



Parish of Holy Rosary

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5th Sunday of Easter 15th May 2022

First reading Acts 14:21-27

Paul and Barnabas went back through Lystra and Iconium to Antioch. They put fresh heart into the disciples, encouraging them to persevere in the faith. 'We all have to experience many hardships' they said 'before we enter the kingdom of God.' In each of these churches they appointed elders, and with prayer and fasting they commended them to the Lord in whom they had come to believe.

They passed through Pisidia and reached Pamphylia. Then after proclaiming the word at Perga they went down to Attalia and from there sailed for Antioch, where they had originally been commended to the grace of God for the work they had now completed.

On their arrival they assembled the church and gave an account of all that God had done with them, and how he had opened the door of faith to the pagans.

Psalm

Psalm 144(145):8-13a

The Lord is kind and full of compassion,
slow to anger, abounding in love.
How good is the Lord to all,
compassionate to all his creatures.

All your creatures shall thank you, O Lord,
and your friends shall repeat their blessing.
They shall speak of the glory of your reign
and declare your might, O God,
to make known to men your mighty deeds
and the glorious splendour of your reign.

Yours is an everlasting kingdom;
your rule lasts from age to age.

Reading

Apocalypse 21:1-5

I, John, saw a new heaven and a new earth; the first heaven and the first earth had disappeared now, and there was no longer any sea. I saw the holy city, and the new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, as beautiful as a bride all dressed for her husband. Then I heard a loud voice call from the throne, 'You see this city? Here God lives among men. He will make his home among them; they shall be his people, and he will be their God; his name is God-with-them. He will wipe away all tears from their eyes; there will be no more death, and no more mourning or sadness. The world of the past has gone.'

Then the One sitting on the throne spoke: 'Now I am making the whole of creation new.'

Alleluia, alleluia!

I give you a new commandment:
love one another just as I have loved you,
says the Lord.

Alleluia!

Gospel

John 13:31-33,34-35

When Judas had gone Jesus said:

'Now has the Son of Man been glorified,
and in him God has been glorified.

If God has been glorified in him,

God will in turn glorify him in himself,

and will glorify him very soon.

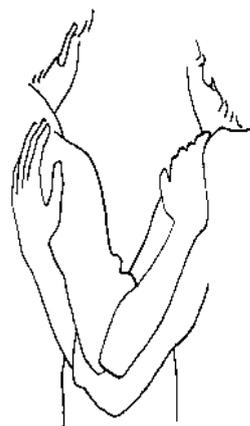
'My little children,

I shall not be with you much longer.

I give you a new commandment: love one another;

just as I have loved you, you also must love one another.

By this love you have for one another, everyone will know that you are my disciples.'



Mass times + intentions

Sat 14th May	6.00pm	Mary Baxter
Sun 15th May Easter 5	9.00am 10.30am	Cheryl Fitzsimmons Kate Long
Mon 16th May	9.10am	Maureen Fairchild
Tues 17th May	9.10am	Denise Pritchard
Weds 18th May	11.30am 12 noon	<i>Confessions</i> Elaine Bingham
Thurs 19th May	9.10am 10.00am	Larry Broderick Masie Mitchell Nicola Marie Poynor <i>May Procession</i>
Fri 20th May	9.10am	Christine Routledge
Sat 21st May	6.00pm	Joan Johnson Carol Bennett
Sun 22nd May Easter 6	9.00am 10.30am	Parishioners Arthur Gogerty

Deanery Synodal Council: One of the clear directives from our Synod was for the church to embed synodality (listening, discerning, transparency and the voice of the Spirit speaking through everyone) in every aspect of Diocesan life. At Deanery level we will be establishing a Deanery Synodal Council (DSC). Each parish will have a representative. This group will meet for the first time before the summer. The Dean has been asked to appoint a chair for the initial 12 months. Claire Scott has been appointed. Alan Stokes (one of our parish council) has offered to be our parish representative.

Parish Council: The Council members are: Jo Baines, Pauline Crabtree, Collette Price, Maureen O'Brien, Tony Barker, John Short, Alan Stokes, Mike Parker.

Would you like to get the PD Bulletin directly? Or keep up with Archdiocesan Pastoral Department Events? Be amongst the first to hear by joining the PD News WhatsApp Group. This will be for sending information and keeping in touch. You can also email PD@rcaol.org.uk to join the email mailing list.

Tuesday 17 May 2022 marks the Day of Prayer for Victims and Survivors of Abuse.

Prayer for Healing and Reconciliation
Praise to you Father of our Lord Jesus Christ the source of all consolation and hope. Be the refuge and guardian of all who suffer from abuse and violence. Comfort them and send healing for their wounds of the body, soul and spirit. Help us all and make us one with you in your love for justice as we deepen our respect for the dignity of every human life. Giver of peace, make us one in celebrating your praise, both now and forever. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Thank you from Mission. During 2021 Holy Rosary raised £4,019.45 through our Red Boxes. Thank you. Our missionary community here at Holy Rosary is part of a worldwide network of people supporting missionaries through prayer and financial aid. If you would like to be part of Mission please contact Gerry (526 4493) or: gerry.mccusker@blueyonder.co.uk

Church Heating: In order to try to make it more effective we have had a new pump fitted - hopefully this will mean it works better (and cheaper!). Thank you for the donation of £100 towards the web cam from one of our virtual parishioners - who came on the parish holiday - not virtually, but physically!

Thank you to Fr John for celebrating the Masses this weekend.

Thank you for the collection last weekend for the **priests training fund** of £243.40

Foodshare. Can you help with cereals, pasta sauce, tomatoes. Thank you.

Pope Francis **prayer intention for May:** Please pray for young Catholics to be courageous in their response to God's call.

Back car park and gates: will be open before the Sat evening Mass and 10.30am Mass on Sun.

May Procession: On Thursday May 19th we will be having a May Procession. It will start from HR School at 10.00am and walk down Oriel Drive, to Sedbergh Ave then to Church at about 10.20. There will be a short service in church and a crowning of Our Lady. All welcome.

1st Communion cards (50p) and gifts are available at a great price from the church. Please support our Piety Shop.

Woodlands Trust: We have received a grant of 15 trees! These will be planted around our grounds in November.

Jubilee Celebrations: On Sun 5th June at 12 noon we will be having a big celebration lunch to mark the jubilee of the Queen. PLEASE bring a bottle or two (of anything) to Mass with you next weekend.

PRAYING THE PARISH:

THIS WEEK WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO LIVE IN DENSTONE AVENUE AND TONBRIDGE DRIVE