

CORPUS CHRISTI and ST. ANNE'S

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Saturday 18th - Sunday 26th May, 2024

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18th Saturday 5.00pm Corpus Christi Ita Cox; Joan Fitzgerald Sunday 19th 9.00am St. Anne's Annie Upton; pro populo Masses of Many Tongues 11.00am Corpus Christi Bell family; Jodie Wilcock

both follow	ved by fo	od from around	the world! (SA in Jo	pachim Room; CC in school canteen)				
Monday	20th	Mary, Mother of the Church, no Mass sorry						
Tuesday	21th	6.00pm	Corpus Christi	Adoration & Benediction				
		7.00pm	Corpus Christi	Olaedo Uche; Emmanuel				
Wednesday	22nd	9.15am	Corpus Christi	Paul & Daniel				
		6.00pm	Corpus Christi	Reception of Bernardino Caputo				
Thursday 23rd Feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ, the Eternal High Priest				HRIST, THE ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST				
		9.10am	St Anne's schoo	Irena & Alex Koncevicious				
		12.15pm	Corpus Christi	Funeral Mass of Bernardino Caputo				
		5.00pm	St Anne's	Reception of Debbie Payton				
Friday	24th	10.00am	St Anne's	Funeral Mass of Debbie Payton				
		6.00pm	St Anne's	Rosary and Adoration				
Saturday	25th	9.30am	St Anne's	Terry Reyes				
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THE MOST HOLY TRINITY B2								
Saturday	25th	5.00pm	Corpus Christi	Bernadette Boswell; James Dudley				
Sunday	26th	9.00am	St. Anne's	Christina & Kazimir; Nicola Brown; people of the parish				
		11.00am	Corpus Christi	Kath McNamara; Holy Souls				

Second Collections This weekend

Community centre/ Parish Debt

Next Weekend

Community centre/ Parish Debt

Extraordinary Ministers and Readers

Pentecost

5pm Marie Anne Bowell; Caroline Ward. 9am Mateusz Dabrosz & Obose: Jocelvn Gallen. 11am Emmanuel Malize; Maria Bloodworth.

Most Holy Trinity

5pm Pat Timmons; Julie Martin. 9am Stella Atansi; Sandhya Mathew. 11am Gerard McAleese; Chukwudi Malize.

PENTECOST

Responsorial Psalm

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

Gospel Acclamation Alleluia, Alleluia, alleluia!

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

Alleluia, Alleluia, alleluia!

<u>Financial</u>	<u>Matters</u>
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	Corpus Christi	St Anne's
First Collection	6442.50	6424 70
Gift-Aided (+SOs)	£443.50	£131.79
Non Gift-Aided	<u>£194.58</u>	<u>£100.54</u>
Total	£638.08	£231.33

Second Collection

Catholic Communications £280.61 £120.60

Thank you!

CC Pledges £8,600 (of £8,600)

CC fund-raising £7,112 (of £15,000)

SA fund-raising £3,091 (of £8,000)

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak

Today is the birthday of the Church. Today is the reason Jesus became one of us, died for us, rose again and ascended into heaven. All this so that he could send us his Holy Spirit. God himself. We're familiar with the Father being God. We're familiar with Jesus being God. And we know the Holy Spirit is God too. But perhaps we don't quite get that. When we receive the Holy Spirit, we receive God himself. And he changes us. Every breath we take, consenting to the Holy Spirit in us, we are changed; changed by the power that makes God who he is - the uncreated power of the Holy Spirit. it doesn't get bigger or better than this! We are filled with peace, joy, love, kindness, gentleness, modesty and self-control. And when we are filled with these, we can't help but begin to speak. Let's enjoy the renewal within us as persons, families and parish - and let's share our beauty with each other.

Safequarding: The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safequarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Caroline Ward, Pat Timmons & Rosaria Petrucci. They can be contacted at: sg.ccandstanne.covty@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240/ safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.

Dear Parishioners,

Stewart and Ezilda had a lovely Goan wedding on Wednesday - very spiritual. I loved the traditions they have that link their new home with the parish - really making us a family of families.

