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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.

MARRIAGE CATECHISTS A formation course, for married couples and widowed who are interested in becoming a marriage catechist will be held at English Martyrs Church, Tuffly on the evenings of 9th, 23rd and 30th June. Please see the poster on the notice board for further information and inform Fr Philip of your interest. Thank you.

SEEDS OF FAITH A faith formation course for anyone interested in learning more about our Catholic faith and the ministry of catechesis. The course of ten sessions will commence on Saturday 18th June at St George's, Taunton. Please see notice board for further details and inform Fr Philip if interested.

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'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 VII SUNDAY (YEAR C)

Sat 28th May 6.00pm Mass in St Peter's

Sun 29th May 9.00am Mass in St Michael's
11.00am Mass in St Peter's

2nd COLLECTION FOR CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

WORSHIP THIS WEEK

Mon 30th May Late Easter Feria

Fr PHILIP'S DAY OFF & PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Tues 31st May THE VISITATION OF THE B. V. M. Feast
9.30am Mass in St Peter's (Stephen Suggitt RIP)

Wed 1st Jun St Justin Martyr
10.00am in St Michael's

Thurs 2nd Jun Sts Marcellinus and Peter
9.30am Mass for HM the Queen in St Peter's

Fri 3rd Jun The Ugandan Martyrs
9.30am in St Peter's (Private Int.)

Sat 4th Jun Our Lady on Saturday in Eastertide
9.30am Mass in St Peter's



SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST– 8th and Last Sunday of Easter (YEAR C)

Sat 4th Jun 6.00pm Restored Vigil Mass in St Peter's (Jason Caravana RIP)

Sun 5th Jun 9.00am Mass in St Michael's (Pro Populo)
11.00am Said Mass in St Peter's (Elizabeth Garrett RIP)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILLATION: CONFESSIONS

In St Peter's: Saturday 5.15pm to 5.45pm

In St Michael's: Wednesday 10.45am to 11.15am & by Appointment; please ring to arrange. Thank you

WELCOME. We welcome Parishioners and visitors to this Celebration of the Eucharist.

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MASS PROPERS

Entrance Antiphon O Lord, hear my voice, for I have called to you; of you my heart has spoken: Seek his face; hide not your face from me, alleluia.

First Reading: Acts 7:55-60 *The stoning of Stephen*

Responsorial Psalm: The Lord is king, most high above all the earth.

Second Reading: Apocalypse 22:12-14,16-17,20 *Come, Lord Jesus*

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia! I will not leave you orphans, says the Lord; I will come back to you, and your hearts will be full of joy. Alleluia!

Holy Gospel: John 17:20-26 *Father, may they be completely one*

Communion Antiphon Father, I pray that they may be one as we also are one, 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

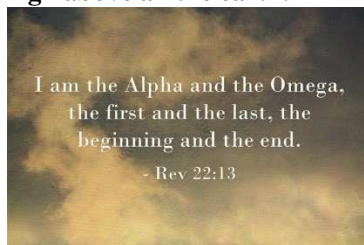
PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS & PARISH GENERAL MEETINGS Thank you to all those who attended the Parish General Meetings and to those who have agreed to stand on both the Pastoral Parish Council and the Finance Council in both Parishes.



WORLD YOUTH DAY LISBON 2023:

World Youth Day will next take place in Lisbon in 2023. The Department for Adult Education and Evangelisation is organising an eight-day pilgrimage from July 31 to August 8, 2023 for young adults [18-35] in our diocese. The provisional plan is to spend six nights in Lisbon and two nights in Fatima. There will be formation

sessions for the group before the pilgrimage to build community and support one another in our faith journey. If you are interested in learning more about the Clifton Diocese World Youth Day 2023 Pilgrimage, and will be at least 18 years old on 1st April 2023, please register your interest at adult.education@cliftondiocese.com - Please spread the word to any young adults you know who may be interested in attending World Youth Day



THE SYNOD – A DIOCESAN PRESENTATION: Bishop Declan invites every parish to an evening liturgy at the Cathedral on 22nd June at 7.00pm, when he will also present Clifton's Synod report to each parish. Fr Philip and the Parish Delegations will receive the report on behalf of Tetbury and Cirencester... but it would be good if others were there in the gathering. There are no restrictions on numbers gathering with our bishop, so please do consider coming along. However, you will need to register your 'presence', and to facilitate this, you are asked to book onto the event via this link (Eventbrite): eventbrite.co.uk/e/evening-liturgysynod-tickets-3271237348

TETBURY SACRISTANS' TRAINING MEETING On Wednesday 1st June after Morning Mass, there will be a "training meeting" with volunteers, the Head Sacristan and Fr. Philip.

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 in 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 see poster on the notice board.

SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST [Eighth and Last Sunday of Eastertide] – SUNDAY 5th JUNE – THURSDAY 2ND TO SUNDAY 5TH JUNE: THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE WEEKEND: With the Bishops of England and Wales, we offer our prayers for Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II this week as we offer our gratitude for her Platinum Jubilee. We ask God to continue to Bless her for many more years to come.

1. Thu. 2nd June 9.30 in St Peter's, Mass for the Queen
2. Thursday 2nd June (Anniversary of the Coronation) 9.45pm @ St Mary's church tower, Tetbury, Jubilee Beacon Lighting. There are similar events in Cirencester
3. Saturday 4th June '6.00pm The Extended Proper Vigil Mass of Pentecost with renewal of Confirmation in St. Peter's. *This is the Mass to attend, if you are going to Ecumenical Events on Sunday Morning*
4. THE OFFICIAL RETURN OF THE SUNDAY MASS OBLIGATION
5. Sunday 5th June Pentecost & Jubilee Sunday – Masses at usual times in St Peter's and St Michael's.
6. 10.00am United Ecumenical Service in St John the Baptist, Cirencester

