



# Corpus Christi Newsletter

## The Ascension of the Lord

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### Times of Masses and Services

15th – 23rd May 2010

- Saturday** 6.30 pm **People of the Parish**  
**Sunday** 9.30 am **Mary Ann & Joseph Brady**  
11.30 am **Maura Martin (RIP)**  
**Monday** 10.00 am **Eucharistic Service**  
(in Convent)  
**Tuesday** 7.30 pm **Agnes Minton (RIP)**  
**Wednesday** 10.00 am **Sonny Reilly (RIP)**  
**Thursday** 10.00 am **Nancy Routridge (RIP)**  
**Friday** 10.00 am **Pat & June Toman**  
(GE) In the Convent  
**Saturday** 10.00 am **Holy Souls**  
6.30 pm **Bridie Ridding (RIP)**  
**Sunday** 9.30 am **Margaret & John Morris (RIP)**  
11.30 am **Rosemary Langley (RIP)**

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday - 10.30 - 11.00 am  
6.00— 6.15 pm

### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday 7.00 - 7.30 pm  
Saturday 10.30 - 11.00 am

Rosary Friday - 10.30 am

### Seven Day Prayer Intentions this week

Sacred Heart - the Little Sisters of the Poor  
Our Lady - Children preparing for Confirmation  
St Anthony - Catechists of the parish

### Collections

Gift Aid £139.00  
First Collection £370.76  
Second Collection £236.75

### Second Collection

The Second collection this week will be for the Little Sisters of the Poor. The collection next week will be for the Papal Visitation.

### Holy Days this week

Wednesday - St Dunstan

School Jubilee There will be a Mass of Thanksgiving offered on July 9th at 7 pm, following this there will be a reception in the Social Centre. Tickets will be on sale this weekend at £2.

First Holy Communion Congratulations to all the children who celebrated their First Holy Communion last Sunday. Please keep them in your prayers.

Special Days of Prayer The Bishops have called for a time of deep prayer of reparation and atonement. They write "We invite Catholics in England and Wales to make the four Fridays in May 2010 special days of prayer. Even when we are lost for words, we can place ourselves in silent prayer. We invite Catholics on these days to come before the Blessed Sacrament in our parishes to pray to God for healing, forgiveness, and a renewed dedication. We pray for all who have suffered abuse; for those who have mishandled these matters and added to the suffering of those affected. From this prayer we do not exclude those who have committed these sins of abuse. They have a journey of repentance and atonement to make." We will have Exposition until midday each of these Fridays. The time of pray will follow the Mass and begin with the Rosary.

CAFOD CAFOD have sent the following e-mail to all parishes: " Thank you from CAFOD for your generous donations to help people after the earthquake in Haiti. We were overwhelmed when our supporters in England and Wales raised more than £4.7 million for CAFOD's appeal. Now, more than three months later, our partners have provided 1.5 million people with emergency food, 100,000 people with tents or tarpaulin, 2,000 children living in camps with trauma counselling and 350,000 people with health care. Haiti is a place in need, but it is not a desperate place . People are living and working together as best they can. We will stand alongside the people of Haiti for years to come, helping them to rebuild their lives. Your support really does make the world of difference.

Seminar on the Sacred Priesthood This will be held at St John Vianney on 23rd May (Pentecost Sunday) beginning at 2.00 pm and concluding at 5.00 pm. All are welcome to attend

Papal Visit Please pray for the success of Pope Benedict's visit to the UK. He will be beatifying Cardinal Newman at Coventry Airport on September 19th. questions that are particularly relevant to us as Christians. You can submit questions prior to the meeting.

Maryvale Institute The pilgrimage afternoon to the shrine of the Sacred Heart of Jesus will take place on Sunday 13th June at 3 pm. There will be an open air Mass and Procession of the Blessed Sacrament in honour of the Sacred Heart. All welcome