



Sixth Sunday of Easter

Sunday Masses		
Sat	6.00pm	St Joseph's
Sun	9.15 am	St Andrew's
	11.00am	St Andrew's
Weekday Masses this week		
Tuesday	10.00am	St Andrew's
Thursday	6.00pm	St Joseph's
	6.00pm	St Joseph's



9th May 2010

Thanks to those who organised the St Andrew's & St Joseph's parish picnic last Sunday and to those who took part. Despite the weather, nearly 50 people attended. Considering the weather, this was a wonderful turnout and we all had a great time. Our thanks go to Hampshire Collegiate School for providing us with the facilities on the day. We had lunch in the dining room which was nice and warm, then people decamped to the sports hall for some football, basketball and a very competitive game of French cricket. Let's pray for better weather for this event next year.

Christian Aid Week, 9-15th May. Collectors are urgently needed to cover the streets that have been allocated to the Catholic community. If you can help with the collection in North Baddesley please contact Ann Heslop (023 8073 4429), or if you can help in Romsey ring Arthur Roberts (01794 516593).

Youth Masses. If there are any young people who would like to be involved in the next youth Mass in June, please contact either Maryanne Steele (mary-anne.steele@talk21.com) or Jenny de Sausmarez (jennydes@tiscali.co.uk)

Quiet City, an evening of classical music, Friday 14th May, 7.30pm in St Michael's Church, Below Bar, Southampton. No tickets or set entry fee but donations to Christian Aid.

Be afraid; be very afraid! Come on a ghost walk around Southampton, starting 7pm on Tuesday 22nd June. Cost £2.50 per person. Maximum number allowed is 25 so get your name on the list! To book a place, please contact Rosemary at the Parish Office as soon as possible.

God Squad. Please do not forget the meeting this Sunday, 9th May, 6-8pm at Holy Cross Parish Centre. Topic will be, Young and Catholic – an Opportunity to Explore this More. God Squad has been formed by the post confirmation youth of our pastoral area for all youth aged 15 and above. Please come along if you are 15 or over. Pizza will form part of the evening!

Has anyone lost a pair of glasses? A pair was left in St Joseph's Church several weeks ago. It is now in the Parish Office waiting to be claimed.

Events at Wisdom House; Wednesday 12th & Thursday 20th May, **Gardeners Retreat Days;** spend a day in the gardens planting and helping to create a haven of peace and beauty (Free --- includes times for reflection and prayer; refreshments through the day and lunch). Saturday 22nd May, **Jung and Prayer**, led by Mary Dunn. £15 to include a light lunch. Thursday 17th June, **Living under Occupation: Witnessing Reality;** an evening with Miranda Pinch who spent 3 months in the Occupied Territories working as an ecumenical accompanier. Free but donations to the work of the Ecumenical Accompaniment Programme in Palestine & Israel will be most welcome.

Pilgrimage to Lourdes. Don't forget the invitation from Fr John, Fr Michael, Fr George and the Bishop to join them on this pilgrimage 20-27th August. Speak to Father George for further information.

The Feast of the Ascension has been transferred to Sunday 16th May.

Second Collection next weekend, 15th & 16th May, for World Communications.

Inside every older person is a younger person wondering what happened.

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Year C 6th Sunday of Easter *Acts 15:1-2.22-29 Apocalypse 21:10-14.22-23 John 14:23-29*
Page 138 in Parish Mass books Love one another.

6th Week of Easter **Sunday 9th to Saturday 15th May 2010** **Psalter Week 2**

Please pray for Anne Bird, recovering from surgery.
Mass Intentions: Sat 8th May 6pm, John Lapage (anniversary); Sun 9th May 11am, Teresa McCourt (ill); Tues 11th May 10am, Philomena Fernandez (anniversary); Sat 15th May 6pm, Hugh Peters (anniversary).
Anniversaries: Hugh Peters (1988); Geoffrey Burton-Ellis (1997); May Madden (1995); Marjorie Massey (2006); Geoffrey Acroyd (1964); Winifred Moody (1970); James White (1980); Felix Donnelly (1987); George Porst (1982); Kathleen Keene (2000). **R.I.P.**

SCRIPTURE EACH DAY		EVENTS AND MEETINGS
The Spirit of truth will be my witness <i>Acts 16:11-15</i> <i>John 15:26-16:4</i>	Mon	
The Advocate will show the world how wrong it was <i>Acts 16:22-34</i> <i>John 16:5-11</i>	Tues	Mass: 10am St Andrew's & 6pm St Joseph's Meditation, 2.15pm, contact Pat on 01794 512006 Rosary, 7.30pm, Marie Louise House Oratory
The Spirit will lead you to the complete truth <i>Acts 17:15.22-18:1</i> <i>John 16:12-15</i>	Wed	CaFE 12.30pm, Parish Centre, Romsey
We are Christ's people and share the salvation he won. <i>Acts 18:1-8</i> <i>John 16:16-20</i>	Thur	Mass: 6pm St Joseph's Church
Feast of St Matthias <i>Acts 1:15-17.20-26</i> <i>John 15:9-17</i>	Fri	10am, Word with Communion Liturgy, St Andrew Holy Hour, 7.30-8.30pm, St Andrew's Church
Lord, help us to grow in your love <i>Acts 18:23-28</i> <i>John 16:23-28</i>	Sat	Mass: 6pm St Joseph's Church

Response to the Psalm: Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.
Gospel acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Jesus said: "If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him". Alleluia!
Communion Antiphon: If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord. The Father will send you the Holy Spirit, to be with you for ever, alleluia!

Weekend 15th / 16th May 2010

Preparing for 15/16 May	Cleaning at St A's: Una at St J's: Anne & Peter Hooper	Flower at St A's: Carmel McNamara	Flowers at St J's Simone Hughes, B Crowther
	Ministers of Communion	Readers	Welcomers
St Joseph's 6pm	David & Emily Kenyon	John Speirs, Jean Prescott	Elizabeth Lapage, Sue Watkins
St Andrew's 9.15am	Janet James	M & Claire Lund Yates	Lesley Foster
St Andrew's 11am	Charles Crampin	Anne Hooper, Marie Johnson	Tony & Catherine Porter

HELPING HANDS -- Don't feel alone during a crisis -- RING ANGELA on 01794 340403 -- **HELPING HANDS**
Last weekend's collection for the parish: Gift Aid £1270, non Gift Aid £196
for the Clergy Training Fund: Gift Aid £244, non Gift Aid £87. Thank you.
Items for the newsletter to be submitted by 10am on Thursdays, please.

