

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

*The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world
and that which contains all things
understands what is said, alleluia.*

Or

*The love of God has been poured into our hearts
through the Spirit of God dwelling within us, alleluia.*

COLLECT

O God, who by the mystery of today's great feast sanctify your whole Church in every people and nation, pour out, we pray, the gifts of the Holy Spirit across the face of the earth and, with the divine grace that was at work when the Gospel was first proclaimed, fill now once more the hearts of believers. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

FIRST READING Acts 2:1-11

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

When Pentecost day came round, the apostles had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech.

Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. "Surely", they said, "all these men speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites; people from Mesopotamia, Judaea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome – Jews and proselytes alike – Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God."

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM Psalm 103

RESPONSE: *Send forth your Spirit, O Lord,
and renew the face of the earth.*

Or **Alleluia!**

1. Bless the Lord, my soul!
Lord God, how great you are.
How many are your works, O Lord!
The earth is full of your riches. **R.**
2. You take back your spirit, they die,
returning to the dust from which they came.
You send forth your spirit, they are created;
and you renew the face of the earth. **R.**
3. May the glory of the Lord last for ever!
May the Lord rejoice in his works!
May my thoughts be pleasing to him.
I find my joy in the Lord. **R.**

SECOND READING 1 Corinthians 12:3-7. 12-13

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians.

No one can say, "Jesus is Lord" unless he is under the influence of the Holy Spirit.

There is a variety of gifts but always the same Spirit; there are all sorts of service to be done, but always to the same Lord; working in all sorts of different ways in different people, it is the same God who is working in all of them. The particular way in which the Spirit is given to each person is for a good purpose.

Just as a human body, though it is made up of many parts, is a single unit because all these parts, though many, make one body, so it is with Christ. In the one Spirit we were all baptised, Jews as well as Greeks, slaves as well as citizens, and one Spirit was given to us all to drink.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

*Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful
and kindle in them the fire of your love.*

Alleluia!

GOSPEL John 20:19-23

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

In the evening of the first day of the week, the doors were closed in the room where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood among them. He said to them, "Peace be with you," and showed them his hands and his side. The disciples were filled with joy when they saw the Lord, and he said to them again, "Peace be with you.

"As the Father sent me,
so am I sending you."

After saying this he breathed on them and said:

"Receive the Holy Spirit.

For those whose sins you forgive,
they are forgiven;
for those whose sins you retain,
they are retained."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Grant, we pray, O Lord,
that, as promised by your Son,
the Holy Spirit may reveal to us more abundantly
the hidden mystery of this sacrifice
and graciously lead us into all truth.
Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

*They were all filled with the Holy Spirit
and spoke of the marvels of God, alleluia.*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

O God, who bestow heavenly gifts upon your Church,
safeguard, we pray, the grace you have given,
that the gift of the Holy Spirit poured out upon her
may retain all its force
and that this spiritual food
may gain her abundance of eternal redemption.
Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

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Catholic chaplain to the Ipswich hospitals: Awaiting new appointment.

Please contact either Fr Paul, Fr Luke or one of the other Ipswich priests if you or a family member are going in to hospital.

Please consider setting up a standing order in favour of the parish instead of a weekly cash offering. If you can Gift Aid your donation, please complete a form which you can find in the church porch.

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Pentecost Sunday 28th May 2023: Sunday Readings: Liturgical Year A, Weekday Readings Year I

Sunday Hymns: Entrance: 98 Come Holy Ghost Offertory: 183 God's Spirit Is In My Heart – Omit verses 4 & 5

