

PARISH ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY

CONFIRMATION CLASS

@ 11:45am -1:30pm

CHILDREN SUNDAY SCHOOL

After 10:30am Mass

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

After 10:30am Mass

TUESDAY

TUESDAY LUNCH CLUB

Tuesday 27th May

FRIDAY

FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

ADORATION (in Honour of Sacred heart)

5:30pm: MASS

6:00pm - 6:30pm: Adoration

SATURDAY

YOUNG ADULT PRAYER GROUP

7:30pm - 9:30pm

Total Collection: £1,340.72 Others: £343.79

1st Collection: £378.82 2nd Collection: £147.06 Contactless: £471.05

EMCS FOR SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 25TH MAY

Saturday	6.15pm	Chris Mahoney
Sunday	10.30am	Anto Jerome, Lizy Joseph & Lily Rodrigues
	5.15pm	Vivian Delatorre & Sheryll Cabusora

READERS FOR SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 1ST JUNE

Saturday	6.15pm	James Savage
Sunday	10.30am	Mary Goveas & Helene Cornetto
	5.15pm	Angela Dela Llana

ALTAR SERVERS FOR SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 25TH MAY

Saturday	6.15pm	Chris Mahoney
Sunday	10.30am	Lillian, Livia, Amaris, Joana, Thomas,
		Zoe, Gabriel, Adanna, Brooke, Luis
	5.15pm	

From the Parish Register



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Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday: 10.00am - 1.00pm

Church Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 10.00am to 4.00pm

Saturday: 10.00am to 7.00pm

Sunday: 9.00am to 6.30pm

Child Protection Reps: James Hackett & Roque Rodrigues

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25th May 2025– Sixth Sunday of Easter – Year C



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REFLECTION

Dear parishioners, Friends and Visitors , welcome to St Mary on the Quay. This Sunday the Church celebrates **Sixth Sunday of Easter**.



Once again we contemplate the New Jerusalem and the glory of Christ in heaven, but the reading is coupled with Jesus' last words to us who are still living our mortal lives. He stresses the importance of Love, and the need to follow the will of his Father. He tells us how this can be done: The Holy Spirit will come and make the transformation of our lives a reality. The Spirit will teach us and guide us and remind us of Jesus' teaching. The Church has grown and developed throughout the centuries; in our own time, we still experience the rejuvenating power of the Spirit. Jesus also stresses his own special gift to us: peace. Over and over again he speaks of this peace which is beyond our understanding: peace in the depth of our hearts. He bequeaths his own peace to remain with us, banishing fear. Whatever outside stresses we have to endure, in our hearts we may remain at peace, with Him.

Mass Intentions Week Commencing 25th – 31st May, 2025

Sunday 25th	10.30 am	Matthew Joseph	RIP
	05.15pm	Patricia Shatti	Spiritual Growth
Monday 26th	12.15pm	Marisa Carmen Souls in Purgatory	RIP
Tuesday 27th	12.15pm	Jim Binion	RIP
Wednesday 28th	12.15pm	Elizabeth Badiola Dulay	RIP
		Santos Pedro Paschal	RIP
Thursday 29th	12.15pm	Rosemaria Saju	Special Intention
Friday 30th	12.15pm	Alan Smith	God's blessing in new job
Saturday 31st	12.15pm	Sonia Caneja	RIP
	06.15pm	Eve Saveg	Healing

We pray for the sick in the Parish and those known to us.

Mass Time: Week Days: 12.15pm (Monday to Saturday)

Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 6.15pm (**Sunday Vigil Mass**)

Sunday: 10.30am (**Choir**) & 5.15pm (**Choir**)

Mass on Holy Days of Obligation: 12.15pm & 5.30pm

Confessions: Monday to Saturday 11.30am to 12.00pm

Baptisms: If you are planning to baptise your child please contact the Parish Office for more information or speak to a priest after the mass.

Marriage Preparation: Any couple from our parish who are intending getting married in the Catholic Church are asked to note that the Church requires **at least six months notice prior to their wedding date**. Couples need to speak to a priest so as to fill out the forms and also participate in a Marriage Preparation course. Kindly, view the guidelines on our website before making any arrangements. <https://www.stmaryonthequay.com/rc-marriage>

This Sunday's Readings at Mass

Parish Mass Book Page 267 (Sixth Sunday of Easter)

First Reading: Act 15:1-2, 22-29

Psalm: 66 "Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you."

Second Reading: Rev. 21:10-14

Gospel: John 14:23-29

Gloria

The Gloria can be found on page 9 of the Parish Mass Book.

The Creeds

The Nicene Creed can be found on page 11 of the Parish Mass Book.

The Apostles' Creed can be found on page 12 of the Parish Mass Book.



PARISH NEWS

SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD: Thursday, 29th May marks the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord. It is a **Holyday of Obligation**. The parish will celebrate Mass at 12.15pm and 5.30pm. Parishioners are encouraged to attend these Masses.

PENTECOST INTERNATIONAL DAY: Pentecost Sunday (June 8th) is a special day set to celebrate the rich diversity of our parish. The Mass will reflect our international and multicultural faith community. Parishioners are encouraged to dress in their traditional home attire or according to one's culture and traditions for this very celebration. **After the 10.30am Mass, there will be BRING & SHARE in the parish hall.** Come join us as we celebrate this great day.

TUESDAY LUNCH CLUB: The Tuesday Lunch Club is scheduled to take place on Tuesday 27th May, 2025. Kindly take note.

PARISH MASS BOOK: At the moment, we have one set of parish mass books for Cycle C, and we need 5 sets for Cycles A, B, and C. One copy is costing £4.95. We are seeking your generous contribution to acquire Parish Mass Books for our church.

TEA AND COFFEE AFTER 10:30AM MASS: Tea and Coffee will be served on Sunday 25th May after the 10:30am Mass. Kindly take note

SUPPORTING THE PARISH: We spend a lot of money to run our church every day, so we need your help to run our beautiful Parish. If you use online banking and are able to set up direct debit or standing order which would be a big support for the Church, below is our Parish Bank Account details:

CLIFTON DIOCESE RE PARISH OF ST MARY ON THE QUAY, BRISTOL

Account Number: 66286573

Sort Code: 52-10-03

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