



Dome of Home

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Trinity Sunday

31st May - 7th June 2026



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✠ **Feast of Corpus Christi:** This Thursday, there will be a Low Mass with organ accompaniment. Unfortunately, there will be no Adoration at 5.30pm. Canon Post will hear confessions prior to the Mass if he does not fall victim to any travelling mishaps! There will be a Eucharistic procession following the Sung Mass next Sunday, on the external solemnity of Corpus Christi.

✠ **First Communions for children:** The final preparatory class will be held on 6th June at 11am. Next Sunday, we will have the joy to witness several of our young children receive Our Lord for the first time.

✠ **Reception into the Church:** Congratulations to Mr. Andrew Joseph Maria Williams who made his profession of faith, reception and confirmation into the Catholic Church yesterday, Saturday, 30th May! Today, he will make his first Communion! Thanks be to God.

✠ **Wedding of Tom Keating and Grace Houghton:** The happy couple was united in Holy Matrimony yesterday at the Church of Ss. Michael and Cajetan (ICKSP) in Florence. Ad multos annos!

✠ **1st Thursday prayer group for priests:** The group will meet this week at St. Catherine's in Hoylake from 1-2 pm.

✠ **Introduction to the Solesmes Method of Gregorian Chant:** We will be holding three workshops on Saturdays, 27th June and 18th July from 11.00-12.30 run by Canon Montjean and Christian Spence exploring some key aspects of the Solesmes Method of singing Gregorian Chant. They will cover reading the neumes, rhythm, modality and spirituality of this method, with both theory and an opportunity to sing and practice. Members of the schola and choir are particularly encouraged, but all are welcome who have an interest in discovering more of this great Catholic treasure! We will follow this with a more in-depth course from September.

✠ **Reduced schedule during the summer months:** Dear faithful, please note carefully that there will be a slight reduction in services during the summer months, since only one priest will be present.

On Sunday evenings throughout the summer, there will be no Vespers or Compline. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will begin at 4.30 followed by rosary and benediction.

On Saturday morning, there will be no adoration. Confession will be offered from 9.20am - 9.50am prior to the Mass.

Beginning the week of 8th June, there will be no adoration, confession or Mass on Monday and Thursday at the Dome. As always, the church will be open during the day for private prayer.

The full liturgical schedule of services will be resumed in September, following the General Chapter of the ICKSP.

Announcements

✠ **Choir Practices:** on [Monday at 7.15pm](#). **Gregorian Chant Rehearsals:** Every 2 weeks. [Next practice: 8th June](#). **Polyphonic Choir Rehearsals:** Every 2 weeks. Please contact Clare Tucker: tuckerobertson@gmail.com or 01516 391 999/07714 710 275. [1st June](#).

✠ **Last Sunday Collection:** Loose plate £783.15 Boxes £165.95 Bank Transfers £ N/A Shop £193.90 **Total £1143.00**
If you wish to donate via bank transfer, please use the following: Sort Code: 40-45-14 - Account number: 01805061 - For the credit of ICKSP / SSPPP.

✠ **Donation point:** Since last October, a new “Card donation point” has been installed. You can also make donations to Ss. Peter & Paul and St. Philomena Church by scanning the following QR Code on your phone. Thank you for your support!



✠ **Piety Shop:** The Piety shop has a selection of postcards with views of the Dome for purchase. Also lovely cards and gifts for Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation and Ordination as well as Birthday and Thank you cards. All reasonable prices and all profits go to the Dome. Thank you for your continued support from the Piety Shop Team - Angela Sarah and Anne.

✠ **200 Club:** If you would like to join the 200 Lottery club there are plenty of numbers available. The cost is £1 per week per number. This must be paid monthly by standing order which is £4.33 per month per number. Come and see Anne in the Piety Shop to sign up for your number and details for payment. All profits to the Dome. Thank you.

✠ **Church Cleaning: MORE HELP NEEDED PLEASE, THE DOME IS A BIG CHURCH TO CLEAN! 11-12am every Saturday morning after Mass.** Coffee and biscuits afterwards! Please contact Joyce at 07887 580 547 if you would like to join us. *Thank you to all who generously give their time to the upkeep of the church.*

✠ **Donations for refreshments after the 10.30 Mass :** A total of £179.55 was donated during May for Aid to Church in Need - Thank you! In June we will collect for foodbank.

✠ **Refreshment after 10.30 Mass:** We are always looking for new volunteers to help set up, serve and clear up after 10.30 Mass refreshments. If you think you could be on a rota every 2/3 weeks, please contact one of the refreshment volunteers!

✠ **Apiculæ – Rosaries & Chaplets:** For beautiful handmade rosaries and chaplets, silver, copper, bronze & brass, see Elaine Gibbons. Commissions taken! Contact elaineapiculae@gmail.com or 01519 241 178.

