

# **ST. MARY'S, RYDE & ST. MICHAEL'S, BEMBRIDGE**

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## **12<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> MAY, 2012 - 6<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER - CYCLE B**

### **First Reading:**

**Acts 10 : 25 - 26. 34 - 35. 44 - 48**

**A**s Peter reached the house, Cornelius went out to meet him, knelt at his feet and prostrated himself. But Peter helped him up. "Stand up," he said "I am only a man after all!"

Then Peter addressed them: "The truth I have now come to realise" he said "is that God does not have favourites, but that anybody of any nationality who fears God and does what is right is acceptable to him.

While Peter was still speaking the Holy Spirit came down on all the listeners. Jewish believers who had accompanied Peter were all astonished that the gift of the Holy Spirit should be poured out on the pagans too, since they could hear them speaking strange languages and proclaiming the greatness of God. Peter himself then said, "Could anyone refuse the water of Baptism to these people, now they have received the Holy Spirit just as much as we have?" He then gave orders for them to be baptised in the name of Jesus Christ. Afterwards they begged him to stay on for some days.

*The word of the Lord.*

### **Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 97**

**℟: The Lord has shown His salvation to the nations.**

**S**ing a new song to the Lord for He has worked wonders. His right hand and His holy arm have brought salvation.

**℟: The Lord has shown His salvation to the nations.**

**T**he Lord has made known His salvation; has shown His justice to the nations. He has remembered His truth and love for the house of Israel.

**℟: The Lord has shown His salvation to the nations.**

**A**ll the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. Shout to the Lord all the earth, ring out your joy.

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### **Second Reading: 1 John 4 : 7 - 10**

**M**y dear people, let us love one another since love comes from God, and everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows God. Anyone who fails to love can never have known God, because God is love. God's love for us was revealed when God sent into the world His only Son so that we could have life through Him; this is the love I mean: not our love for God, but God's love for us when He sent His Son to be the sacrifice that takes our sins away.

*The word of the Lord.*

### **Gospel Acclamation:**

**A**lleluia. Alleluia!  
Jesus said: "If anyone loves Me he will keep My word, and My Father will love him, and we shall come to him."  
Alleluia!

**Reading from the Holy Gospel:**

**John 15 : 9 - 17**

**J**esus said to His disciples: “As the Father has loved Me, so I have loved you. Remain in My love. If you keep My commandments you will remain in My love, just as I have kept My Father’s commandments and remain in His love. I have told you this so that My own joy may be in you and your joy be complete. This is My commandment: Love one another as I have loved you. A man can have no greater love than to lay down his life for his

friends. You are My friends, if you do what I command you, I shall not call you servants anymore, because a servant does not know his master’s business; I call you friends, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from My Father. You did not choose Me, no, I chose you; and I commissioned you to go out and to bear fruit, fruit that will last; and then the Father will give you anything you ask Him in My name. What I command you is to love one another.”

*The Gospel of the Lord.*

**REGINA CAELI**

**[Recited from Easter until  
Trinity Sunday]**

- V. Joy to thee, O Queen of heaven.  
Alleluia!
- R. **For He whom thou wast meet to bear.**  
Alleluia!
- V. As He promised, hath arisen. Alleluia!
- R. **Pour for us to God thy prayer.**  
Alleluia!
- V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary.  
Alleluia!
- R. **For the Lord is risen indeed!**  
Alleluia!

**Let us pray:** O God, who gave joy to the world through the Resurrection of Thy Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, grant we beseech Thee, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, Thy Mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life.

Through the same Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*Copies of this prayer [in English and Latin] are available from the back of the church.*

**MAY - MONTH OF OUR LADY**

The Church traditionally dedicates the month of May to Mary, the Mother of God. Hence, there will be May Devotions and Benediction every Tuesday in May at 6.00 p.m. in St. Mary’s.

**SUNDAY TRANSPORT TO  
BEMBRIDGE FOR FATHER**

There is a new list on the notice board in the outer porch of St. Mary’s, for those who wish to help Father by driving him to Bembridge on Sundays. Thank you.

**REMINDER**

Because of the central importance of Easter to the Catholic Faith, the Church requires that all Catholics who have made their First Communion, should receive the Holy Eucharist sometime during the Easter season [from Ash Wednesday to Trinity Sunday - Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> June]. They should also receive the Sacrament of Penance.

This reception of these sacraments is a visible sign of our faith and our participation in the Kingdom of God.

This ‘*Easter Duty*’ is simply the minimum requirement set by the Church.

**GROCERIES FOR THE  
‘OPEN ARMS’ FOOD BANK**

As well as the centre providing meals on Sunday evenings, groceries and household supplies are provided for **ANYONE** who may be struggling in these difficult times.

Your donations of non-perishable items, e.g., tinned food, dried goods, soap, toothpaste, washing powder, toilet rolls, etc. would be very much appreciated.

Collecting boxes are at the back of St. Mary’s and St. Michael’s, in which you may place your donations.

**FAMILY ROSARY**

This Sunday [13<sup>th</sup> May], the Family Rosary will be recited immediately after the 11.00 a.m. Mass at St. Mary’s.

Everyone is welcome.

### **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**

Please remember in your prayers our First Communion children who will be receiving Our Lord for the first time next Sunday [20<sup>th</sup> May] at the 11.00 a.m. Mass.

### **REQUIESCANT IN PACE**

Please remember in your prayers all those who have died in May, including those whose names appear at the Sacred Heart Chapel. Additional names may be handed in to the parish office, Presentation House.

