

SUNDAY BULLETIN

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, 12 MAY 2019

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Ask + Invite + Pray

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

12 MAY 2019

MASS TIMES	Sacred Heart	Saint Joseph's		Mass Intention
<i>Saturday for Sunday</i>				
4 th SUNDAY OF EASTER 12 May <i>World Day of Prayer for Vocations</i>	9.00am 9.30am	11.00am 11.30am	Confessions Solemn Mass Confessions Solemn Mass	Alfred Coles John Patrick & Dorothy Gray
Monday 13 May Our Lady of Fatima	9.30am		Holy Mass	
Tuesday 14 May St Matthias, Apostle	9.30am		Holy Mass	George Owen
Wednesday 15 May Easter Feria	9.30am	6.00pm 7.00pm	Holy Mass Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament Holy Mass	George Owen Pro Populo
Thursday 16 May Easter Feria	9.30am 11.30am		Holy Mass Requiem Mass Carol Ann Willett	
Friday 17 May Easter Feria	9.30am 10.00am- 11.00am		Holy Mass Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament	Alfred Coles
Saturday 18 May Easter Feria	---			
FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 19 May	9.00am 9.30am 11.30am	11.00am 11.30am	Confessions Solemn Mass Solemn Mass of Confirmation Confessions Solemn Mass	Pro Populo Confirmandi and their families Fr Gabriel Polo FI

Next Sunday, 19 May, in addition to the usual two Sunday Masses at the Sacred Heart and at St Joseph's there will be Mass at the Sacred Heart at 11.30am at which Bishop David McGough will confer the Sacrament of Confirmation on the young people from our two parishes. Parishioners are invited to come and support our young people on this special at this Mass. Please pray for our Confirmandi and their families.

Sacred Heart Altar Servers are requested to assist at the 11.30am Solemn Mass rather than at the 9.30 if at all possible.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED – *May they rest in peace* Carol Ann Willett, Frances Green

**Confessions
Sacred Heart**

Sundays 9.00am – 9.20am
Saint Joseph's
Sundays 11.00am – 11.20am

PRAYER A DAY FOR VOCATIONS

The list for May is in the porch. Please volunteer to pray for vocations on behalf of the parish on one day during the month.

HOLY BAPTISM

There will be a preparation meeting for parents who wish their child to be baptized on Monday 13 May 6.00pm in the Sacred Heart Crypt. Please contact the parish office if you are planning to attend. Parents are asked to bring their own certificates of Baptism to the meeting.

**HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER
INTENTION FOR MAY**

That the Church in Africa, through the commitment of its members, may be the seed of unity among her peoples and a sign of hope for this continent.

ST JOSEPH'S OPEN AFTERNOON

Thank you once again to the faithful group who helped with the open afternoon yesterday. We are committed to making sure that our church can be open once a month for visitors.

**OFFERTORY and FUNDRAISING
The Sacred Heart**

Gift aid £158.85 non gift aid £233.72
Total £391.57
200 club winner no. 32 Please consider whether you could support the 200 club (£1 per week) or the Potto Lotto to help with our fundraising for the parish.

St Joseph's

Gift aid £170.00 non gift aid £120.78
Total £290.78
Next Sunday, 19 May, there will be a raffle in support of the Restoration and Development Fund. The areas of flat roof over the side aisles need replacing so we need to do some serious fundraising in the coming months.

**Second Collection this weekend for
the Clergy Training Fund**

PARISH DIARY 2019

May 13	Baptism Preparation meeting Sacred Heart Crypt 6.00pm
May 19	11.30am Sacrament of Confirmation at the Sacred Heart
May 23	Crypt Project celebration Mass and blessing of new Crypt 7.00pm Chief celebrant Bishop David McGough
May 25	Wedding of Emma Ellerton & Christopher Emery 2pm
May 30	SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD Holyday of Obligation
June 21	Sacred Heart Day of Prayer & Adoration for Vocations

WELCOME

We welcome the family and friends of Emilia Sue Weir who will receive Holy Baptism at St Joseph's today.

CONGRATULATIONS

To the family of Jonah Alfie Burton baptized last Sunday, and to all our young people who received the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time yesterday.

CELEBRATION MASS & BLESSING OF THE CRYPT

Bishop David had kindly agreed to visit the Sacred Heart to celebrate a Mass to mark the opening of the Crypt and to bless our new meeting space. This will take place on Thursday 23 May at 7.00pm. The Crypt renovations are of great importance for the work of the Gospel here in Tunstall, both for parish activities and to help us to serve the local community. It would be wonderful to have many parishioners present to celebrate this achievement, to thank those whose hard work has made it possible and to pray that this facility will be blessed for the work of God's Kingdom. The Union of Catholic Mothers will be providing refreshments after the service.

PILGRIMAGE TO OUR LADY OF STONE

Saturday 25th May at St Dominic's Convent, 21 Station Road, Stone, ST15 8EN.
10.30am Arrivals and Coffee
11.00am Talk by Fr Dominc White OP
2.00pm Rosary Procession
3.15pm Vigil Mass for Sunday
Please bring your own picnic lunch, tea and coffee provided. Please note there is no parking on site. Further information from St Julie 0788 150 5425

FCJ VOCATIONS DISCERNMENT WEEKEND

24- 26 May 2019 weekend of input, prayer, reflection and discussion looking at vocation, discernment and the vocation to religious life, for women in their 20s and 30s. There is nothing quite like religious life – it's an extraordinary adventure into a deep relationship with God. If you are wondering if God is calling you to religious life and would like to find out more, why not come along? Faithful Companions of Jesus, Liverpool, to reserve a place contact lynnefcj@hotmail.com

THE REGINA CAELI will be sung after Holy Mass during Eastertide:

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R E-gína cae-li * lætá-re, alle-lú-ia: Qui- a quem me-
ru- ísti portá-re, alle-lú-ia: Re-surré-xit, sic-ut di-xit,
alle-lú-ia: O-ra pro no-bis De- um, alle-lú- ia.