



# NEWSLETTER

## Seventh Sunday of Easter

### WE REMEMBER ALL THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY,

Margaret Pearson

### TOGETHER WITH THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME,

Dorothy Sweeney, Thomas O'Neil, Sean Holmes, Stephen Pooley, Cyril Williams, Philippa Smith, Elinor Dollins, Dora Scott, Sr. Chris Lawler, Patrick O'Loughlin, Adolf Labane, Phoebe Pannell, James Innis, Henry Woodcock, Jeremiah O'Shea, Romaine James, Pauline Matthews, Mary Howell, Carlos Walsh, John Dagg, Julie Corneill, Michael Marshall, William Callery, Molly Keay

### AND THOSE WHO ARE SICK & HOUSEBOUND:

Louise Gosney, Mary Hutchings, Margaritha Gibson, Anne King, Graham King, Nora Corcoran,

Fr Peter Marden, Hazel Grimoldby, Joy Bellekom, Sylvia Richardson, Jan Rimmer, Mavis Parsons, Marie Mackay, Trevor Nelson, Richard Fairfax, Roger Dore, Florencia Duga, Sandra Jones, Christopher Browne, Monica Spalding, Eveleen O'Farrell, Jane Tolfree, Angela Roberts, Ann Young, Carmel Allan, Christopher Browne, Sean Carroll, Martin Connolly, John Fleming, Bernadette Fiddaman, Joseph Hughes, Imogen Jenkins, Deacon Trevor Jones, Paul Jones, Riza Carol Khan, Monica Macauley, Esther Page, Lochlan Quinlan, Jane Randall, Sr Raymond SSJA, Michael Sigsworth, Vic Smith, Norman Surridge, era Terry, Andrew Walker & Mary Wallace.

### MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sat	20 <sup>th</sup>	5:30pm	St John Fisher	Seventh Sunday of Easter	People of the Parishes
Sun	21 <sup>st</sup>	8:00am	St George's	Seventh Sunday of Easter	John Priest RIP
Sun	21 <sup>st</sup>	9:15am	St George's	Seventh Sunday of Easter	Maria Mateus RIP
Sun	21 <sup>st</sup>	11:00am	St Teresa's	Seventh Sunday of Easter	Tommy O'Brien RIP
Mon	22 <sup>nd</sup>	9:30am	St George's	Weekday of Easter	Terry Hart RIP
Tues	23 <sup>rd</sup>	9:30am	St George's	Weekday of Easter	Glorianita & Manuel Demegillo
Wed	24 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am	St George's	Memorial of St Aldhelm	Charlie Duff RIP
Thurs	25 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am	St John Fisher	Memorial of St Bede	People of the Parishes
Thurs	25 <sup>h</sup>	12:30pm	St George's	Memorial of St Bede	Carlos Walsh RIP
Fri	26 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	St Teresa's	Memorial of St Philip Neri	Mary and Nicholas Ring RIP
Sat	27 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am	St George's	Feast of St Augustine	Frances Gall
Sat	27 <sup>th</sup>	5:30pm	St John Fisher	Seventh Sunday of Easter	People of the Parishes
<b>Sat</b>	<b>27<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>St George's</b>	<b>Pentecost Vigil Mass</b>	<b>Mary and John Farrell RIP</b>
Sun	28 <sup>th</sup>	8:00am	St George's	Seventh Sunday of Easter	Anthony Penn RIP
Sun	28 <sup>th</sup>	9:15am	St George's	Seventh Sunday of Easter	Knox and Bradley RIP
Sun	28 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am	St Teresa's	Seventh Sunday of Easter	Francie Sullivan

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Wiveliscombe, Taunton TA4 2LT

## THIS WEEK'S MESSAGE

Mar Joseph Srampickal, the Bishop of the Syro-Malabar Eparchy of Great Britain, is coming to St George's this Sunday afternoon to celebrate First Communion in the Syro-Malabar rite. This is a wonderful opportunity to pray for him, for Fr Rajesh and for the members of the Syro-Malabar rite. In the Latin rite parish we are also having First Communion beginning this Sunday and continuing over the next few weeks. Please do keep all the children making their first communion as well as their families in your prayers.

## FATHER TOM DUBOIS

### NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

**ROSARY:** We will have Rosary every Saturday at 9am during the month of May.

**PRAYER GROUP:** The charismatic prayer group invites all parishioners to an evening of prayer, praise and worship on 24th May 7:15 to 8:30pm in St. Georges Centre in preparation for Pentecost. Come and be blessed!

**PENTECOST VIGIL MASS:** We will be celebrating a special Pentecost Vigil Mass at St George's at 7pm on Saturday 27th May

**WOMEN'S PENTECOST RETREAT DAY:** We are holding a special retreat day for women in preparation for Pentecost on Saturday 27th May, beginning with Mass at St George's at 9:30am. A timetable for the day is available in all of our churches.

**ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL ACTION:** Bishop Declan has invited us to reflect on how we listen to the cry of the Earth and the cry of the Poor. In response we're setting up a group to develop and coordinate environmental and social action in our parishes. The first meeting is **this Friday**, 26 May at 2pm in St George's Rectory. If you'd be interested in joining the group but can't make the meeting, or you would like to contribute ideas, please contact the parish office.

### **ST TERESA'S Come and Celebrate Pentecost**

**Sunday 28th May** Bring and share a snack after Mass. We will provide drinks and some biscuits but if you would like to bring something else to share please do.

### NOTICES

**DIOCESAN PRAYER LINK:** Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul, Clifton, Bristol.

**Standing Orders: 14/05/23**

St George's: £1632 St Teresa's: £172

**Offertory Collection: 14/5/23**

St George's: Bi-weekly St Teresa's: £253.55

**PENTECOST SUNDAY (28th May)** Bidding Prayers at St Teresa's 11am Mass – We would like to invite parishioners from around the world to read a bidding prayer in their native language. If you are interested in reading, please let me know as soon as possible. Tina Stone 07769770912

**COME FOLLOW ME:** This Eastertide we continue in Clifton Diocese to pray for vocations to the priesthood for our own diocese. To help foster your prayers, please visit

[www.cliffondiocese.com/vocations](http://www.cliffondiocese.com/vocations).

**SUMMER CAMP FOR TEENAGERS:** We are running a parish summer retreat for teenagers from 21- 26 August. We have hired the beautiful 14th century farmhouse at Micklepage in Sussex. The week will include a mixture of sports options, times of prayer, a visit to Worth Abbey and the Shrine of West Grinstead. For information & booking please see our parish website.

#### CONFESSION TIMES

At St George's: Sat 10am-10:30am; Thurs 12 noon -12:30pm

At St Teresa's: Fri 9:30am -10am At St John Fisher:

Saturdays 5pm-5:25pm

#### ADORATION TIMES

At St George's: Daily 6:30am-7:30am; Wed 6:30am-9:30am;

Thurs 12 -12:25pm; Fri 5:00am - midnight; Saturdays 10am-11am

(Children's Holy hour); At St John Fisher: Wed 3pm-7pm; Thurs

10am-12pm

#### PRAYER GROUPS

At St Richards: Midday Thursdays

**Charismatic Prayer Group:** Wed 7:15pm-8:30pm in St George's Centre

**Mother's Prayer Group:** Every other Thurs 8-10pm St George's Centre

**Ignatian Prayer group:** Thurs 1pm-2:15pm in St George's Centre: June 8th and 29th and the 13th and 27th July -all welcome.