Forthcoming events

✠ **Adult Catechism Class – “Bread of Angels – The Holy Eucharist”:** One Friday per month, all are welcome regardless of prior knowledge, both Catholics and non-Catholics. The next class will be held on [Friday, 17th July at 7.15pm](#), following the evening Mass.

✠ **Adult Catechism Class – “The Catholic Moral Life”:** One Saturday per month, all are welcome regardless of prior knowledge, both Catholics and non-Catholics. The next class will be held on [Saturday, 13th June at 11am](#). Topic: Formation of Conscience.

✠ **Craft Group:** knitting, patchwork, dressmaking, lace making and embroidery. Beginners welcome. Contact: Dorothy McCarthy 07767 752 671. [Next meeting, Saturday, 6th June](#).

✠ **Summer dinner:** This year's Summer dinner will be on [Saturday 25th July](#) at Wallasey Golf Club at 7.30pm. The dinner will be less formal affair with a sumptuous 2 course Buffet plus tea and coffee and mints. If you would like to book your place please see Anne in the Piety Shop for more information. Cost is £30 per person payable by cash only please in advance. Thank you.

✠ **March for Life, Saturday, 5th September:** With sufficient interest, a coach to London could be organized. Further information will be forthcoming soon. Contact Jane Scott at 07596 930850 if interested.

✠ **For life matters and helplines:** see <https://lifecharity.org.uk>; for prolife helpline <https://www.goodcounselnet.co.uk> and abortion recovery <https://www.rachelsvineyard.org.uk>

Prayers for the Sick: Please keep in your prayers Elizabeth Shields, Angela Buckley, Michael, Roisin, Dermot, Eamonn, Sandra, Anne, Patricia, Vera, Lesley, Chris, Andrew, Madeleine, Sarah, John, Kathleen, Olivia, Lynne, Angela, Helen, Stuart, Jacqueline, Lindsey, Edward, Tracy, Mary, Peter Joseph, Janet, Michael, Donna and Gabriella.

Ordo	Mass	Mass intentions		Devotions	Confessions
		Canon Montjean	Canon Post		
Offer a Mass for your intentions using the Mass Offering envelope (narthex). Write name (living or deceased) or intention. Enclose donation. Place envelope in collection box or give to a Canon. The earliest available date for a Mass at the moment is: 23rd September				Confessions can also be arranged privately by texting a Canon (see front page)	
Sunday 31 st May Feast of the Most Holy Trinity <i>White</i>	8.30am Low Mass 10.30am Sung Mass	Carmel benefactors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Robert Little RIP Vicky Kearns 	4.30pm Adoration, Rosary & Benediction	9.40am– 10.15am
Mon 1 st June Our Lady Help of Christians (transferred feast) <i>White</i>	6.30pm Low Mass	Carmel benefactors	Robert Little RIP	5.30pm Adoration 6.10pm Benediction	5.30pm– 6pm
Tues 2 nd June Ss. Marcellinus, Peter and Erasmus <i>Red</i>	6.30pm Low Mass	Carmel benefactors	Robert Little RIP	5.30pm Adoration 6.10pm Benediction	5.30pm– 6pm
Wed 3 rd June Feria - 1 st Sunday after Pentecost <i>Green</i>	6.30pm Low Mass	Carmel benefactors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Robert Little RIP Marcie and baby 	5.30pm Adoration 6.10pm Benediction	5.30pm – 6pm
Thurs 4 th June Corpus Christi <i>White</i>	6.30pm Low Mass	Harry Roberts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Robert Little RIP Judith Ferrante & family 	5.30pm Adoration 6.10pm Benediction	5.30pm– 6pm
Friday 5 th June Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart <i>White</i>	6.30pm Low Mass	Pat Hacket	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eileen McDonagh Isolde Elisabeth Dorr 	5.30pm Adoration 6.10pm Benediction	5.30pm– 6pm
Saturday 6 th June Votive Mass of the Immaculate Heart <i>White</i>	10am Low Mass	Stephen Murphy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pauline Ryan William Watson 	No Adoration	9.20am– 9.50am
Sunday 7 th June External Solemnity of Corpus Christi <i>White</i>	8.30am Low Mass 10.30am Sung Mass & Eucharistic Procession	Marie Theresa RIP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Patricia Hinman Sally Ann 	4.30pm Adoration, Rosary & Benediction	9.40am– 10.15am

Notes on the Liturgical calendar

✠ This Monday, we will be celebrating the Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians, Patroness of the Diocese of Shrewsbury. The feast is normally on 24th May. However, Pentecost and its octave take precedence; thus, it is moved to the first available day afterwards.

✠ Wednesday is the first feria after paschal time. On ferias, if a Mass of a saint or a votive is not celebrated, the Mass from Sunday is resumed. In this case, it will be the 1st Sunday after Pentecost, which is impeded by the feast of the Holy Trinity.

