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Sunday 29th May	SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER World Communications Day 10.00 am Mass: People of the Parish
Monday 30th May	of Eastertide 9.00 am Rosary 9.30 am Mass
Tuesday 31st May	The Visitation of Our Lady 9.00 am Rosary 9.30 am Mass
Wednesday 1st June	St Justin No Mass
Thursday 2nd June	of Eastertide No Mass
Friday 3rd June	St Charles Lwangi and Companions 8.30 am Adoration 9.30 am Mass
Saturday 4th June	of Eastertide 9.00 am Rosary 9.30 am Mass
Sunday 5th June	PENTECOST Day of Prayer for the Church Queen Elizabeth's Platinum Jubilee Celebration 10.00 am Mass: People of the Parish

**Confessions are available before and after Mass,
or on request.**

NOTICES

World Communications Day - Sunday 29th May

Today there will be a mandatory Second Collection for World Communications. The title of this year's message is 'Listening with the ear of the heart'. Listening involves more than hearing, and is the foundation of genuine relationships. Pope Francis, quoting St Paul, noted that 'faith comes through hearing'.

Platinum Jubilee Mass and Lunch afterwards

Next Sunday, 5th June, is Queen Elizabeth's Platinum Jubilee so there will be special prayers and a special hymn at Mass, followed by a 'bring and share lunch' immediately afterwards. If you would like to come to the lunch, contributions of food are welcome. Please sign the list at the back of church, including what item(s) you would be able to bring. It is important that you sign today so catering arrangements can be made.

First Communion Certificates

The children who made their First Holy Communion last week will be presented with their certificates at Mass next Sunday, 5th June.

Middle Eastern Lunch

Today, 29th May, the parishes of St John in Beverley and Sacred Heart in Hornsea are holding a Middle Eastern Lunch at 12.30 pm in the Parish Hall, Southgate, Hornsea HU11 1RE. Tickets: £5 adults, £3 for children (under 5 free), available from Chris Cuthill.

Camino Sponsored Walk for Ukraine, St Anthony's & CAFOD

Many congratulations to Paul, who is now back home after completing his walk. Mary and Paul will be available after Mass to collect any donations or sponsorship money.

He will be dividing the money raised between St Anthony's Church and the Ukraine.

Paul is also fundraising nationally for CAFOD on:

www.justgiving.com/Paul-REVILL8

'A Pause for Thought'

Monica Chapman, a parishioner of Sacred Heart Church in Hornsea, has produced a book, 'Pause for Thought', to raise funds for the Welcome House Charity which has a centre for refugees and asylum seekers in Hull. It is a beautiful book of inspirational reflections, prayers and artwork put together by Monica during lockdown.

The first print run for the book has been funded by Monica herself, so all money raised from the sale of the book will go directly to Welcome House. It costs £5 and a few copies are on sale from Lynne in the repository after Mass. (Copies can also be ordered from Chris Cuthill if necessary.)

Do **you** know the 'meaning of life'? A young man told his mother: "Mum, I've worked out the meaning of life - we're born, we grow, we evolve then we help others." He was nine years old! This is one of the gems to be found in 'A Pause for Thought'.

Church Keys

Do you have a church key? If so, please let Fr Antony or Deacon Bob know so the record of key holders can be updated.

Hospital Chaplain

If you, or someone you know, is in hospital and would like a visit from the Chaplain, please contact Deacon Bob directly on 470456; if you go through the hospital chaplaincy to arrange a visit it is much more complicated.

Date for your Diary

Relics of St Bernadette

The Relics will be visiting the country in the early autumn. The Relics will be at the Cathedral for 24 hours between 2nd and 3rd October, and at Our Lady of Lourdes and St Peter Chanel between 5th and 6th October. More exact timings will be available later.

Prayer for Ukraine

(Bishop Kenneth Nowakowski of the Ukrainian Catholic Church)

God of peace,
your prophet Isaiah promised swords
would be turned into ploughshares,
and your Son's mother Mary
proclaimed the mighty would be put down
and the humble exalted.

Visit the people of Ukraine:
deliver them from fear, violence, attack,
injury, destruction and death;
and give them courage, solidarity,
and allies in their hour of vulnerability and sorrow.

Turn the hearts of those bent on war and invasion.
Strengthen the hand of all seeking to halt conflict,
restore order, and pursue justice.

And make this moment of peril an occasion
for your Holy Spirit to show your world the cost of conflict,
and our dependence on one another.

In Christ our Lord who went to his death
because of our hatred,
and rose again
because our hatred is never stronger
than your indomitable love.

Amen.

Prayer sent by Missio