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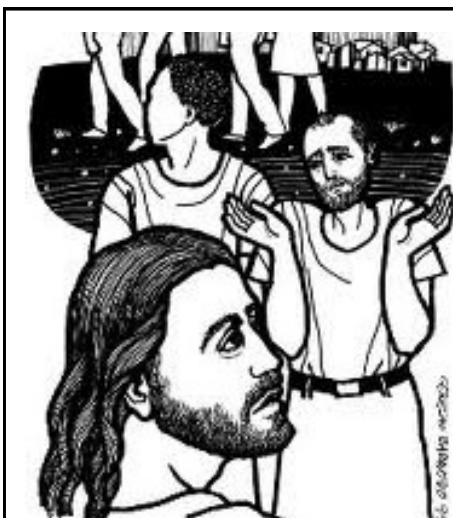
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SUNDAY 2 JUNE 2019

Seventh Sunday of Easter - Year C

World Communications Day



The gospel today is part of the great prayer Jesus made during the Last Supper (Jn 17). It has three parts. In the first part (vv.1-5) Jesus prays for himself. In the second part (vv.6-19) he prays for his disciples.

Our reading gives the third part of Jesus' prayer (vv.20-26). Here he prays for the community of the future who will believe through their preaching. He prays that his disciples may be so united that they share in the unity of the Trinity itself. He prays that they will be with him in glory. Meanwhile he will remain with them in love.

Confession:

St Andrew's: Sat 9am & 4.30pm

St Peter's: Sat 10am

St Philip's: Sat 9am

St Theresa's: Sun after 11.30am

Adoration:

St Andrew's: Tue 10am to 11am

Thu 7pm to 8pm

Sat 4.30pm to 5pm

St Peter's: Sat 10am to 10.30am

St Philip's: Sat 9am to 9.15am

Morning Prayer:

St Philip's: Tue, Thu & Sat

9.15am

Parish office opening hours:

Mon, Tue, Wed & Thu

9.30am to 12.30pm

Shared News ...

First Holy Communion: This morning we welcome our third group of children to receive First Holy Communion in St Andrew's and St Peter's parishes. The children in both St Andrew's & St Peter's parishes who have received First Holy Communion in the last few weeks will join us on Sunday 16th for their Thanksgiving Mass and breakfast. Please keep all the children in your prayers.

All the best: To our P7 children who this week are experiencing their first few days at St Margaret's Academy in the final part of this year's 'transition programme'.

Holy Family Lay Associates: The St Andrew's & St Peter's group will meet on Thursday 6 June in St Peter's.

St John's Hospital Mass: Fr Peter will celebrate Mass in the hospital at 5.00pm on Friday 7th. Everyone is welcome to this Mass.

Pentecost Celebration - Sunday 9 June: Fr Kenneth and Fr Simon would very much like everyone to gather together to celebrate faith and parish life on Pentecost Sunday. The event will take place in St Margaret's Academy starting at 3.00pm. This is a free, family event which will include music, singing and a guest speaker - Canon Malcolm Round of the Scottish Episcopal Church in Balerno. There will also be an opportunity to find out more about the various groups run in our four parishes. The afternoon will end with light refreshments. To give us an idea of numbers, can you please sign the sheet at the back of the church if you are able to join us.

St Margaret's Family Fun Day: The school are having a family fun day and BBQ on Sunday 9 June from 12.30 - 2.30pm. Why not go along and have something to eat before our Pentecost event.

Bereavement Café: Will start on Wednesday 12 June from 2.00pm - 4.00pm in St Andrew's hall. It is hoped that this informal setting may give support to those who have suffered the loss of a loved one. For more information, contact Veronica (Tel: 253 745).

Youth Club: Is now on holiday for the summer. Remember there is a meeting on Wednesday 12 June at 7.00pm in St Andrew's hall to discuss new ways of taking the youth group forward and continuing to provide something for our young people but in a different format. Anyone interested, please go along to the meeting.

St Margaret's Academy School Show: Our show this year is 'Hairspray' in Howden Park Centre on 12 & 13 June at 7.30pm. Tickets available from Howden Park online or the box office. Cost adult £10; child/concession £7; family ticket £30 (2 adults & 2 children).

