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SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER - Year A (MAY 10, 2026)

Entrance Antiphon: **Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be heard;
proclaim to the ends of the earth;
The Lord has freed his people, alleluia.**

Response to the Psalm: **Cry out with joy to God, all the earth.**

Gospel Acclamation: **If anyone loves me, he will keep my word,
says the Lord, and my Father will love him,
and we will come to him.**

Communion Antiphon: **If you love me, keep my commandments,
says the Lord, and I will ask the Father
and he will send you another Paraclete,
to abide with you for ever, alleluia.**

SUNDAY MASS TIMES
6.00pm (Sat) 8.00am, 9.30am, 11.00am

CONFESSIONS
Saturday: 9.30am – 10am and 5pm - 5.30pm

THIS WEEK'S MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

10th SATURDAY(SUN) 06.00pm Mass – Joao Gonsalves (Birthday – Intention)
08.00am Mass - Antonio Fernandes (RIP)
09.30am Mass – William Coker (RIP)
11.00am Mass – For Children receiving First Holy Communion

11th MONDAY **NO Mass – Adoration until 11am**
12th TUESDAY 09.00am Mass – Augusto Fernandes (Anniversary)
13th WEDNESDAY 09.00am Mass – Chris, Solzisia, Irus (RIP)
14th THURSDAY **FEAST OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD**
09.00am Mass - Oswin Rebelo (Intention)
06.00pm Mass - Conceicao & Joe Libano (Thanksgiving)
15th FRIDAY 09.00am Mass – Marilyn D’Cruz (Birthday - Intention)
16th SATURDAY 09.00am Mass – Ubaldo Francesco De Sousa (Birthday - Intention)

NEXT SUNDAY MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS (MAY 17, 2026)

17th SATURDAY(SUN) 06.00pm Mass – Blosz Goncalves (Birthday – Intention)
08.00am Mass - Mackenzie Fernandes (Birthday Intention)
09.30am Mass – Joan & Joysanna (Thanksgiving)
11.00am Mass – First Holy Communion children

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS all those who are sick especially: Peter Hazel, Anna Tickner, Peadar Heffron, Sheila Hughes, Christopher and Cath Brown, Julia Harrison, Lena Watson, Cheryl Dawson, Louise Stacey, Irena Fliska, John Ruck, Emmanuella Ruck, Elizabeth McGill, Andrew McCarthy, Gill Young, Peggy Notley, Andrew Stacey, Pat Fox, Nellie Blake, Tommy Fox

DAY OF OBLIGATION: Thursday this week May 14th is Ascension day and is a holy day of obligation. Mass at St Marys is at 9am and 6pm.

HIRING OF CHAIRS: Chairs on hire contact Deacon Elias on 07833 746001. All Proceeds to Church Extension.

AWAKENING led by AFCM (Anointing Fire Catholic Ministry Birmingham, UK) will be coming to St Marys this Sunday 10th May starting with rosary from 2.30 - 6pm, followed by praise and worship, preaching of Word of God, adoration, healing service and counselling and confessions.

CANON DAVID RYAN'S Golden Jubilee of Ordination

Canon David Ryan is inviting any former parishioners to join him in celebration of his Golden Jubilee of Ordination on Saturday 18th July for Mass at 11am with Bishop Bosco at St Gregory the Great Church, Cheltenham - followed by refreshments in the parish hall.

He writes 'Throughout my 50 years of service in the Diocese of Clifton I have been blessed with loving support from the parishes to whom I have been appointed. I look forward, in joy, to join with all who are able to come and celebrate with me on my Golden Jubilee, and will remember in prayer those who are unable to attend on the day. With my blessing, Canon David Ryan.'

If you are able to attend please reply to Mandy Baker by 18th May at mandybaker@live.co.uk

MARRIAGE SUPPORT: From relationships that are 'Just in a Rut', needing some refreshment or more serious issues - If you are open to try again – Retrouvaille could be the solution. We have helped thousands of couples get their relationship back on track as they rediscovered hope and trust in the marriage. Contact:: www.retrouvaille.org.uk +44 797 338 0443.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP: will meet here in St Marys' on 30th May after 9am Mass followed by Adoration, Praise & Worship, Word of God & Anointing Service.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: over 100 of our Children will receive First Communion, starting on 9th May. Please keep them in your prayer.

CONFIRMATION: Bishop Bosco is coming to our Parish during the last week of May to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation. 66 of our young people will be confirmed this month. Please keep them in your prayer.

VENERATION OF RELICS OF ST GERARD OF MAJELLA on 3rd June at 6pm and there will also be Mass at 7pm here in St Marys Church, organised by Fr Royston. All are welcome

CHANGE OF ADDRESS: If you have changed your address since registering as a parishioner, you are now able to amend your entry yourself through the Parish website.

On the home page, scroll down to 'Parishioner Registration' and follow the link. Please select 'Change of Address' (there is no need to re-register).

MISSIO: The **MISSIO Red Boxes** Please collect your Missio box from the Sacristy. New donors, if you need a box please email dsilvariva@rediffmail.com.

MASS INTENTIONS: The first Mass intention will be printed in the Newsletter. The other Mass Intentions shall be prayed for and the names will be read on the requested day but will be offered somewhere else. Please put your Mass intention in the envelope and add your phone number and drop in the box provided at the back of the Church two weeks in advance. **Please do not use the card machine for Mass intentions.**

READERS ROTA: Those who wish to read on week days please contact Maria D'Mello on 07840079474 one month in advance. Please check rota on notice board for your turn to read.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION last Sunday came to £1628.05.

And Collection towards **Church Extension** came to £513. Many thanks for your generosity.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA: The Parish statue of our Lady of Fatima is available for people to take to their home for prayer and for special occasions. For booking contact: **Natasha Vas** on Mobile 07720982226 after 4.30pm until 8pm.