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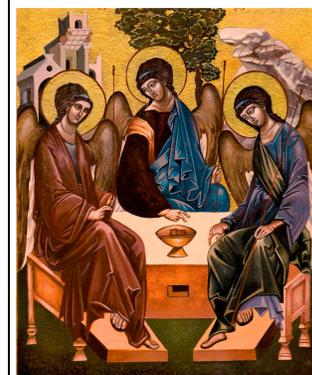
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DATE  
**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2024**

SUNDAY  
**Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity**

DIVINE OFFICE  
**Week 4**

**Live-stream: All of our services are now Live-streamed.**

Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup> May 1 <sup>st</sup> Mass of Sunday	6:00pm	Anthony Vincent Rollason RIP (M&DH)
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> May Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity	9:30am	George & Edna Lander (HA)
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> May St. Augustine of Canterbury Bishop Feast	9:15am	Tomas Daly RIP (6th Anniversary) (D&VD)
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> May Feria	9:15am	Bill Baxendale RIP (Birthday Anniversary) (MO'L)
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> May Dedication of the Church Solemnity		No Services Today
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> May Feria	7:00pm	Private Intention
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> May Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Feast	9:15am	Mary Petrie RIP (KW)
Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> June St. Justin Martyr Memorial (1 <sup>st</sup> Mass of Sunday)	9:30am 10-11am 6:00pm	Janet Reeves RIP (JR) <i>Exposition, Confessions &amp; Benediction</i> People of the Parish
Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ	9:30am	Francis Patton RIP (Patton Family)

## Pope Francis

The Spirit guides us, enlightens us, and strengthens us. He helps us walk through life, even amid adversity and difficulty, in joy and sorrow, while remaining on Jesus' path.

### The CaFOD Prayer



### Trinity Sunday

Glory be to the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, the God who was, who is and who is to come!

## Sunday Coffee Mornings

Every Sunday, after the 9:30am Mass, we have our weekly coffee morning in the Parish Meeting Room. We'd love to see you there.

## Recently Deceased

Of your charity please pray for the repose of the souls of **Lisa Paterson, Martin Hoskisson, James Golden, Sr. Ann-Marie Eden, Mary Finucane & Roy Dempsey** on whose souls Sweet Jesus have mercy. May they rest in peace.

Martin Hoskisson will be received into Church at **4:30pm** on **Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June**. His Requiem Mass will be celebrate at **11:30am** on **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June** prior to cremation at Streetly Crematorium.

## Craft & Natter

Craft & Natter will be closed on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> May for Half Term, returning on 4<sup>th</sup> June from 11am to 3pm. As usual everyone is welcome to come for an hour, a morning or an afternoon, just remember to bring your lunch, 50p per session for refreshments and any supplies needed. For more information call Christine 07900 604902.

## Pope's Prayer Intention

The Pope's prayer intention for May is:- **For the formation of religious and seminarians**. We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.

## Sick in the Parish

Pray for the sick in the parish, remembering especially:

**Jean Watson, Yvonne Turner, Tony Meehan, Marian Mathews, Marie Wilson, Ian Phipps, Oscar Wordsworth, Nichola Woodhall, Paul Corbett, Carmel Fekete, Lynn Stanley, John Green, Roy Allsopp, Janet Chambers, Jo Hawker, Alison Welton, Louise Morgan, Margaret Davis, Joe Bannister, Margaret Healy, Juliet Woodhall, Luke Smith, Catherine Shepherd, Jim Smith, David Goodwin, Antonio Bigongiari, Olivia (Dotty) Cutler, Ann & Keith Allford, Anna Morgan <sup>née</sup> Meehan, Holly Brady, Jo Cooke, Anne Humphreys, Theresa Chandler, Fr. Paul Chamberlain, Cath Breen, Max Lewis, David & Sheila Piggott, Clare Cooksey & Áine McDonagh.**

Please remember also in your prayers those who carry the burden of their illnesses privately and those who care for them, that the Lord may grant them His healing and peace.

## Corpus Christi Procession

Next Sunday, **2<sup>nd</sup> June**, we have our annual Corpus Christi procession from the church to the Primary School. Please do come along to join in this wonderful witness to our faith. Even if you come to Mass on Saturday evening, come along at about 10:15am on Sunday.

## Safeguarding Notice

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Mr. Gerry Wintrip. Gerry can be contacted at: [sg.smota.aldridge@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:sg.smota.aldridge@rcaob.org.uk) or the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted at [safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk) or on 0121 230 6240 if you have any concerns.

## Date for your Diary

On **Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July** we will hold our annual Garden Party. Please save the date of this important social event, at which there will be Strawberries and Cream, and remember to come along. There will be a sign –up sheet in the porch shortly.

## CaFOD Pudding Sale

Our 'Fathers Day' pudding sale will now be held on **Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June** after the morning Mass. We will need donations of cakes and pudding on this day please. Remember also to come along to support this event.