RCIA: There will be an information evening on Thursday 13 June at 7.00pm in St Peter's. Anyone who might be interested in joining the group this year should go along to find out more.

Livi Modern: Is a free pop-up art exhibition and event about the architecture of Livingston New Town and showcases one of the most striking modern buildings in the area, our own St Andrew's Catholic Church (a category B listed building). The exhibition is a collaboration of four local artists and will include original artwork, video and some hands on 3D printing. The event takes place in St Andrew's on Saturday 15 June between 11.00am - 4.00pm and is part of Architecture Fringe 2019 (architecturefringe.com).

Next Sunday's Readings (09.06.19): Acts 2:1-11; Psalm 103; Romans 8:8-17; John 14:15-16. 23-26.

Recently Deceased: Peter Grennan, Colin Birrell, Susan Peden **Anniversaries (May):** Tom Flanagan, Robert Wallace, Ian Munro, Frank McQuade, Betty McGuire, Edward Egan, Hugh McVey, Anne Henderson, Peter McQuade, Johnny Byrne

ST PETER'S ...

Baptism: Please pray for Robert Harrison and Peyton Curran who will be baptised today.

Knit & Natter Group: Will meet on Wednesday at 12.30pm.

St John Ogilvie School Fete: The PFA are looking for donations for the tombola and bric-a-brac for the school fete on Saturday 8 June. They are also looking for volunteers to help on stalls on the day between 11.00am - 2.00pm. Please contact Catherine Paterson (Tel: 07940 715 214) if you can help.

Last Sunday's Collection: £1,105.58; **Church Stall:** £70.73; **SCIAF 'Wee' Boxes:** £1,139.51

ST ANDREW'S ...

Last Sunday's Collection: £928.57; **Building Fund:** £200.00; **Church Stall:** £136.94; **Aged & Infirm Clergy:** £471.02; **200 Club:** No 42 & No 120; **Sanctuary Candle:** Blessings to all First Holy Communion children and their families

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ST THERESA'S...

Friday 7th: The school children will join us for Mass on Friday morning.

Last Sunday's Collection:

£489.41; **Aged & Infirm Clergy:**

£241.83; **Bonus Ball Proceeds:**

£240.00; **Bonus Ball Winner:** No

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ST PHILIP'S ...

Fairtrade: Stall today, Sunday 2nd.

Last Sunday's Collection:

£458.21; **Aged & Infirm Clergy:**

£262.02; **200 Club:** No 23 N White

(26.05); **Sanctuary Candle:**

Thanksgiving for good health report



53rd World Communications Day Message (extract from Archbishop Tartaglia's letter)



My Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ

From a like to an Amen

From social network communities to the human community

In his message for World Communications Day this year, Pope Francis returns to the theme of the internet and the world of social communications, reminding us that no matter what technology might offer us *the human person does not want to be left isolated and alone*. I urge you to read his text in full which is available on the website of the Catholic Media Office at www.scmo.org.

The positive use of the internet and social media depends on respectful communication. Respectful communication speaks the truth in charity. If every user of social media spoke the truth in charity, many people, including young people and children, would be happier, safer and better informed.

In other words, speaking the truth in charity, and allowing the truth to be spoken, is a recognition that we are part of a community. Lies, on the other hand, divide us, and, as Pope Francis points out, are a *selfish refusal to recognise that we are members of one body; lies are a refusal to give ourselves to others, thus losing the only way to find ourselves*.

Realising that we are part of one Body, whose Head is Christ, will help us to see others as our neighbours not our competitors. It is important to remember always that online communications should complement, not replace, actual encounters and interaction with others.

Technology should pave the way for dialogue and a culture of respectful and civilised communications. It will then serve the interests of humanity and the plan of our creator, that we should love one another as He loves us.

On this Communications Sunday, I ask you ...

