



Flowers This Week

NOTICES

Thank you for the flowers this week which have been kindly donated by Pat and John Clark to mark special family celebrations this month.

Flowers in Church: There are still some dates available to donate flowers in memory of a loved one or to celebrate a special birthday or anniversary. The cost of the weekly flowers in church is £20. Please contact Sue Treanor at the Parish Office.

June 18th, July 9th, August 27th, September 3rd, September 17th, November 5th and November 19th are available.

Electoral Roll. The Electoral Roll is open again following the APCM to process new applications or amendments. Applications forms are on the table at the back of church or from Ian McKenzie (*Ian McKenzie ER Officer*)

TODAY - CORONATION SUNDAY. You are invited to a parish celebration of the coronation of King Charles III in the Parish Community Hall after a special service in church on **Sunday May 7th.** BRING YOUR OWN PICNIC. Hot drinks and squash will be provided.

Mothers' Union meeting on Tuesday 9th May at 2pm in the Parish Community Hall. Our speaker is Mr Bernie Gallivan on his work as a Street Pastor. All welcome

On Saturday 20th May Mothers Union are holding a **Deanery Coffee Morning at St Stephen's Church Prenton 10.30 to 12 noon.** £1 admission including tea/coffee. Holy Cross is manning the Chocolate tombola stall. We would be grateful for any donations of chocolate bars. All welcome to this event.
Jenny Davies

W.I Meetings: On **11th May** we meet at The Bassett Hound, Thingwall to celebrate 101 years of WI at Woodchurch. Please join us. *Gwyneth Mills*

Charles III Coronation on Saturday 6th May – buy a church pen to remember the day. *Please see Gwyneth*

Holy Cross Church, Woodchurch

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Sunday, 7th May – Coronation Weekend
THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Welcome!

Welcome to everyone here today! A particular welcome if you are with us for the first time. Please do stay for refreshments after the 10am service in the Parish Community Hall. **Gluten free wafers** are available; please ask one of the Sidespeople.

Collect:

Almighty God, the fountain of all goodness, bless our Sovereign Lord, King Charles, and all who are in authority under him; that they may order all things in wisdom and equity, righteousness and peace, to the honour of your name, and the good of your Church and people; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Post Communion:

Grant, O Lord, we beseech you, that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by your governance, that your Church may joyfully serve you in all godly quietness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

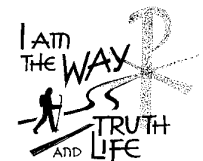
Readings for 8am and 10am

1st Reading (8am & 10am) Isaiah 40. 12-17, 25-end

Psalm (8am) 20

Gospel Luke 22. 24-30

8.00am Holy Communion – *Preacher St Saviours*
10.00am Holy Communion – *Preacher Sue Mountford*
Hymn Nos for 10am: 17 / 762 / 34 / 565
Mass Setting: Special Service – All Said
12 Noon Baptism



CHURCH DIARY FOR THE WEEK AHEAD:

<i>Tuesday</i>	9 th May	8.00pm	Bible Study
<i>Wednesday</i>	10 th May	10.00am 1.15pm 7.00pm	Holy Communion Community Café in Parish Community Hall Standing Committee Meeting in Jubilee Rooms
<i>Friday</i>	12 th May	2.00pm	Funeral at Landican
<i>Saturday</i>	13 th May	12 Noon	Interment of Ashes starting in church

**SUNDAY, 14TH MAY 2023
THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

8.00am	Holy Communion	1 st Reading (8am & 10)	Acts 17. 22-31
10.00am	Parish Communion	Psalm (8am)	66. 7-18
12 Noon	Baptism	Epistle (8am) Gospel	1 Peter 3. 13-22 John 14. 15-21

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PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Those who live and work in:

Sun: Kindale Road. Mon: Landican Lane.
Tue: Leeswood Road. Wed: Linden Drive.
Thu: Lower Green. Fri: Maritime Court.
Sat: Mavis Drive. 🙏

Those who will be baptised "we welcome them into the fellowship of faith"

Ruby Riley and Romi Blossom Riley



Marriage Banns to be read:

Benjamin Stewart and Stephanie Dunne

Those who are ill:

Victor, Norma, Liz, Lilian, Anne, Ted, Beryl, Dorothy, James

We remember those who have died and pray for those who mourn their passing:

Arthur Rich, Kathleen Mary Acton

"Give rest O Christ to your servants with the saints, where sorrow and pain are no more, neither sighing but life everlasting. Amen"

Years Mind:

Gwendoline Jane Roberts, David Roberts, Karl Davies,
 Laura Eileen Hathaway, David Dunlop-Kidd, Kathleen Bevan,
 Pauline Crosby, Rose Frances Chapman, Barbara Birch.

Our verse for the year

"Unless the Lord builds the house,
 those who build it labour in vain."
 (Psalm 127)