

SIXTH WEEK OF EASTER

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER, 25 May <i>Preacher: Fr Nicolas Stebbing, CR</i> <i>Messa Solennelle – Vierge</i> <i>O Salutaris - Laloux</i>	9am Low Mass at <i>St Mary's</i> 9.30am SUNG MASS at <i>St Barnabas</i> 11am HIGH MASS at <i>St Mary's</i> 6pm Solemn Evensong & Benediction at <i>St Mary's</i> 7pm Low Mass at <i>St Mary's</i>
Monday 26 May <i>St Philip of Neri, Pr (Bank Holiday)</i>	11.30am Low Mass
Tuesday 27 May <i>St Augustine of Canterbury, B</i>	7.45am Morning Prayer 8am Low Mass 6pm Evening Prayer 6.30pm Low Mass
Wednesday 28 May <i>St Lanfranc, B</i> <i>Eve of the Ascension of the Lord</i>	7.45am Morning Prayer 8am Low Mass 12.45pm Low Mass at <i>St Barnabas</i> 6pm Evening Prayer 6.30pm Low Mass
Thursday 29 May ASCENSION OF THE LORD <i>Preacher: The Vicar</i> <i>Missa Ascendens Christus in Altum- Victoria</i> <i>Ascendens Christus in Altum - Victoria</i>	7.45am Morning Prayer 8am Low Mass 12.45pm Low Mass at <i>St Barnabas</i> 6pm Evening Prayer 7pm HIGH MASS
Friday 30 May <i>Feria</i> <i>The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	7.45am Morning Prayer 8am Low Mass 6pm Evening Prayer I 6.30pm Low Mass
Saturday 31 May <i>The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	10.30am Morning Prayer 11am Rosary 11.30am Low Mass 12.05 pm Confession
SUNDAY AFTER THE ASCENSION, 1 June <i>Preacher: Fr Alexander McGregor</i> FEAST OF TITLE <i>Preacher: The Vicar</i> <i>Missa O Rex Glorae - Lobo</i> <i>Ave Maria - Lobo</i>	9am Low Mass at <i>St Mary's</i> 9.30am SUNG MASS at <i>St Barnabas</i> 11am HIGH MASS OF THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY at <i>St Mary's</i> 6pm Solemn Evensong & Benediction at <i>St Mary's</i> 7pm Low Mass at <i>St Mary's</i>
FORTHCOMING FEAST DAYS AND EVENTS	
Sun 8 June: PENTECOST: Parish lunch followed by Evensong and Benediction at 3pm	
Wed 11 June: ST BARNABAS' ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION AND FEAST OF TITLE: 7pm Sung Mass	
Thurs 19 June: CORPUS CHRISTI: 7pm High Mass at <i>St Barnabas</i>	
Sun 22 June: TRINITY 1: 6pm CORPUS CHRISTI FESTAL EVENSONG, Procession and Benediction at <i>St Mary's</i>	
Sun 29 June: SS PETER & PAUL, APP.: Home Produce Sale after High Mass	
Sat 5 July: 11 am HIGH MASS OF REQUIEM FOR FOUNDERS AND BENEFACTORS followed by a light lunch	
Sun 6 July: ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH: 11am High Mass Procession of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Solemn Benediction.	
<i>The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession): after 12 noon on Saturdays or by appointment</i>	

Parish Priest and Vicar : **Fr David Cherry**

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FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

25 May 2014

Welcome to *St Mary's*, especially if you are visiting us for the first time.
Please join us next door in the Presbytery for drinks after High Mass.



PRAYER BEFORE MASS

Come, O Spirit of God, and make within us your dwelling place and home. May our darkness be dispelled by your light, and our troubles calmed by your peace, may all evil be redeemed by your love, all pain transformed through the suffering of Christ, and all dying glorified in his risen life.

THE NOTICES

- ❖ **National Pilgrimage to the Shine of Our Lady of Walsingham** tomorrow Bank Holiday Monday 26th May. A few seats still available for £25. Departure at 7am from *St Mary's*. Speak to Fr David if you wish to join the group.
- ❖ Tickets are now available for the Pentecost **Parish Lunch** on Sunday 8th June from Cynthia Butterworth at £18 per person. cynthiabutterworth@btinternet.com
- ❖ **Foliage stripping** at 12 noon on Sat 21 June in preparation for Corpus Christi Festival. Please let Michelle Gurney know if you can help on 07734 272019. michelle.gurney@sap.com
- ❖ **Celebration of Pentecost.** Churches Together in Westminster. Sunday 8 June at 5pm Grosvenor Chapel, 24 South Audley Street, W1K 2PA followed by refreshments. All welcome.
- ❖ **The Reading Group** meets on the first Tuesday of each month. Next meeting is on 3 June in the Presbytery, 7-9pm. Contact Amanda Wright amanda@londonarttherapy.com
- ❖ Our Organ Scholar, Christopher Woodward, will give an **organ recital** in *St Mary's* this Thursday 29 May at **10am**.
- ❖ To receive **Ave**, *St Mary's* weekly email newsletter, please complete a pink slip or contact Sally Rivlin in the parish office – admin@stmarysbourne.com.

THE INTERCESSIONS : *Of your charity please pray for the sick.*

Please continue to leave the names of the sick on the list at the entrance to church.

Copies of the full list are available at the back of church and in the porch.

