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**7th Sunday of Easter – 20th/21st MAY 2023 – YEAR A**

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Saturday 20th May	5-00PM	Holloway and Bradley families deceased	7th Sunday of Easter
Sunday 21st	8-30AM 11-00AM	People of the Parish Intentions of Isaac Okonedo (birthday)	
Monday 22nd	NO MASS	NO MASS	
Tuesday 23rd	<b>10-00AM</b>	Gordon Mills (recently deceased)	
Wednesday 24th	9-00AM	Intentions of Sophie Mercieca	
Thursday 25th	9-00AM	Jenny Duffy (recently deceased)	St Bede
Friday 26th	9-00AM 7-00PM	Intentions of Orwerekogba Okonedo Holy Souls	St Philip Neri
Saturday 27th	10-00AM 5-00PM	Maureen Flatley Intentions of Coyne family	St Augustine of Canterbury
Sunday 28th	8-30AM 11-00AM	People of the Parish Leda Whelan	Solemnity of Pentecost

**PRAYERS AND READING FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 275 OF THE MASS BOOK**

**The 2nd Collection this weekend will be for Catholic Communications.**

**CONFESSIONS** – Saturday 10-30am – 11am. Also, confession is available after any Mass.

**GROWING IN FAITH LENT BIBLE STUDY** – Wednesdays 10am in the Assisi room.

**DIVINE MERCY** – After Mass on Thursday **ROSARY** – 6.35pm on Friday.

**ADORATION** – After Saturday 10am Mass and Wednesday 8-30am

**LITTLE SAINTS CHILDREN'S LITURGY** – At Saturday 5pm Mass.

**CHURCH OPENING** – Fridays 8-30am – 4pm on Fridays. Thank you everyone who signs up to welcome each week. Please can we ask for more volunteers to help please.

**RECENTLY DEPARTED** – Adam Kubinski.

**SYNODAL PATHWAY PROGRESS MEETING** – Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May, 7pm in the parish centre. All welcome.

**MAY SCRIPTURE REFLECTIONS** – is now available on the Parish website. A small number of copies also available in the porch.

**MAY IS THE MONTH OF MARY** – Anyone who wishes to bring flowers for Mary, please leave them in the bucket in the porch.

**MAY PRAYER INTENTIONS** – Pope's Intentions for May. We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelisation each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world. Parish intentions: We pray for the intentions of those travelling to Walsingham and Lourdes.

**GIFT AID DECLARATIONS AND STANDING ORDER FORMS** – the Archdiocese have produced gift aid declaration and standing order forms for new members. If you are a taxpayer and would like to gift aid your donations (at no extra cost) please pick up a leaflet, complete and return FAO Sarah Price in the Parish office. Thank you.

**JUNE BIBLE ALIVE** on sale – why not try it? Special promotion - £1 each.

**SENIOR LUNCHEON CLUB** – Thank you to Elaine, Pam and team for preparing, cooking and serving lunch last weekend. The next lunch will be on Wednesday 21st June. To book a place please contact Elaine on 07941 833026 by Monday 19 June.

**YOUTH GROUP** – Next meets on Tuesday 6th June - 6-30pm – 8-30pm in the Parish Centre.

**GOING INTO HOSPITAL** – It is important that you notify the parish if you or a member of your family are admitted into hospital; For admissions to Russell's Hall, please notify Deacon Tom - 07415 211098 For admissions to other hospitals, please notify Fr Philip - 01384 395308

**ST JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL** have a small number of spaces available for Reception class September 2023. Anyone interested should either contact the school office on [info\\_stjosephs@emmausmac.com](mailto:info_stjosephs@emmausmac.com) or Dudley Admissions directly on [admissions.cs@dudley.gov.uk](mailto:admissions.cs@dudley.gov.uk) They also have a vacancy for a Lunchtime Supervisor, please contact the school office for more details.

**FOODBANK DONATIONS SHORTAGES** We are open on Tuesday, 12:30pm -3:00pm and Friday 10-00am – 12-30pm. Please drop your donations to the back door of the parish centre. Thank you for your continued support.

**LIVE SIMPLY THEME FOR MAY:** Be water wise! Water conservation is vital for reducing the stress of our growing population on the Earth's natural resources. Save water by taking shorter showers, fixing leaks and storing rainwater for gardening.

**OLAS FILM CLUB** the return. To recommence our Parish Film Club, we will be showing Wednesday May 31st at 1.30pm - The Stephen Spielberg's 2021 remake of WEST SIDE STORY, so come along to see all the magnificent dancing and those famous songs like 'America - Somewhere - Maria and many more.

**CHURCHES TOGETHER IN STOURBRIDGE** – LOVE STOURBRIDGE 22nd July 2023 – We are looking for volunteers to help with various events during the day - Car Parking/stewards/children's work/Activity zone/ site up and pack down. They are also looking to borrow Gazebo's for the event. If you can help, please contact the parish office and we can pass on your details. An Information Stand will also display details of groups that meet in our Churches, if you would like to advertise your group. Please send details to Sara – [sarasarjeant@chawnhillchurch.org.uk](mailto:sarasarjeant@chawnhillchurch.org.uk)

**BECOMING A WELCOMING CHURCH** - At Father Hudson's we know that so much already happens in parish communities, doing what they can to welcome the refugee, help the homeless, support those living with dementia, and valuing the contribution to parish liturgical and community life of those who experience disability. We want to encourage the social mission of the Church by sharing our own experience in these areas of need, and the experience of parishioners from around the Diocese, to foster the great work in parishes. You can join in our third online evening meeting, on Monday 22nd May, from 7.30 to 8.30 p.m. The session is on 'Disability'; there is no charge, simply email [fundraising@fatherhudsons.org.uk](mailto:fundraising@fatherhudsons.org.uk) to register and a link will be sent.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR MAY 400 CLUB WINNERS.**

£75 John Lewis, Sadie Murphy, Jo Tringham, Debbie Faux-Conduit

£25 Mrs E New, Vincent Sachell, Geoff Gibbons, Kathryn Sargent

£10 Maurice Fitzgerald, Kathy Leach, Kath England, Rosie McNally, Mr & Mrs Osborne, A Durkin, Margaret Glynn, Mr & Mrs O'Brien, Paul Croydon, Lou Gardiner, Mrs A Finn, T P McDonald, G Evers, Malcolm Oakes, M Lodge, T Gormley.

Please can Martine McFadden, contact the Parish Office to arrange collection of her winnings from our 400 Club.

**HARVINGTON HALL FESTIVAL OF HISTORY** 25th-30th July 2023 – The main festival comprises 16 top historians, broadcasters and Authors and includes one concert. The main topic is life in Elizabethan England with reference to Roman Catholic persecution. There are some leaflets at the back of church, but further details are on the hall web site at [harvingtonhall.co.uk](http://harvingtonhall.co.uk)

