ukrainian Refugees

The Diocese continues to promote **CAFOD's Ukraine Appeal** to parishes and people wishing to give financially. You can give to CAFOD's Appeal [here](https://www.homesforukraine.org.uk). You can access **Reset's website** at: <https://www.homesforukraine.org.uk> with the site also available in Ukrainian.

You can find out more about the Government's **Homes for Ukraine** initiative [here](https://www.homesforukraine.org.uk).

To find out about the **Family Scheme Visa** click on [this link](https://www.homesforukraine.org.uk).

Prayers: We offer our prayers for the people of Ukraine, for their safety and also for the people in Russia and an end to this devastating conflict. Keep also in your prayers the housebound, those who are in the Hospice and for those who are suffering and we commend them all to our Blessed Mother.

Also, please remember in your prayers **Fr Dominic O'Hara**, who ministered in our parish a few years ago and who is currently very poorly.

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Growth in Prayer Weekend - Led by the House of Prayer

A silent individually guided retreat for busy people, those who have not made a retreat before, or for anyone who needs time away to stop, breathe, and pray. A retreat guide will be available for daily individual meetings to accompany you through the retreat. Above all, this retreat is a time of listening to God who is present in the experiences of prayer and daily living.

Arrive in time for supper at The House of Prayer, 35 Seymour Road, East Molesey
at 7pm on Friday, 20th May and leave by 4pm on Sunday on 22nd May. Cost: £180.

Discover the ASCENT, Tuesday 24th May, 7.30pm - 8.30pm.

theAscent provides fantastic opportunities for people in Years 10, 11 & 12 to grow in faith. Join us online to meet theAscent team, talk to participants, and find out what's involved.

To register [click here](#). To find out more [contact our Youth Adviser Lizzie](#).

Annual Grandparents' Pilgrimage, West Grinstead, Wednesday 8th June, 11am-3pm.

Join a day of sharing and prayer with other Grandparents, led by Bishop Richard. The itinerary includes Mass, Benediction, the Rosary, tours of the secret chapel, and opportunities to chat.

The day is free to attend, to sign up please click [here](#).

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE: The Pilgrimage Office has received several applications from Pilgrims who will require assistance to join this year's Lourdes Pilgrimage, but they are short of helpers. They are looking for helpers who are fit and well and able to support others. Subsidies are available to go towards them meeting the costs of the pilgrimage. It will be necessary to refuse some pilgrims who require assistance if there are not a significant number of fit helpers applying in the next few weeks, so please do apply if you can spare the time to help those in need. The Pilgrimage Office is happy to answer any questions anyone has prior to applying, 01403 740110, office@ablourdes.org.

Church Cleaners required: During Covid many of our cleaners decided to hang up their dusters having served the parish for many years. We are now seeking new teams to clean our Church on a rota basis, possibly every 5/6 weeks. For more info, please contact the Parish Office or Anne am.rushton@bopenworld.com asap as a new rota will be starting at the end of the month.

Jackpot Club

£50 and £24.50 went to Deirdre O'Donnell and Roger Furnell respectively on winning the April Jackpot Club Draw. Thank you both for supporting the parish by being members of the Jackpot Club. 50% of the monthly subscriptions goes towards the ongoing maintenance and running costs of the estate and the other 50% goes back to its members in monthly prizes. If you would like to join at an annual subscription of £12, please contact Anne am.rushton@bopenworld.com.

Dates for your Diary

Thursday 26th May is the Feast of The Ascension of the Lord - Holy Day of Obligation.

15th-16th June Corpus Christi Carpet of Flowers at Arundel Cathedral. To help please contact Louise in the Cathedral Office email: arundel@abdiocese.org.uk or Tel: 01903 882297.

Saturday 25th June St Hugh's Summer Fair.

Retiring Collection **This Sunday** is for The Missionary Endeavour of the Diocese (Gift Aid).

Mass Intentions: Mass Intentions available for the months of **June and July 2022** and can be booked via email to the Parish Office or telephone 01483 472404. Donations can be made by Envelope, the Dona button on the Parish Website or by payment into the Parish Bank Account.

MASS TIMES and INTENTIONS

Sunday Masses will be livestreamed and there will be no weekday Masses this week.

Saturday 14th May - *St Matthias, Apostle

6.00pm Vigil Mass The Gilbert Family

***SUNDAY 15TH MAY - *FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER* - YEAR C 2022**

8.00am Latin Mass (Extraordinary Form) People of the Parish

9.30am Holy Mass In thanksgiving for Baby Gilbert

11.30am Holy Mass Maria & Giovanni Massi RIP

Monday 16th May - *Monday after the Fifth Sunday of Easter

No Mass ****

Tuesday 17th May - *Tuesday after the Fifth Sunday of Easter

No Mass ****

Wednesday 18th May - *St John I, Pope, Martyr

No Mass ****

Thursday 19th May - *St Dunstan, Archbishop of Canterbury

No Mass ****

Friday 20th May - *St Bernerdine of Siena, Priest

No Mass ****

Saturday 21st May - *St Christopher Magallanes and his Companions, Martyrs of Mexico

6.00pm Vigil Mass Chris O'Riordan RIP (Anniversary)

***SUNDAY 22ND MAY - *SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER* - YEAR C 2022**

8.00am Latin Mass (Extraordinary Form) For the Private Intentions of Angelica

9.30am Holy Mass People of the Parish

11.30am Holy Mass Concetta & Antonio Natale RIP

Average Weekly Offertory Collections: Baskets - £303.51 Contactless - £134.00
and Standing Orders - £588.33, which were Gift Aided. Total £1025.84. Many thanks.



The month of May is dedicated to Our Lady

V. Queen of heaven, rejoice. Alleluia.

R. For He whom thou didst deserve to bear, Alleluia.

V. Hath risen as He said, Alleluia.

R. Pray for us to God, Alleluia.

V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, Alleluia.

R. Because Our Lord is truly risen, Alleluia. Let us pray

O God, who by the resurrection of Thy Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ,
hast vouchsafed to make glad the whole world, great,
we beseech Thee, that, through the intercession of the Virgin Mary,
His Mother, we may attain the joys of eternal life.

Through the same Christ Our Lord. Amen