



**St Margaret Mary,
Birmingham
THE MOST HOLY BODY AND
BLOOD OF CHRIST
6 June, 2021**

Priest: ✠ In the name of the
Father and of the Son and of the
Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

Priest: The Lord be with you

All: **And with your Spirit.**

Confiteor: I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned,
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done and in what I
have failed to do, through my fault,
through my fault, through my most
grievous fault; therefore I ask
blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Priest: May Almighty God have
mercy upon us, forgive us our sins
and bring us to everlasting life.
Amen.

Kyrie Eleison

Gloria in excelsis 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.**

First reading: Exodus 24.3-8
*Moses builds an altar and then
offers sacrifice and the people
renew the Covenant.*

Psalm response: *The cup of
salvation I will raise, I will call on the
Lord's name.*

**Second reading: Hebrews 9.11-
15** *The blood of Christ is what takes
with him into the sanctuary of
sacrifice.*

Gospel acclamation: *I am the living
bread which has come down from*

heaven, says the Lord. Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever.

Gospel: Mark 14.12-16, 22-26

Jesus took the bread and said, 'this is my body'...

Homily

Nicene Creed I believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things, visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, *and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary and became man.* For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection

of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Offertory Pray Brethren that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the almighty Father.

All: **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

Sanctus: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The Mystery of faith: We proclaim your Death O Lord, and profess your Resurrection, until you come again.

Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are called to his supper of the Lamb.

All: **Lord I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

Dismissal: Go in the peace of Christ. **Thanks be to God.**

Notices * Figures for 30/5/21: Gift Aid: £; Loose £ ; Attendance: 158

* Congratulations to Nora and Norris Okeke on their 21st Birthday. Ad multos annos!

* 'Beautiful Songs and Spirituals' Concert at 7.30pm on **Tuesday, 6th July** at 7.30pm with Jobe Sullivan and Jeanne Conard. Tickets will be £7, (£20 Family ticket) includes refreshments. Profits to organ fund. You can also purchase single tickets at £7 from Eventbrite website:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/beautiful-songs-and-spirituals-tickets-156414587241?utm-campaign=social%2Cemail&utm-content=attendeeshare&utm-medium=discovery&utm-source=strongmail&utm-term=checkoutwidget>

* Blessing of the new Statue of Our Lady of Walsingham and the new organ by Monsignor Keith Newton **Sunday, 11th July** at 11am Mass, followed by refreshments.

* Songs of Praise, **Friday, 16th July** at 6.30pm why not have your favourite hymn or psalm or spiritual song played on our new organ?

* **Our foodbank is again full. Many thanks for your donations.** Please phone Carmel Dowdall on 07943 577638.

*Summary of the Covid situation for churches from 17 May:

- * Toilets now open
- * Church allowed to be open during the day for prayer
- * Hand sanitiser should remain available and its use be encouraged.
- * Good ventilation remains important.
- * Face masks continue to be worn.
- * Cleaning of churches once a day is sufficient
- * Church capacity can be increased up to 50% of capacity. 1m social distancing still applies.
- * Indoor, congregational singing remains prohibited although small group singing is allowed, if essential, limited to groups of no more than 6.
- * Votive candles allowed once more to be lit
- * Stewards required only for weekend Mass
- * Track and trace methods should be available.
- * The sign of peace remains suspended.
- * Holy Communion remains under one kind. Communion on the tongue allowed, but those who wish to receive in that way should wait until the end of communion and hands should be sanitised.
- * Offertory collections may resume but not by passing around.
- * Baptisms – 30 people at a stand-alone celebration.
- * Confirmation – capacity of church.
- * Marriage – 30 people.
- * Funerals – capacity of church.

* Many thanks for all your donations to the new organ. We have now raised **£11,300**. We are fund-raising for a further £3,270.

* Pope Francis prayer intention for June: *Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience.*

* www.portal.mag.uk is out for June. There is now a weekly podcast

available on:

<https://soundcloud.com/user-666404058>

* **India Covid situation:** As coronavirus brings devastation across India, CAFOD is working to provide vital support to poor and marginalised communities. Donate to CAFOD's Coronavirus Appeal here: cafod.org.uk/give. Please keep praying for the people of India and all those affected by the pandemic.

* A concert **Thursday, 10th June**, 7pm - 8pm by Genesis Foundation and the Sixteen is being live streamed from The Immaculate Conception Church, Farm Street, London of a composition inspired by Newman's meditation & prayer. <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/Event/genesis-foundation-announces-newman-meditation-prayer>

***Prayers for the departed:**

Thomas Doyle, Mary Margaret Parrott, Marjorie Derbyshire, Rev John Polkinghorne, Rev David Reed, Barbara Lewis, Liam Mooney, Patrick Nolan, Tomek Tobiasz, Monica Lenkowicz, HRH Prince Philip, Margaret Hall, Howard Merrett, Andrew Madden, Mary Beardshaw, John Leydon, Zdzislaw Gorlewski, Terese McElhinny, Greta Merle West, Martin Brennan, Sister Philomena Walsh, Teresa Eiko

THIS WEEK Saturday, 5th June.
6.30pm Mass (HRH Prince Philip).

Sun 6th June **THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (Corpus et Sanguis Christi)** 9.30am Mass (Greta Merle West RIP). 11am Mass (Mary Mealy). *Fair tax week 5-13 June* (www.catj.org.uk)

Monday, 7th 6pm Confirmation rehearsal for 'external' candidates. 7pm Mass (Special intention of Margaret Hemming).

Tuesday, 8th June 8.55am Rosary. 9.15am Mass (Mary Beardshaw RIP).

Wednesday, 9th 8.35am Adoration. 9.15am Mass (Josef Szewc RIP). 5pm and 7pm Confirmation Mass. [No Sycamore]

Friday, 11th **THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS.** 9.15am Mass with 1st Holy Communion.

Saturday, 12th June. The Immaculate Heart of Mary. 6.30pm Mass (The deceased members of the Hiney family RIP).

Sun 13th June **The 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time.** 9.30am Mass (Pro populo). 11am Mass (June Banbury).

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Concert: Beautiful Songs & Spirituals

Tuesday 6th July, St Margaret Mary's Church, Birmingham B237AB

An evening of beautiful songs and spirituals performed with voice and piano.

The programme will feature compositions by Bach, Barber and Vaughan Williams as well as traditional Spirituals such as 'Steal Away' and 'Round About the Mountain'.

Jeanne Conard Jones hails originally from Cincinnati, Ohio. She moved to Germany for 30 years of her life where she conducted choirs and regularly performed as a coloratura lyrical soprano soloist.

She is accompanied by Jobe Baker-Sullivan, a composer and local amateur who plays regularly at the Church venue on a Sunday.

Jobe will also play a couple of numbers on our newly installed organ.

Tickets (in advance): £7 or £20 Family ticket

Doors open 7pm, Concert begins at 7.30pm

Book in advance by contacting: 0121 3730069 or fr.simon.ellis@rcaob.org.uk

Refreshments available

Come and enjoy high quality live music again on your doorstep!