### **SUNDAY TEA AND COFFEE**

Everyone is welcome to St. Thérèse's Hall [*entrance through the Repository*] after the 11.00 a.m. Sunday Mass at St. Mary's, where tea and coffee are served.

### **FILM NIGHT**

Everyone is welcome to the film showing at 6.45 p.m. [after the May Devotions] on Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> May, in St. Thérèse's Hall, Presentation House, hosted by the Isle of Wight Catholic History Society, of: **'Our Lady of Walsingham'**. Christians generally have become more aware of Walsingham lately with last year's 950th anniversary of its foundation and also the inauguration of the Ordinariate under the patronage of Our Lady of Walsingham. The film will be followed by a brief talk. Light refreshments will be available.

### **There will be a collection at all Masses next weekend for World Communications**

### **NEXT WEEKEND IS THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD** **[Transferred from Thursday, 17<sup>th</sup> May] - A Latin Mass will be offered at St. Mary's at 8.00 a.m. on Thursday**

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

<b><u>Every Monday</u></b>	6.00 p.m.	Legion of Mary meeting in St. Thérèse's Hall. All welcome.
<b><u>Every Tuesday in May</u></b>	6.00 p.m.	May Devotions and Benediction at St. Mary's.
Tuesday, 15 <sup>th</sup> May	7.00 p.m.	First Communion parents' meeting.
Wednesday, 16 <sup>th</sup> May	3.00 p.m.	Presentation Associates, in the Countess Room, St. Mary's Hall. All welcome.
Friday, 18 <sup>th</sup> May	7.00 p.m.	St. Vincent de Paul meeting, in the Countess Room, St. Mary's Hall.
Saturday, 19 <sup>th</sup> May	9.00 a.m.	First Communion class and rehearsal in St. Thérèse's Hall.
“ “ “	12.15 a.m.	Confraternity of the Rosary - Mass and Annual Rosary Rally at St. John's Cathedral, Portsmouth.
Sunday, 20 <sup>th</sup> May	11.00 a.m.	First Communion at the 11.00 a.m. Mass.
Monday, 21 <sup>st</sup> May		Anniversary of the Consecration in 1863 of St. Mary's.
Tuesday, 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	6.45 p.m.	Isle of Wight Catholic History Society meeting, including a film of <b>'The Story of Walsingham'</b> . All welcome.
Saturday, 26 <sup>th</sup> May		St. Mary's School Fayre - Time to be confirmed.
Sunday, 27 <sup>th</sup> May		Feast of Pentecost.
Sunday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> June		Trinity Sunday - Latin Mass at St. Mary's at 6.00 p.m.

**The collection last weekend for St. Mary's and St. Michael's was £777.99.  
Thank you.**

# **MASS TIMES**

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## **ST. MARY'S, RYDE**

Saturday (Vigil), 12 <sup>th</sup> May	5.30 p.m.	Confessions
“	6.00 p.m.	<i>Sung Mass</i> - Tony Brady, R.I.P.
Sunday, 13 <sup>th</sup> May	7.45 a.m.	Pro Populo
“	9.15 a.m.	<i>Sung Ordinarie Mass</i> - Mother Abess of St. Cecilia's, G.E.
“	11.00 a.m.	<i>Sung Mass</i> - Stephen Phillimore, R.I.P.
Monday, 14 <sup>th</sup> May	10.00 a.m.	Edward Joseph Hamilton, R.I.P.
“	2.00 p.m.	Rosary at the Lady Chapel
Tuesday, 15 <sup>th</sup> May	12 noon	Latin Mass - Catherine Molloy, F.M.
“	<b>6.00 p.m.</b>	<b>May Devotions and Benediction</b>
Wednesday, 16 <sup>th</sup> May	11.00 a.m.	Exposition of the Blessèd Sacrament
“	11.30 a.m.	Carlotta Elliot, F.M.
Thursday, 17 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>8.00 a.m.</b>	Latin Mass - Father Anthony Glaysher, G.E.
Friday, 18 <sup>th</sup> May	11.30 a.m.	Elizabeth Hicks, F.M.
Saturday, 19 <sup>th</sup> May	8.30 a.m.	Confessions and Exposition of the Blessèd Sacrament
“	9.15 a.m.	John Brame, F.M.
“	5.30 p.m.	Confessions

## **ST. MICHAEL'S, BEMBRIDGE**

Sunday, 13 <sup>th</sup> May	9.15 a.m.	<i>Sung Mass</i> - Lucy Fletcher, F.M.
Monday, 14 <sup>th</sup> May	2.00 p.m.	Rosary
Tuesday, 15 <sup>th</sup> May	9.30 a.m.	Rosary and Exposition of the Blessèd Sacrament
“	10.00 a.m.	The Randolph Family, F.M.

## **ST. CECILIA'S ABBEY**

Weekdays	9.30 a.m.	Mass
Sundays & Holydays	<b>10.00 a.m.</b>	<i>Sung Mass</i>

## **QUARR ABBEY**

Weekdays	9.00 a.m.	Mass
Sundays & Holydays	<b>10.00 a.m.</b>	<i>Sung Mass</i>
Confessions		At Request [not Thursdays]

*[Confessions in French and Spanish are available by appointment]*

**Monday, 14<sup>th</sup> May is the Feast of ST. MATTHIAS, Apostle**

**Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> May is the Feast of ST. JOHN I, Pope and Martyr**

**Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> May is the Feast of the DEDICATION  
OF THE CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN, PORTSMOUTH**

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