

Sixth Sunday of Easter (A)

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Entrance antiphon: Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be heard;
proclaim to the ends of the earth:
The Lord has freed his people, alleluia.

Psalm response: Cry out with joy to God all the earth.

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

The Apostles Creed is on page 8.

Queen of heaven, rejoice, alleluia.

The Son whom you merited to bear, alleluia,
has risen as he said, alleluia.

Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia,
for the Lord has truly risen, alleluia.

To conclude the Bidding Prayers:

Holy Michael, Archangel,

Defend us in the day of battle.

Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil,
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray,
and you, O Prince of the heavenly host,
thrust down to hell Satan and all wicked spirits
who wander through the world for the ruin of souls Amen.

Communion Antiphon: If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord, and I will ask the Father and he will send you another Paraclete to abide with you for ever, alleluia.

The newsletter is also available at www.saintmichael.sonningcommon.org.uk
If you do not need to take this one home, please do return it to the console at the back of Church, after Mass so that it can be reused. Many thanks.

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14th May, 2023

Sixth Sunday of Easter



Jesus, taking leave of his apostles,
tells them he will not leave them alone:
he will send them the Holy Spirit.

WELCOME TO ST MICHAEL'S

If you are a visitor or new to the parish, we welcome you warmly.
Mass streaming links can be found at www.saintmichaelsonningcommon.org.uk

If you would like a home visit please call Fr Michael Tel: 0118 972 3418,
Deacon Brian Theobald Tel: 07484332580 or email the parish office.

THERE WILL BE A **RETIRING COLLECTION**
AT THE 5.30PM AND 9.00AM MASSES THIS WEEKEND
ON BEHALF OF **WORLD VISION**

There will be a **second collection** next week on behalf of
Catholic Communications

FAMILY MASS WITH MAY PROCESSION

this Sunday, 14th May at 10.30am
followed by tea and coffee in the Church hall

THURSDAY IS THE FEAST OF THE ASCENSION

AND IS A HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION.

ST MARTIN'S SCHOOL

invite you to their first

Table Top Sale next Saturday 20th May, 12pm—3pm

Tables can be pre-booked at pta-events.co.uk/stmartinspsa
Or just come along for a shop

FAMILY BOARD GAME AFTERNOON

Here at St Michael's Hall on

Sunday 21ST MAY 2pm – 4pm

For ages 6 and up (children must be accompanied by adults)

Please use the sign up sheet at the back of Church

OUR LADY AND ST ANNE'S PRIMARY SCHOOL are looking to appoint a
Deputy Head—details from the school Tel: 01189375537

SOCIAL EVENTS - What social events would you like to see take place
at St Michael's Church? Please let us know - send your suggestions via
email to the parish office - stmichaels.rc@hotmail.co.uk

There will be no GOSPEL SHARE this week

THE GARDENING GROUP

Every Tuesday (weather permitting) from 9:30am -12.30pm Refreshments provided.

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Vigil Mass	5.30 pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	9.00 am	Mary Toomey RIP
	10.30 am	Jesus Hernandez / Andrew Rosario RIP
Monday	9.30 am	Private Intention (GC)
Tuesday	12.00 pm	Ukraine
Wednesday	2.30 pm	May Procession at St Martin's
	7.00 pm	Vigil Mass for the Ascension
Thursday	9.00 am	Ascension Mass at St Martin's School
	12.00 pm	Day Mass for the Ascension
Friday	9.30 am	Holy Souls

Seventh Sunday of Easter

21st May, 2023

Vigil Mass	5.30 pm	Children of the Parish
Sunday	9.00 am	Shaun O'Donnell
	10.30 am	People of the Parish

Please note the change of times of Mass on Wednesday and the additional Mass on Thursday

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) will be available in the Sacristy
this Saturday, 6th May, from 10.00am—10.30am or at any time on request.

The Sacrament of the Sick -any time on request. Tel: Fr. Michael on 0118 9723418

PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS

Dominic Antão, Catherine Belletty, Peter Bussell, Savanna Clark,
Jean Davies, Bob Ely, Alison Flynn, Cecilia Fung, Mary Hagger, Jim
Hardiman, Rogan Hodgson, Vivien Kear, John and Jennifer Lear-
month, Mary Lewis, Louise Milledge, Reuben Muston, Veronica
Parker, John Raynard, Elizabeth Rogers, Fr, Paul Rowan, Peppin
Sanz, Beth Selwood, Geoffrey Stitt, Shirley Trollop.

May the Lord bring them healing and peace.

Please pray for the repose of the souls and the
consolation of the families of **Christine Sharkey**
(Fr Michael 's sister in law) who died this week and
Helen Williams (daughter of Roy and Ruth New),
whose funeral is on Thursday, 25th May at 1 pm at
West Berks Crematorium, Thatcham. All Welcome.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Children are invited to go up to the Church Hall at the beginning of
10.30am Mass for the children's Liturgy

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the office to request to be put on the subscribers list—once subscribed please check
your junk folder each week, as sometimes the email gets sent to junk.