- To promote a culture of respectful and civilised communications;
- To become discerning consumers of news media;
- To be regular readers of our catholic press and generous supporters of the Church's dedicated communications staff

Yours devotedly in Christ

Philip Tartaglia

Archbishop of Glasgow

President, Communications Commission of the Bishop's Conference of Scotland

Copies of the full letter are available from the back of the church



Drodzy, **Wniebowstąpienie Pańskie** świętowane było w Szkocji w czwartek, a w Polsce w te niedzielę-pobożni mieli dwukrotnie okazję medytować powrót Jezusa do Ojca i obietnicę Ducha Świętego! **Jezus niósł się w ich obecności w górę i obłok zabrał Go im przed oczu.** Wniebowstąpienie to koniec ukazywania się Zmartwychwstałego Pana uczniom i oczekiwanie na szczególne dary Ducha Świętego.

W ten weekend świętujemy także podwójnie w naszych polskich społecznościach. Jest to bowiem **dzień pierwszej komunii świętej rodziców i dzieci, którzy zdecydowali się na tę uroczystość w języku polskim.** Ciesząc się tą polską uroczystością jesteśmy świadomi, że w czasie szkockich pierwszych komunii duża część dzieci jest pochodzenia polskiego, ale rodzice z dziećmi zdecydowali się na ceremonie w języku angielskim. Cieszymy się z tej różnorodności, a wszystkie dzieci przygotowywane po polsku poznają także modlitwy i formuły sakramentów po angielsku, bo to jest ich główny język edukacji.

Drugą radością, którą przeżywamy są msze święte prymicyjne ks. Jarosława – pallotyńca. Razem z drugim neoprezbiterem – ks. Dominikiem, przybyli po swoich święceniach do Szkocji i do nas, by podziękować Bogu za włączenie ich do kapłaństwa Jezusa Chrystusa i podziękować tym wszystkim, którzy im pomagali w nauce języka angielskiego. Msze prymicyjne to szczególne przeżycia, a błogosławieństwo udzielane rękami drżącymi z przejęcia przy sprawowaniu sakramentów mają szczególną moc. Po mszach zechciejmy osobiście pogratulować neoprezbiterom ich święceń i zaprosić ich do pracy w Szkocji, bo tu potrzeba gorliwych i ofiarnych duszpasterzy - ks. Piotr

DATE	ST ANDREW'S	ST PETER'S	ST PHILIP'S	ST THERESA'S	FEAST DAY
Sun 2 June	9.00am Polish PK 11.30am Mass KO <i>John McGinness</i>	9.30am Mass SH <i>Hugh Nicolson RIP</i> 5.30pm Mass SH <i>People of the Parish</i>	9.30am Mass JS <i>William Mulligan RIP</i>	11.30am Mass JS <i>People of the Parish</i>	7th Sunday of Easter - Year C
Mon 3 June	No Service	No Service	No Service	9.00am Mass JS <i>Nathalie Bolou RIP</i>	Memorial of St Charles Lwanga & Companions
Tue 4 June	9.30am Mass JS <i>Jessie McLeish</i>	6.00pm Mass SH	9.30am Mass KO <i>Holy Souls</i>	No Service	Tuesday 7th week of Eastertide
Wed 5 June	9.30am Mass JS <i>Haas Morrison RIP</i>	9.30am Mass SH <i>Special Intention</i>	No Service	6.00pm Mass KO <i>Robert Grant</i>	Memorial of St Boniface
Thu 6 June	9.30am Mass JS <i>Donor's Intention</i>	9.30am Mass SH	9.30am Mass KO <i>Donor's Intention</i>	No Service	Thursday 7th week of Eastertide
Fri 7 June	9.30am Mass KO <i>Donor's Intention</i>	No Service	No Service	9.00am Mass JS <i>Cardinal K P O'Brien</i>	Friday 7th week of Eastertide
Sat 8 June	9.30am Mass JS <i>Donor's Intention</i> 5.30pm Vigil JS	9.30am Mass SH <i>James Coyne</i> 6.30pm Polish PK	9.30am Mass KO <i>Donor's Intention</i>	No Service	Saturday 7th week of Eastertide
Sun 9 June	9.30am Polish PK 11.30am Mass JS <i>Peter Greenan RIP</i>	9.30am Mass SH <i>Eileen Carol</i> 5.30pm Mass PK <i>People of the Parish</i>	9.30am Mass KO <i>Peter Stewart</i>	11.30am Mass KO <i>People of the Parish</i>	Solemnity of Pentecost - Year C