

ST MARY IMMACULATE, WARWICK ST CHARLES BORROMEIO, HAMPTON ON THE HILL

**Fifth Sunday of Easter
Month of Mary 10 May 2020**



Elizabeth Frink *Walking Madonna* 1981 Salisbury Cathedral

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MASS TIMES



		St Mary Immaculate	St Charles Borromeo
Sun 10	Fifth Sunday of Easter	11am <i>Pro Populo</i>	10am <i>Private int.</i>
Mon 11	Easter feria	7.30am <i>James Morton Smith</i>	10am <i>PMF int.</i>
Tue 12	St Pancras	7.30am <i>Bishop Leo McCartie KC*HS RIP</i>	10am <i>Bishop Leo McCartie</i>
Wed 13	Our Lady of Fatima	7.30am <i>Mark Andrews</i>	10am <i>PMF int.</i>
Thu 14	St Matthias	7.30am <i>William & Mary Hunt</i>	10am <i>Fr David Duggan RIP</i>
Fri 15	Easter feria	7.30am <i>Michael Welch RIP</i>	10am <i>Fr Andrew Kenny RIP</i>
Sat 16	Easter feria	10am <i>Elizabeth Mary Cauldwell RIP</i>	10am <i>Private int.</i>
Sun 17	Sixth Sunday of Easter	11am <i>Pro Populo</i>	10am <i>PMF int.</i>

Parishioners' Reflections Irena - John 15,14-17

'You are my friends if you do what I command. I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you. You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you so that you might go and bear fruit—fruit that will last—and so that whatever you ask in my name the Father will give you. 17 This is my command: Love each other'

I received this piece of Gospel on 8 April 2006 at the end of the formation of Catholic Charismatic Renewal. At the end of the formation each member received a piece of the gospel- kind of a personal message from God. When I received the one above I was totally moved. I was moved that Our Lord called me a friend...that was something that I couldn't believe. I couldn't believe that I can be the friend of Son of the God, not just a servant, but Friend! I was also touched by the fact that he has chosen me. That is a big thing to be a chosen Friend of God! We are all his Friends. We cannot forget it. As with a friend it is good to have a chat from time to time, tell Him what we need, ask what He needs form us. Just be with Jesus as with a friend. That is such a privilege. And the final command to love each other which is so important, so obvious yet so difficult. That is our main task during our life on the earth- nothing else. We just need to learn to love and to excel in this.

GENERAL NOTICE

Coronavirus:

During this time please don't hesitate to call / email / leave a message if there's anything I can do to help or to pray for. Fr Patrick

Thankyou to parishioners who gave me an Easter Offering through various means, I'm very grateful for your support at this time. Fr Patrick

Live streaming: thanks to the Beaumonts for organising this for the 11am Mass on Sundays. Thanks also to those who have read or provided music via Zoom. Please let Fr Patrick know if you would like to read – the idea is to have as wide a participation as possible in terms of age and across both parishes

Prayers: Please keep in your prayers all our parishioners who work in the hospital, those who have lost their jobs, those who are sick, those who are feeling lonely & frightened in this period of isolation and those who have to die alone without their loved ones.

Financial Matters: Any Offertory envelopes or contributions can be placed through the Presbytery letterbox. Thank you for your continued generosity at this time. Offertory by Paypal is now available. Please follow the link www.stmary-immaculate.org.uk Mass Intention requests or 200 Club subscriptions can also be put through the letterbox

Foodbank: Please remember that there are Foodbank collection boxes in the supermarkets and that the needs of those who use foodbanks are greater than ever.

St Charles Borromeo Cemetery

For information contact John Yarnold 01926 493715
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Lately dead: Michael Welch, Sheila Kelleher, Alan King, Carol Watt, May they rest in peace.

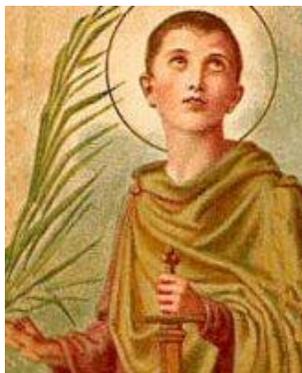
Dowry of Mary: May is the month of Mary and England was recently rededicated as England's Dowry. See website for devotional resources.

Rosary: If you don't pray the Rosary, this month is an ideal opportunity to begin / start again. Do consider joining the Rosary group by emailing Irena acohud@wp.pl for information

Friends of the Holy Land: Pentecost Challenge: all donations up until 31 May will be match funded. Please consider this as a practical way of helping Christians in the West Bank & Gaza devastated by the Covid-19 crisis. <https://www.friendsoftheholylan.org.uk/>



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Offertory during April	PayPal £1139.26 (989.26 gift aid) Envelopes £1546.50 (£1461.50 gift aid)	
Average Weekly Standing orders	£256	£247
Coffee	Suspended for the time being.	Suspended for the time being.
Sick & Housebound	Steve & June Amos, Philip Batt, Theresa Mary Bicknell, Christopher Browne. Elizabeth Coleman, Wendy & John Fitzpatrick-Ellis, Annie Gleason, Anne Gunthorpe, Graham Hardwick, Eva Hyland, Susan and Roger James, Catherine McCarthy, Liam McLaughlin, Christina and Gordon McClean, Sheila Millard, Bernadette Narain, Chris Nichols, Kathleen O'Connor, Agnes Pauling, Dorothy Richardson, Sam Rosam, Peter Schmidt, Arlene Slinn, Margaret Thornton, Ron Thumbwood, Betty Walters, Elizabeth Weston, Win Wigner.	Aidan Harris, Monica Hermolle, Catherine Parker, Christine Underhill, Eddie Unitt, Janina Woods. <i>Your prayers are asked for all the sick in our parishes: at home, care home, hospital, hospice</i>
Draw	200 Club Next draw w/c 17 May. New members welcome £5 per number. £350 paid in prizes each month!	St Charles Tote a monthly draw with cash prizes. £2 per month. To join please see Nina Woods.
7 Day Candles	Pope's May int: Deacons	FHL int. for May: Christians in Gaza



St Pancras

We have no reliable historical information about this martyr. Legend tells us he was born at the end of the third century and brought up by an uncle in Rome after the death of his parents. Both he and his uncle became Christians. Pancras was beheaded in 304 during Diocletian's persecution. He was only 14 years old. Pancras is especially venerated in England because Augustine of Canterbury dedicated his first church to Pancras (St Pancras Old Church, London) and his relics were presented as a gift to the king of Northumberland. A district in London is named St. Pancras after him.

St. Pancras, pray for all teenagers that their faith may be as strong as yours, strong enough to lead them through all the trials of their life.