## Stella Maris (Apostleship of the Sea)

Catholic maritime charity Stella Maris is very grateful for this parish's prayer and financial support of its work on Sea Sunday last year. To report back on the use of those funds, it invites parishioners to join an online update and thank you webinar on **Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> May** from **7:30pm** to **9:00pm**. You will hear about the impact of your generosity on the lives of seafarers, fishers, and their families over the last year. Its CEO and chaplains will share inspiring stories of how they have helped seafarers and fishers through your support. To register for this virtual event, please visit: [www.stellamaris.org.uk/thankyou2024](http://www.stellamaris.org.uk/thankyou2024)



## Children's Liturgy of the **Word**

Children's Liturgy takes place every Sunday at the 9:30am Mass. At the start of Mass the children will be invited to go out to the Meeting Room for their liturgy. All children are welcome to come along.

## Holy Name Primary School – 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of School Opening

Holy Name Catholic Primary School is 70 years old this year! To commemorate this milestone, on **Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June**, there will be a special celebration of Mass at **12:30pm** in Holy Name church followed by an 'open house' where the school building will be open for past pupils, parents, and staff to visit and take a look around.

Our summer fair is also taking place on this date – everyone is welcome to join us.

If you have any photographs, memorabilia or items of interest from the school to share or lend to us to display as part of our celebration, then please speak to Mrs Potter in the school office: 0121 357 3216 or email us:

[headteacher@holynamesandwell.sch.uk](mailto:headteacher@holynamesandwell.sch.uk)

## Congratulations



We offer our prayers and our congratulations to **Hugo Daniel & Violet Victoria W-C** who were Baptised here last weekend. We pray also for their parents and godparents as they take on the responsibility of raising them in the practice of the faith.

### Sacrament of the Sick

Please remember to inform Fr. Craig **directly** in case of sickness, especially if it requires hospital treatment or a prolonged absence from Mass. If you cannot inform the clergy yourself it is then your family who should take on this responsibility.

### Baptism Enquiries

If you would like to have your child Baptised here at St. Mary of the Angels, please visit the 'Baptismal Enquiry' page of the parish website using the following link: <https://www.catholicaldridge.co.uk/baptismal-enquiries.html> Here you can complete a '**Baptism Enquiry Form**'. The next available dates for Baptism Preparation is:

**7pm Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June**

**7pm Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September**

### Collections:

**Last Weekend's Offertory: £272.00**

**Weekly Standing Orders: £920.00**

### **PARISH DUTIES THIS WEEKEND: 25<sup>TH</sup> /26<sup>TH</sup> May 2024**

<b>6:00PM VIGIL MASS</b>	<b>READERS:</b>	Gerry W & Cathy S
<b>9:30AM SUNG MASS</b>	<b>MUSIC:</b>	Choir
	<b>READERS:</b>	Martin B & Catherine A

### **Duties During the Week: 27<sup>TH</sup> MAY – 1<sup>ST</sup> June 2024**

<b>CLEANERS:</b>	Team B
<b>FLOWERS:</b>	Ann T

### **PARISH DUTIES NEXT WEEKEND: 1<sup>ST</sup> /2<sup>ND</sup> June 2024**

<b>6:00PM VIGIL MASS</b>	<b>WELCOMERS:</b>	Ann & John T
	<b>WARDENS:</b>	Peter H
	<b>READERS:</b>	John H & Brian L
<b>9:30AM SUNG MASS</b>	<b>MUSIC:</b>	Folk Group
	<b>WELCOMERS:</b>	Jonathan & Jenson G
	<b>WARDENS:</b>	John O'N & Elaine A
	<b>READERS:</b>	Alice G & Christine L
<b>COFFEE:</b>	Helen C, Karen & Brian L	

**And finally:-** Today we contemplate the Most Holy Trinity as Jesus introduced us to it. He reveals to us that God is love "not in the oneness of a single Person, but in the Trinity of one substance". He is the creator and merciful Father; he is the Only-Begotten Son, eternal Wisdom incarnate, who died and rose for us; he is the Holy Spirit who moves all things, cosmos and history, toward their final, full recapitulation. Three Persons who are one God because the Father is love, the Son is love, the Spirit is love. God is wholly and only love, the purest, infinite and eternal love. He does not live in splendid solitude but rather is an inexhaustible source of life that is ceaselessly given and communicated. To a certain extent we can perceive this by observing both the macro-universe: our earth, the plants, the stars, the galaxies; and the micro-universe: cells, atoms, elementary particles. The "name" of the Blessed Trinity is, in a certain sense, imprinted upon all things because all that exists, down to the last particle, is in relation; in this way we catch a glimpse of God as relationship and ultimately, Creator of love. (Benedict XVI)

*May God bless you all, Fr. Craig*