Recently Departed: Gailene Stock, Deborah Lady Berkeley, Margaret Laird, Karl Hudson Phillips, James Teeling-Smith

Anniversaries of death: Sun 25: Alison Nisbet | Tues 27: Harry Coles | Sat 31: Doris Burman

Holy Communion is not only about our redemption, it is about our creation. It is about an immense and glorious debt that we can never repay: the debt to our Creator for our very being. God has called us into being because he wants our company, and redemption would make no sense if it were not the same creative longing for our company that was involved, the creating and transforming Spirit of God calling us once again into life because of that eternal 'desire' for our company – not a divine need that we are summoned into existence to satisfy, but an overwhelming divine generosity that seeks to share itself more and more with what is other. In everything we say about Holy Communion, we are talking about the work of the Holy Spirit...At the central moment, we pray the prayer of Jesus: we say, 'Our Father...'

Roman Williams, *Being Christian*, SPCK 2014

HYMN 105

Christ the Lord is risen again

INTROIT *Vocem jucunditatis*

Isaiah 48 & Psalm 66

With a voice of singing declare ye this, and let it be heard: alleluia; utter it even unto the ends of the earth: 'the Lord hath delivered his people': alleluia. O be joyful in God, all ye lands, sing praises unto the honour of his Name, make his praise to be glorious.

COLLECT

O Lord, from whom all good things do come, grant to us thy humble servants: that by thy holy inspiration we may think those things that be good, and by thy merciful guiding may perform the same.

FIRST READING

Joel 2. 21 - 26

Fear not, O land; be glad and rejoice: for the Lord will do great things. Be not afraid, ye beasts of the field: for the pastures of the wilderness do spring, for the tree beareth her fruit, the fig tree and the vine do yield their strength. Be glad then, ye children of Zion, and rejoice in the Lord your God: for he hath given you the former rain moderately, and he will cause to come down for you the rain, the former rain, and the latter rain in the first month. And the floors shall be full of wheat, and the vats shall overflow with wine and oil. And I will restore to you the years that the locust hath eaten, the cankerworm, and the caterpillar, and the palmerworm, my great army which I sent among you. And ye shall eat in plenty, and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, that hath dealt wondrously with you: and my people shall never be ashamed.

ALLELUIA I *Surrexit Christus*

Now hath Christ arisen, and hath shewed us light, whom he hath redeemed with his Blood.

EPISTLE

St James 1. 22 - 27

Dearly beloved: Be ye doers of the Word, and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves. For if any be a hearer of the Word, and not a doer: he is like unto a man beholding his natural face in a glass: for he beholdeth himself, and goeth his way, and straightway forgetteth what manner of man he was. But whoso looketh into the perfect law of liberty, and continueth therein, he being not a forgetful hearer, but a doer of the work, this man shall be blessed in his deed. If any man among you seem to be religious, and bridleth not his tongue, but deceiveth his own heart, this man's religion is vain. Pure religion, and undefiled before God and the Father, is this: To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world

ALLELUIA II *Exivi a Patre*

St John 16

I came forth from the Father, and am come into the world: again, I leave the world, and go to the Father.

GOSPEL

St John 16.23b - 33

At that time: Jesus said unto his disciples: 'Verily verily, I say unto you: Whatsoever ye shall ask the Father in my Name, he will give it you. Hitherto have ye asked nothing in my Name: ask, and ye shall receive, that your joy may be full. These things have I spoken unto you in proverbs. The time cometh, when I shall no more speak unto you in proverbs, but I shall

shew you plainly of the Father. At that day ye shall ask in my Name: and I say not unto you, that I will pray the Father for you: for the Father himself loveth you, because ye have loved me, and have believed, that I came out from God. I came forth from the Father, and am come into the world: again, I leave the world, and go to the Father.' His disciples said unto him: 'Lo, now speakest thou plainly, and speakest no proverb. Now are we sure, that thou knowest all things, and needest not that any man should ask thee: by this we believe, that thou camest forth from God.' Jesus answered them: 'Do ye now believe? Behold, the hour cometh, yea, is now come, that ye shall be scattered, every man to his own, and shall leave me alone: and yet I am not alone, because the Father is with me. These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world.

SERMON

Fr Nicolas Stebbing, CR

OFFERTORY MOTET

Charles Marie Widor, 1844-1937

Tantum ergo sacramentum veneremur cernui, et antiquum documentum novo cedat ritui; praestet fides supplementum sensuum defectui. 6. Genitori Genitoque laus et iubilatio, salus, honor, virtus quoque sit et benedictio; procedenti ab utroque compar sit laudatio. Amen.

Therefore so great a Sacrament let us fall down and worship; and let the old law give way to a new rite; and let faith stand forward to make good the defects of sense. To the Father and the Son be praise and joy, health, honour and virtue and blessing. And to him proceeding from both be equal praise. Amen.

HYMN 351

Come ye faithful, raise the anthem

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

We beseech thee, O Lord, to accept the prayers and oblations of thy faithful people: that through this observance of our bounden devotion we may attain to the glory of thy heavenly kingdom.

COMMUNION

Psalm 96

O sing unto the Lord: alleluia; O sing unto the Lord, and bless ye his holy Name: tell forth his salvation even from one day unto another: alleluia, alleluia.

COMMUNION MOTET *O Salutaris*

Fernand Laloux, 1901-1970

O salutaris hostia quae caeli pandis ostium, bella premunt hostilia: da robur, fer auxilium Uni trinoque Domino sit sempiterna gloria, qui vitam sine termino nobis donet in patria. *O saving victim who opens the gate of heaven, hostile wars press on us: give strength, bring aid. To the Lord, three in one, be everlasting glory, for life without end he gives us in (his) Kingdom.*

POSTCOMMUNION

Grant, we beseech thee, O Lord: that we, whom thou hast fulfilled with the bounty of thy heavenly banquet, may evermore desire those things that are according to thy will and effectually obtain all things that we desire.

VOLUNTARY *Finale from Symphony no 6, op 42*

Charles Marie Widor, 1844-1937