I think our children were able to do their best in SATS this week - they're certainly glad they're over! And GCSEs are plodding on.

PENTECOST: MASSES OF MANY TONGUES Really looking forward to this Sunday's Masses of Many Tongues - a true celebration of our diversity united by truth and the Holy Spirit. Please pray for Jodie Wilcock, who will be Confirmed at the 11am Mass. Please do stop after our Sunday Masses to appreciate the food provided.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION Confessions this Thursday, 23rd May, 3.30-4.30pm at St Anne's; or 6-7pm at Corpus Christi. Then the big weekend 1st/2nd June. Exciting times! Please pray for our children, most of whom have their pictures on the church wall now.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION 3PM Sunday 2nd June - the last day of half-term. As usual, we start at St Anne's, at 3pm and walk to Corpus Christi church. We've shortened the walk again, so it won't take more than 45 minutes. If you can't do that walk, please consider coming to Corpus Christi for, say 3.40pm, to join us in Benediction and food afterwards. The First Holy Communion children will lead the procession, in their posh clothes from the day before, including 5 'flower strewers'.

SACRED HEART CENTENARY MASS: Sunday 9th June, 2pm Mass - you're welcome to celebrate with our twins! But you do need to book to come for the celebrations in school afterwards. Please see Sacred Heart newsletter on our notice board for more details, or https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/sacred-heart-100th-anniversary-celebration-tickets 893644253017?aff=oddtdtcr Tickets are £5 for over 12s, free for under 12s.

Music at Sunday Masses Just had a great meeting at St Anne's regarding music. We need to start using Bluetooth and YouTube more, we think, and widen our repertoire - but gradually. We're also going to start having a weekly practice for St Anne's choir, 7pm Mondays. All welcome - even if it's just for a stress-free try. At **Corpus Christi**, if you can play an instrument, sing a bit, or just have some enthusiasm, please come to the meeting next **Sat, 25th May, 11am**, in the Tuite Room at church.

Corpus Christi Community Centre We had a good grants/refurbishment committee meeting on Wednesday. Slow but sure start being made on centre. We've had some more good news about grants, and I was able to bank £50,000 from the Benefact Trust this week. Thank them very much! We will need volunteers to help with the labour - all the help and expertise you need will be provided: just need some generosity and muscle! Deacon Keith will be talking to us at Corpus Christi after Masses 8th/9th June to explain what is needed. Do keep inviting people to the GoFundMe page (web address and QR code at bottom of page) - lots of friends of parishioners are talking about it, less are donating. And maybe those who offered to help run the big raffle need to meet up? Important info for those who made pledges: Not all the money pledged to grant bodies will be needed for this use now. However, we are still short of money, so are you happy for your money to simply become a donation to the parish, if it isn't needed as a pledge? There's absolutely no problem if you want the pledge money back though - and no question will be asked if you do - just let me know, and its yours.

SILVER JUBILEE It's my 25th anniversary of priesthood on Wednesday 19th June. I'd like to celebrate it with you and with all the school children. So, we are having a Mass, hopefully outdoors, at 11am, followed by a bite to eat in a marque. You won't be surprised to know that I find it a bit difficult to organise, so if you're interested in helping, please come to a meeting that I won't be at, on **Thursday 30th May, 7pm in the Tuite Room**. If you can't make that, maybe ring up Mary in the parish office this Thursday or Friday, 10.15am - 2pm. As well as that, has anyone got a van we could use Tuesday18th, and say Thursday20th June?

Parish finance meeting Wed 22nd May, 7pm, CC presbytery.

Thanks for your response to request for help with Foodbank. More still needed.

Please continue to keep our GCSE and A level young people in your prayers.

Yours in the Holy Spirit,

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HOLY SPIRIT PRAYER

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and enkindle in us the fire of your love.

Send forth your Spirit, Lord, and we shall be created, and you will renew the face of the earth.

O God, who has taught the hearts of the faithful, by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant that by the gifts of the same Spirit, we may be always truly wise

and ever rejoice in his consolation.
Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

https://gofund.me/3083ba97

