

# St. Joseph the Worker Bidford-on-Avon

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## Times of Mass & Services 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> May 2016 SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST

<b>Saturday</b>	5.30 pm	People of the Parish
<b>Sunday</b>	11.00 am	Ruth & Tony Hargreaves 25 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary.
<b>Monday</b>	10.00 am	Margaret O'Kane RIP
<b>Tuesday</b>	10.00 am	Dec'd of Bennett, Taylor & Tooll Families
<b>Wednesday</b>	10.00 am	Brian & Ann Intentions
<b>Thursday</b>	6.15 pm	Dec'd of Foran Family
<b>Friday</b>	9.00 am	Morally Family RIP
<b>Saturday</b>	5.30 pm	Rex Holbrook RIP
<b>Sunday</b>	11.00 am	People of the Parish

*Confessions Saturday evening after Mass.*

**NEXT SUNDAY IS THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY** The time for making our Easter Duties ends next Sunday.

**ORDINARY TIME** resumes after the Feast of Pentecost; the time of growth, signified by the colour green. This week is the 7<sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time, Psalter Week 3. Weekday Cycle of Readings Year 2.

**HOW TO GROW AND DEVELOP OUR MISSION** As we celebrate the day of Pentecost, we are seeking the guidance of the Holy Spirit in how to grow and develop in our mission. Over the next week, together we are undertaking a review of all aspects of our parish life. We will have a shared vision, and decide what steps to take towards it.

**TODAY** please take a paper seeking your ideas on different aspects of the life of the parish. The results will inform the format of our **OPEN PARISH MEETING**.

We have booked the Community Room at Bidford School for Tuesday evening 14<sup>th</sup> June. (Please put it in your diary). **PLEASE RETURN THE FORMS BY CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY (two weeks time)**

**ARE YOU A YOUNG ADULT** aged under 30? Then join hundreds of others at **BRIGHTLIGHTS of Mercy 17 – 19<sup>th</sup> June**. Full Board from £65 including transport to Alton Castle, a spectacular venue. A Catholic Festival with inspiring speakers, a range of workshops, bands, theatre, and beautiful worship, liturgy, adoration and prayer. See <http://www.kenelm youthtrust.org.uk/news> or call James McLoughlin 07759282955

Secondly, for the younger age group we invite everyone of secondary school age to Summer Camp 14-19<sup>th</sup> Aug. 2016. To book see [www.bcys.co.uk/news](http://www.bcys.co.uk/news) or email [becy.roseman@bcys.co.uk](mailto:becy.roseman@bcys.co.uk)

Also **World Youth Day in Poland** 19<sup>th</sup> July-2<sup>nd</sup> August. 6 places still available 17-30 years. See <http://www.go2wyd.org/>

**'CATHOLIC TODAY'**, our Diocesan Newspaper is available in the porch. Please take a copy.

**THIS WEEK'S TWEET** The Diocese has asked me to contribute a Tweet each Wed., bearing in mind the context of Prison Chaplaincy.

*'You never know..The most you should ever say is: "If it is the Lord's will, we shall still be alive to do this or that."' St James 4/14*

**Offertory Collection:** 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> May: £128.83 plus Standing Orders.

**Second Collection** for Catholic Communications Network: £79.16 Thank you.

**Please pray for the sick, housebound and those who care for them:** Niamh Coyne, Pat Hopkins, Betty Gowers, Mary Normoyle, Clive Stanbrook, David Ryan, Michael Moore, John Fisher, Archie Parsons, Heather Gerard, Harry, Chris Browne, Brian Holberry, Mary Palmer, Emily Parker, Shelly & Margaret Gray, Phil Palmer, Liz Gowers, Mary Lamming, Martin Prickett.