✠ Thursday is the feast of Corpus Christi. We are unable to solemnise this day during the week, so we will have the sung Mass and procession next Sunday.

✠ Also note that it is 1st Friday and Saturday this week, with the Votive Masses of the Sacred and Immaculate Hearts as usual.

PROPERS FOR TRINITY SUNDAY

INTROIT *Tobias 12. 6*

Blessed be the Holy Trinity and undivided Unity: we will give glory to Him, because He hath shown His mercy to us. Ps. O Lord, our Lord, how wonderful is Thy Name in all the earth! V. Glory be to the Father.

COLLECT

O almighty and everlasting God, who hast granted to Thy servants, in confessing the true Faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of Majesty to adore the Unity: we beseech Thee, that by steadfastness in the same Faith, we may ever be defended against all adversity. Through our Lord.

EPISTLE *Romans 11. 33-36*

O the depths of the riches of the wisdom and of the knowledge of God! How incomprehensible are His judgments, and how unsearchable His ways! For who hath known the mind of the Lord? Or who hath been His counsellor? Or who hath first given to Him, and recompense shall be made Him? For of Him, and by Him, and in Him, are all things: to Him be glory for ever. Amen.

GRADUAL *Daniel 3. 55, 56*

Blessed art Thou, O Lord, that beholdest the depths and sittest above the Cherubim. V. Blessed art Thou, O Lord, in the firmament of heaven, and worthy of praise for ever.

ALLELUIA *Dan. 3. 52*

Alleluia, alleluia. V. Blessed art Thou, O Lord, the God of our fathers, and worthy to be praised forever. Alleluia.

GOSPEL *Matthew 28. 18-20*

At that time Jesus said to His disciples: All is power given to Me in heaven and on earth. Going therefore, teach ye all nations, baptizing them in the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost, teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you. And behold I am with you all days, even to the consummation of the world.

OFFERTORY *Tobias 12. 6*

Blessed be God the Father, and the only-begotten Son of God, and also the Holy Ghost; because He hath shown His mercy to us.

SECRET

Sanctify, we beseech Thee, O Lord, our God, by the invocation of Thy holy Name, the Sacrifice we offer, and by it make of us an everlasting offering unto Thee. Through our Lord.

COMMUNION *Tobias 12. 6*

We bless the God of heaven, and before all living we will praise Him; because He has shown His mercy to us.

Kyriale: Mass IV, Credo I

Polyphony: Ave Maria (Arcadelt)

Recessional: Holy God, We Praise Thy Name (213)

POSTCOMMUNION

O Lord, our God, may our reception of this Sacrament and our acknowledgment of the holy and eternal Trinity and Its undivided Unity profit us unto health of mind and body. Through our Lord.

THE ATHANASIAN CREED

Recited by clerics at the office of Prime on Trinity Sunday

Whosoever will be saved, before all things it is necessary that he hold the Catholic Faith. Which Faith except everyone do keep whole and undefiled, without doubt he shall perish everlastingly. And the Catholic Faith is this, that we worship one God in Trinity and Trinity in Unity. Neither confounding the Persons, nor dividing the Substance. For there is one Person of the Father, another of the Son, and another of the Holy Ghost. But the Godhead of the Father, of the Son and of the Holy Ghost is all One, the Glory Equal, the Majesty Co-Eternal. Such as the Father is, such is the Son, and such is the Holy Ghost. The Father Uncreated, the Son Uncreated, and the Holy Ghost Uncreated. The Father Incomprehensible, the Son Incomprehensible, and the Holy Ghost Incomprehensible. The Father Eternal, the Son Eternal, and the Holy Ghost Eternal and yet they are not Three Eternals but One Eternal. As also there are not Three Uncreated, nor Three Incomprehensibles, but One Uncreated, and One Incomprehensible. So likewise the Father is Almighty, the Son Almighty, and the Holy Ghost Almighty. And yet they are not Three Almighty but One Almighty.

So the Father is God, the Son is God, and the Holy Ghost is God. And yet they are not Three Gods, but One God. So likewise the Father is Lord, the Son Lord, and the Holy Ghost Lord. And yet not Three Lords but One Lord. For, like as we are compelled by the Christian verity to acknowledge every Person by Himself to be God and Lord, so are we forbidden by the Catholic Religion to say, there be Three Gods or Three Lords. The Father is made of none, neither created, nor begotten. The Son is of the Father alone; not made, nor created, but begotten. The Holy Ghost is of the Father, and of the Son neither made, nor created, nor begotten, but proceeding.

So there is One Father, not Three Fathers; one Son, not Three Sons; One Holy Ghost, not Three Holy Ghosts. And in this Trinity none is afore or after Other, None is greater or less than Another, but the whole Three Persons are Co-eternal together, and Co-equal. So that in all things, as is aforesaid, the Unity in Trinity, and the Trinity in Unity, is to be worshipped. He therefore that will be saved, must thus think of the Trinity.