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9.00 am Christine Leadley

# 6th - 14th May 2023 Masses and Services

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Saturday	6.30 pm	Chris Macken		
Sunday	11.00 am	Christine Price	9.00 am	Doris Mary Barnabal
Monday	10.00 am	Julia Mansfield	10.00 am	Communion Service
Tuesday	10.00 am	Moira Hurst	Midday	C.T. Grumley
Wednesday	7.30 pm	Aimee Mallorca		
Thursday	10.00 am	Brian Weldon	Midday	Private Intention
Friday	10.00 am	Private Intention	Midday	F.E. Peterson
Saturday	12.30 pm	Benefactors		

Confessions: Ramsey - Saturday, after 12.30pm Mass & 5.45 - 6.15pm; Wed 7 - 7.20pm Peel - Sunday, 8.30 - 8.50am

Parishioners

Philip Hague

**2nd collection for Survive Miva**, the missionary vehicle charity providing transport for hospitals and other missionary needs.

2nd collection next weekend for World Communications.

# **Readings for the Week**

8th May 2023 - **Monday** 

Sunday

Acts 24:5-18; Ps 138:1-2,3-4,15-16; Jn 14:21-26

6.30 pm

11.00 am

9th May 2023 - Tuesday

Acts 14:19-28; Ps 114:10-11, 12-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31a

10th May 2023 - Wednesday

Acts 15:1-6; Ps 121:1-2, 3-4a, 4b-5; Jn 15:1-8

11th May 2023 - Thursday

Acts 15:7-21; Ps 95:1-2a, 2b-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11

12th May 2023 - **Friday** 

Acts 15:22-31; Ps 56:8-9, 10-12; Jn 15:12-17

13th May 2023 - Saturday

Common at choice

# Feastdays of the week

Wednesday St. John of Avila. 16th century Doctor of the Church

Friday St. Pancras. 4th century Martyr.

Saturday Dedication of Liverpool Cathedral of Christ the King.

Prayer of the Faithful: We are a people set apart Response: to sing the praises of God.

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## **NOTICES**

### Thanksgiving Mass for Bishop Tom Williams

Archbishop Malcolm McMahon will celebrate a Holy Mass of Thanksgiving for Bishop Tom Williams' 20 years' ministry as Auxiliary Bishop of Liverpool on Wednesday 17th May at 7.00pm in the Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King. Everyone is invited to the Mass and the Drinks Reception which will follow.

#### **Island Spirituality Network**

The next Island Spirituality Network meeting will be on Saturday 13th May 10.00am - 1.00pm at St. John's Mill. The speaker will be Revd James McGowan from Newcastle and his theme will be "A Present Faith - Insights from Chaplaincy as a model for Christian mission and life".

#### Peel

On behalf of CAFOD, June Quirk thanks all those who have sponsored her during the 40 days of CAFOD's Big Lent Walk. A grand total of £550 has been raised. CAFOD are keeping the sponsor page open until the end of May for those who wish to donate. The link to the page is <a href="https://cafod.enthuse.com/pf/june-quirk">https://cafod.enthuse.com/pf/june-quirk</a>. Or you can donate by cash, which will be sent in for you before the end of May. Please go to <a href="https://cafod.enthuse.com/pf/june-quirk">CAFOD.org.uk</a> to see how they use your donations. Thank you.

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#### **Coronation Celebration**

This Sunday 7th May we will be having a special coffee after Mass to celebrate the Coronation, all are invited and encouraged to attend.

#### May Walk

Many thanks and congratulations to all those who took part in the May Walk on Bank Holiday Monday. A special thanks to Christine Doherty for her help and Michael Craine for his loads of sandwiches, enjoyed by all!

#### The Strawberry Fair is back!

After a absence of a few years you will all be pleased to know that the Strawberry Fair is back on **Saturday 24th June** in a marquee in the Church grounds. Tickets will be available soon for the teas, £6.50 in advance and £7.50 on the day. All are encouraged to attend and publicise this great family day out, There will be stalls (would any parishioner like to run one?), children's games and much more.

Aimee Mallorca's funeral will take place on Wednesday 17th May at 10.00am.

Pope Francis said Wednesday that freedom is under threat in Europe, as people choose consumerism and individualism over building families and community. Even today, "freedom is under threat," he said on 3 May. "Above all with kid gloves, by a consumerism that anaesthetises, where one is content with a little material well-being and, forgetting the past, one 'floats' in a present made to the measure of the individual." "This is the dangerous persecution of modernity that advances consumerism," he underlined. "But when the only thing that counts is thinking about oneself and doing what one likes, the roots suffocate," he warned. "This is a problem throughout Europe, where dedicating oneself to others, community feeling, the beauty of dreaming together and creating large families are in crisis. All of Europe is in crisis."

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