



BULLETIN

PARISH OF ST LUKE & ST TERESA, SOUTH STREET, WINCANTON, BA9 9DH
INCORPORATING OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
SOUTH STREET WINCANTON, BA9 9DH

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER SUNDAY 6TH MAY - YEAR B SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

THE SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEK IS FOR THE LUKAN FUND
The second collection next week is for World Communications Sunday

YARLINGTON PLANT FAIR

Dear Everyone,
The Annual Plant fair is looming, so I am going to ask as many of you as possible for a favour! I alternate the proceeds between St Lukes and my village Church and Hall, last year it was for the former, and with 1,100 visitors £5,000 was raised. Fr Louis was very happy....

We hope to do as well this year, but we are a small village and I was wondering if any of you could spare some time and help us? If you could assist in some way, mainly with catering it would be gratefully appreciated. We do a barbecue, cakes, coffees, teas, etc. and then of course helping on the day, for a while.

Could you ring Sue House, on 01963 441 430 her email address is; suemanorfarm@tiscali.co.uk

Carolyn

MERE PARTY

After Mass on Saturday May 26th we will have something to eat and drink outside in warm sunshine; or in the church if snowing.

This will be an opportunity to talk about how to improve our Catholic community here. It will also introduce the 6 meetings of those who want to be able to share their Faith with others by becoming more MISSIONARY DISCIPLES. All will then be made clear. Please put your name on the list at the back of church if you want to be part of this group, so we can order the books.

MASS TIMES

Sunday	9.00am	St John the Evangelist, Milborne Port
	10.30am	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton
	6.30pm	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton
Monday	9.00am	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton
Tuesday	9.00am	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton
Thursday	9.45am	SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD (NB, this is not a Holy Day of Obligation) St Mary's, Bruton
Friday	11.30am	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton
Saturday	10.00am	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton Mass followed by Confession & Exposition
	5.30pm	St Mary's, Mere

CONFIRMATION

For young people wishing to discover the meaning of the Sacrament of Confirmation - please would you write to me giving your age, your address, your telephone number and your email - and post it through the presbytery letterbox. A meeting will be arranged some time after Easter.

Fr Louis

MIDSUMMER MELODIES

The Pilgrim Singers warmly invite you to Midsummer Melodies in the historic setting of The Dogs, Wincanton BA9 9BQ on Sunday 24 June in support of Mityana, Uganda.

A charity providing clean water, education, nutrition and training for those in dire poverty, enabling them to become more self sufficient. Gates open at 5pm for picnicking and wandering round the beautiful gardens.

Concert starts at 7pm with seating and Marquee cover. Pimms, strawberries and cream included in the ticket price of £12 (u.16 free) from Divine Wines, Wincanton. Enquiries: Jane Fenton 01963 33695.

BRUTON CHORAL SOCIETY: GALA CONCERT

Bruton Choral Society: Gala Concert
With summer around the corner Bruton Choral Society are delighted to present a special 25th Anniversary Gala Concert and Celebration of the Royal Wedding, to be held at King's Bruton on Saturday 19 May at 7.30pm.

We are all proud of keeping the tradition of choral singing alive: this concert aims to be a celebration of our choir, with an added royal twist. We will be joined by an orchestra to perform Handel's Coronation Anthem: My Heart is Inditing. Other works will include a piece specially commissioned for the occasion by local composer, Andrew Moore: Song's Eternity, Rutter's Birthday Madrigals and an eclectic mix of songs by Scott Joplin from his opera Treemonisha. We welcome back soprano soloist Catherine Greenwell to perform Handel's Let the Bright Seraphim and there will also be a Concerto for three trumpets by Telemann. In addition there will be some audience participation!

Tickets £10 to include a glass of bubbly from Bruton Pharmacy, Church Bridge Stores, by phoning 01749 812281 or online at www.bرتونchoralsociety.org.uk.

CLOISTER CAKE SALE

Our monthly fundraising cake sale will be held in the Cloister again on Sunday 13th May. Please support this event which raises funds for the Lukan Fund.

Contributions and purchases very much appreciated!

ST ANTHONY'S PRAYER GROUP

Please come and join the newly formed St Anthony's prayer group at Leweston School, 1st Wednesday of each month at 2.20pm.

In support of the wonderful work done by teachers and staff in the formation and education of our young people in the Catholic/Christian tradition in the 21st century.

Further details contact Lou Worrall (Lay Chaplain 07964 539463) Jane Fenton 01963 33695 (Wincanton) Margaret Crossman 01935 813962 (Sherborne).

**A FUTURE
FULL
of HOPE**
CLIFTON DIOCESE
A YEAR OF MISSION

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

What better mission could we have or want? To love!

But do you notice how we have been loved? The love that Jesus offers his disciples has been the love that he himself has known and experienced from the Father.

The Father has shown love to the Son, the Son shown the Father's love to the disciples and now, having been loved ourselves, we are sent to bring that love, to be that love to others.

There is our mission... to be love, to be the love of Christ for others.

We do that by being the friends of Jesus, by remaining close to him and bringing others into something of that friendship. Pope Benedict reminded of this: there is nothing more beautiful than to know this friendship and to speak to others of our friendship with Christ.

This is the fruit we can bear...being love, knowing ourselves loved, living in the knowledge of that love and allowing that love to be attractive. What a mission!

MISSION





Sunday 6th May - SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Response to Psalm;

The Lord has shown his salvation to the nations.

Gospel Acclamation;

Alleluia, 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!

Communion Antiphon;

**If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord,
and I will ask the Father and he will send you an other Paraclete,
To bide with you for ever, alleluia.**

SICK & HOUSEBOUND VISITS

IF YOU KNOW OF ANYONE WHO IS SICK, DEBILITATED OR HOUSEBOUND AND WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE COMMUNION, PLEASE CONTACT FR LOUIS OR THE PARISH OFFICE ON 01963 34408

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

May

12 th	Yarlington Plant Fair	10.00am	Yarlington House
13 th	Cloister Cake Sale	After Mass	St Luke's, Wincanton
17 th	Deanery Pastoral Council	7.30pm	St Michael's, Shepton Mallet
19 th	Gala Concert	7.30pm	King's School, Bruton
26 th	Mere Party	After Mass	St Mary's, Mere

June

3 rd	First Holy Communion	10.30am	St Luke's, Wincanton
9 th	Day for Eucharistic Ministers	10.00am	St Luke's, Wincanton
24 th	Midsummer Melodies	7.00pm	The Dogs, Wincanton

July

3 rd	Deanery Ministries Mass	7.30pm	St Luke's, Wincanton
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August

24 th - 31 st	Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage		Details on Noticeboard
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MONEY BOX

The collection last week raised £1101.90 of which £391.34 was raised for the Clergy Training Fund.

Thank you all.