

World Communications Day

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Order of Service



Mass at 10.30am
Sunday 24th May 2020
Instagram and YouTube Live Stream
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Welcome to Mass on the Seventh Sunday of Easter!

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Today is World Communications Day!

Before Mass starts, find yourself a comfortable place where you can concentrate for the Mass. Perhaps consider lighting a candle or placing a crucifix to focus on. You are welcome to add any prayer intentions to the comments section of the Live Stream.

Opening Hymn: Our God is Here, played by Art Wangcharoensab

Here in this time, here in this place,
Here we are standing face to face.
Here in our hearts, here in our lives,
Our God is here.
Here for the broken, here for the strong,
Here in this temple we belong.
Here in our hearts, here in our lives,
Our God is here.
And we cry

Here in the Word, God is revealed,
Here where the wounded can be healed.
Here in our hearts, here in our lives,
Our God is here.
Here we become what we receive,
Here in this Eucharistic feast.
We are his body, living as one;
Our God is here.
And we cry

"Holy! Holy! Holy are you!"

We cry: "Holy! Holy! Holy and true!"

Amen, we do believe our God is here.

Our God is here.

Gloria:

Gloria, Gloria, in excelsis Deo!

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Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you,
we bless you,
we adore you,
we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,

Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,

have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of
the Father,
have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles (1:12-14)

After Jesus was taken up into heaven the apostles went back from the Mount of Olives, as it is called, to Jerusalem, a short distance away, no more than a sabbath walk; and when they reached the city they went to the upper room where they were staying; there were Peter and John, James and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James son of Alphaeus and Simon the Zealot, and Jude son of James. All these joined in continuous prayer, together with several women, including Mary the mother of Jesus, and with his brothers.

Psalm: Come to Jerusalem

*Come to Jerusalem, rejoicing before him
Greet him with loud hosannas,
bow down, adore him!*

All peoples clap your hands,
cry out to your Maker!
God is the Lord of all,
O tremble and fear him!

God is the king of all the nations,
O praise him!
Praise him with all your skill,
Enthroned in his temple!

God mounts the throne with joy,
with blaring of trumpets!
Sing praise to God almighty,
king of all nations!

Peoples and princes come
In homage to meet him,
God is the mighty one,
The world in his kingdom!

A reading from St Peter's first letter (1 Peter 4:13-16)

If you can have some share in the sufferings of Christ, be glad, because you will enjoy a much greater gladness when his glory is revealed. It is a blessing for you when they insult you for bearing the name of Christ, because it means that you have the Spirit of glory, the Spirit of God resting on you. None of you should ever deserve to suffer for being a murderer, a thief, a criminal or an informer; but if anyone of you should suffer for being a Christian, then he is not to be ashamed of it; he should thank God that he has been called one.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!
I will not leave you orphans, says the Lord;
I will come back to you,
and your hearts will be full of joy.
Alleluia!

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to John (17:1-11)

Jesus raised his eyes to heaven and said:
'Father, the hour has come: glorify your Son
so that your Son may glorify you;
and, through the power over all mankind that you have given him,
let him give eternal life to all those you have entrusted to him.
And eternal life is this:
to know you, the only true God,

and Jesus Christ whom you have sent.
I have glorified you on earth
and finished the work that you gave me to do.
Now, Father, it is time for you to glorify me
with that glory I had with you before ever the world was.
I have made your name known
to the men you took from the world to give me.
They were yours and you gave them to me,
and they have kept your word. Now at last they know
that all you have given me comes indeed from you;
for I have given them the teaching you gave to me,
and they have truly accepted this, that I came from you,
and have believed that it was you who sent me.
I pray for them;
I am not praying for the world
but for those you have given me,
because they belong to you:
all I have is yours and all you have is mine,
and in them I am glorified. I am not in the world any longer,
but they are in the world, and I am coming to you.'

Offertory Hymn: Here is Love, sung by Felisha and Art

*We do not expect or presume any offertory, as you may well be giving to your usual parish,
but if you are able to donate to us, we appreciate it very much and the link to online
donations, standing orders and postal donations is www.bcys.net/donate*

Communion Hymn: 10,000 Reasons by Rend Collective

Recessional Hymn: I will be with you

*I will be with you wherever you go
Go now throughout the world!
I will be with you in all that you say
Go now and spread my word!*

Come walk with me on stormy waters
Why fear? reach out, and I'll be there

Your life will be transformed with power
by living truly in My name

And you, my friend, will you now leave me,
or do you know me as your Lord?

And if you say: 'Yes, Lord I love you'
then feed my lambs and feed my sheep.

To read Pope Francis' full message for World Communications Day, go to:

http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/communications/documents/papa-francesco_20200124_messaggio-comunicazioni-sociali.html

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Coming Up...

Acts 4:32

Every day at 4:32pm, we will post a video of someone talking about a Saint who inspires them! Join us for the fourth and final week!

Daily Mass

Mass will be Live Streamed on Instagram and YouTube at 10.30am!

Pentecost Sunday

On Pentecost Sunday, Mass will be Live Streamed at 10.30am. This Mass will be especially for those who were meant to be confirmed this year, with a special message from Bishop Alan.

Weekly Youth Mass

On Wednesdays, Mass is at 8pm!
Next Wednesday (27th May) is focussing on Sharing the Good News!



Have you or any of your friends done something special during lockdown?
Raise money for charity?
Bake cakes for your street?
Been especially nice to a neighbour?

We would love to hear your good news
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