Communion: 326 Lord Jesus Christ Recession: 547 The Spirit Lives to Set Us Free

Services during the coming week

Saturday 27 th May	5:30 pm	Confessions Vigil Mass, Pentecost Sunday offered for the people of the parish. Reader I Suttle, offertory Hennon family
Sunday 28 th May	8:00 am	Holy Mass, offered for the Vieira Family. Reader J Cleary, offertory Cleary Family, Eucharistic Minister C Moore
	10:00 am	Holy Mass offered for Winifred Flory RIP (Foundation Mass). Reader A James, offertory Pakes Family, Eucharistic Minister M Long
<i>Please join us for tea and coffee in the Garden Room after 10:00 Mass today prepared and served by Dorothy & Karen</i>		
Monday 29 th May		Easter Feria No Mass Today
Tuesday 30 th May		Feria 10:00 am Holy Mass offered for the repose of the soul of Annick Smith (2022 Foundation Mass)
Wednesday 31 st May		The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary 12 noon Holy Mass offered for the repose of the soul of Frank Janes Junior (2022 Foundation Mass)
Thursday 1 st June		Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest No Mass Today
Friday 2 nd June		Feria 10:00 am Holy Mass offered for Deceased Members of the Long Family (2022 Foundation Mass) followed by Exposition and a chaplet of Divine Mercy
Saturday 3 rd June		5:30 pm Confessions 6:00 pm Vigil Mass of The Most Holy Trinity, offered for the people of the parish.

Family Enrichment Conference: Raising a family as a couple or as a single-parent is, and always has been, challenging. Issues range from spousal relationship, social media influence, challenging behaviour at home, how to pass on the Catholic Faith and many others. Everyone is invited to attend the Family Enrichment Conference on Saturday 10th June 2023 to explore these topics and to take home practical tips and encouragement from the four guest speakers. The conference will start at 11:00am at Our Lady Immaculate and Saint Etheldreda church hall in Newmarket. To book tickets and for more details, please visit <https://familyenrichmentconference.eventbrite.co.uk> or email fejune2023@gmail.com. Children's activities and lunch are free but places need to be booked in advance due to limited space. Free parking is available on site.

Walking With Young People: Catechists and anybody working with young people are invited to a day of reflection and training, exploring an accompaniment model of Evangelisation and Catechesis. The keynote speaker for this event will be the internationally-acclaimed David Wells, former Director of Formation for the Diocese of Plymouth. The event will be held at Our Lady of the Annunciation Church, Poringland, Norfolk on Saturday June 10th from 9:30am to 3:30 pm. There is no charge for this event, but attendees will need to book a place in advance and bring along a packed lunch on the day. To book, visit the Diocesan Youth Service web site rcdea.org or follow the link on the parish web site.

Marriage Celebration Mass: Bishop Peter invites all married couples in the Diocese to join him for the annual *Marriage Celebration Mass* which takes place next Saturday, June 3rd at 11.30 in the Cathedral of St John the Baptist, Norwich. All married couples and their families are welcome. Those couples who are celebrating significant anniversaries, that is one year, five years and every multiple of five years thereafter, or individual years from 60 years onwards, will receive a certificate from the Bishop. If you would like to register for a certificate please visit the registration website in advance at www.rcdea.org.uk/marriage-mass-registration or alternatively email the Marriage and Family Life Coordinator, Dr Antonia Braithwaite, at mflcoordinator@rcdea.org.uk. After Mass there will be tea and cake in the Cathedral hall. Photographs will be available online after the day.

The Sick of the Parish: We ask your prayers for all our brothers and sisters who are unwell, afflicted, housebound or distressed. Comfort and relieve them according to their needs, and grant them the love and consolation of your Spirit: John Anderson-Hurst, Peggy Barron, Jason Beaumont, Michael Clarke, Sheila Curry, Fabiana Di Mascio, Patrick Doran, Josephine Kalagira, Jo Kelly, Molly Mc Garry, Yvonne Metcalfe, Robert Mullan, David Nash, Pauline Newton, Mary O'Reilly, Carol Sims and Pippa Williamson.

Our Own Dear Departed: Of your charity, pray for the repose of the souls of the faithful departed and especially for Christopher Ward (1958), James Fitzgerald (1999), Margaret McArdle (2015), Anna Nelli (2022), Bridget Quigley, Ron Goodchild, Edith Ragoonaden (2017), Michael Obolensky (1995), Mary Rolfe (2004), Alfred Morgan (1979), Cecil Armes (1999), Patrick Shanahan (2010), Fernando Bersanetti (1991) and Edward Boyle (1999) whose anniversaries occur about this time. A complete list of parish anniversaries can be found on the parish web site.

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them. May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace