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Please contact Fr Philip through the relevant Parish Office; thank you.

St Michael's Hall Hire: Do you know a group who would like to hire our Hall? If so please contact 01666 502854 for further details. Lots of different people have hired the hall in the past; including Pilates, under five dance group, Mums preparing for motherhood, Cribbage and many more.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA PRAY FOR US

'REGINA COEL' – THE EASTER GREETING TO OUR LADY

Joy to thee, O queen of heaven, alleluia

He, Whom thou wast meet to bare, alleluia

As He promised, hath aris'n, alleluia

Pour for us to God thy prayer, alleluia

Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia

For the Lord is risen indeed, alleluia

Let us pray.

O God, Who by the resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ has brought joy to the whole world, grant that through the prayers of His mother, the Virgin Mary, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life, through the same Christ Our Lord. **Amen.**



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EASTER IV (YEAR C) – GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY

Sat 7th May 6.00pm Mass in St Peter's

Sun 8th May 9.00am Mass in St Michael's

11.00am Mass in St Peter's

WORSHIP THIS WEEK

Mon 9th May Easter Feria

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Tues 10th May Easter Feria

NO MASS

Wed 11th May Easter Feria

NO MASS

Thu 12th May Easter Feria

NO MASS

Fri 13th May Our Lady of Fatima

NO MASS

Sat 14th May ST MATTHIAS THE APOSTLE, Feast

12.00Noon FHC Mass

EASTER V – (YEAR C)

Sat 14th May 6.00pm Mass in St Peter's

Sun 15th May 9.00am Mass in St Michael's

11.00am Mass in St Peter's

6.00pm Annual Christian Aid/CAFOD Service in Tetbury ChristChurch

CONFESSIONS ARE BY APPOINTMENT AT THE MOMENT. PLEASE RING TO ARRANGE

WELCOME We welcome and thank Fr Jean-Patrice Coulon MSFS, for being with us as our principal celebrant this weekend. We also welcome Parishioners and visitors to this Celebration of the Eucharist.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Please remember in your prayers Arabella Helena Bridgman Shaw of St Peter's Parish who will be making her First Holy Communion on Saturday 14th May 2022

MASS PROPERS

Entrance Antiphon The merciful love of the Lord fills the earth; by the word of the Lord the heavens were made, alleluia.

First Reading: Acts 13:14,43-52 *'We must turn to the pagans'*

Responsorial Psalm: We are his people, the sheep of his flock

Second Reading: Apocalypse 7:9,14-17 *The Lamb will be their shepherd and will lead them to springs of living water*

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia! I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my own sheep and my own know me. Alleluia!

Holy Gospel: John 10:27-30 *I know my sheep and they follow me*

Communion Antiphon The Good Shepherd has risen, Who laid down His life for His sheep and willingly died for His flock, alleluia.

PARISH SECURITY We are periodically reminded that in accordance with the Diocesan Insurance Company an up to date 'Key Register' for all Parish property should be kept. Starting with St Michael's Parish will all Parishioners that hold hall keys and Sacristy keys please let me know asap. Your co-operation would be appreciated, thank you. Elaine

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS & PARISH GENERAL MEETINGS At no point in the course of the Pandemic Crisis have any of our parish committees been disbanded, neither the Finance nor the Pastoral Council. Circumstances prevented us from meeting for a very long time. It was thought that the easing of Government restrictions and a lessening of the sense of crisis was a very good time to refresh and renew the Committees. That's why there are elections at our Parish General Meetings. The finance committee is a requirement of canon law, to supervise and comment on our money and property matters. The PPC is an agency of consultation and cooperation between the Pastor/Parish Priest, the people and parish groups. **We ask that anyone standing for election to the relevant PPC or Finance Committee, old and new, have a proposer and seconder as well as their own written willingness to serve, if elected. We are looking forward to receiving nominations very shortly.** CIRENCESTER PARISH GEN. MEETING [We had the AGM in March!] IN CHURCH ON SUNDAY 22nd MAY AFTER A SHORTER 11.00am MASS. TETBURY P.G.M. TO BE ARRANGED THIS WEEKEND.

MISSIO RED BOXES (ST MICHAELS) Would those who kindly left their red boxes to be counted, please collect their emptied ones from the porch. Thank you for your continued support to MISSIO. If any parishioner would like a MISSIO box, please contact the Parish Office, thank you.

CELEBRATING MARRIAGE Bishop Declan will offer the Annual Mass in Clifton Cathedral on Saturday 2nd July at 12.00noon in celebrations of Holy Matrimony. He invites all married couples to join him. He would like to send a personal invitation to those couples

who are celebrating significant anniversaries during 2022 or those who will marry during this year. If you are celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, 65th, or 70th anniversary during 2022 or getting married this year please email (adult.education@cliftondiocese.com) so that a personal invitation can be sent out, leaving details of your names, address, and the number of years you are both celebrating. Please see poster on the notice board.

SECOND COLLECTION: There will be a second collection this weekend for the Priests Retirement Fund. This fund offers grants each year to the priests who have served our Diocese faithfully during their years of active priestly ministry. Our gift to them through this fund shows them something of our gratitude and our support. Gift Aid envelopes are available. Please give generously, thank you.

TACT JOINT CHRISTIAN AID - CAFOD Service at Christ Church at 6.00pm on Sunday 15th May.

CAFOD WALK AGAINST HUNGER. I wish to express my gratitude to the wonderful St Michael's walkers and donators to this appeal. We have raised the amazing sum of £750 for this very worthy cause. Yet again it illustrates the generosity and kindness of our community. Thank you most sincerely. Mary Dignan CAFOD Rep. for St. Michael's

HOLIDAY @ HOME 2022 – 16TH YEAR We hope you already know about this, the Holiday@Home project run by Churches Together in Tetbury (TACT). This is a simple idea to provide a one day holiday for those more elderly members of our town unlikely to have a main holiday, or just don't get out as much either because of age or disability. The project is run over two days in August, so nearly 30 guests on each day will have the chance for a 'day out' – but in Tetbury! The whole day is FREE to all the guests. What happens – well transport is provided if needed and following a welcome drink, the day continues with activities and table games, or just a chance to chat. Photo displays of times past provide the start of numerous memories and conversations. We usually have a good sing at some point, some of the old songs are never forgotten! Various other entertainments and Time for Thought carry on through the day, until guests are taken home (with a 'goody' bag) at the end of the afternoon. What have we missed out? Of course, a holiday is not the same without some good food! A hot 3 course lunch is provided in the middle of the day, with a traditional 'tea' later in the afternoon. No one goes home hungry! We really want to be able to hold the event again this year after a 2yr gap, but we are having to re-build out volunteers group which is needed for the day. We are therefore hosting an information evening to which anyone interested is invited. This will be on Tuesday 10th May, at Christ Church, The Chipping, GL8 8ET at 7.30 pm. For other details, contact: Brian & Sue Cook T: 01454 238222, or e-mail bacwoodb@aol.com