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PENTECOST

		Goring	Sat 6pm Pamela Gassick RIP
		Goring (Latin)	8.00am Parish & people
		Goring	10.00am Crispin Rapinet (ill)
		Woodcote	11.30am Private intention (FrJL)
		Goring	11.30am <i>Jubilee Praise in the Rectory Gardens</i>
Monday 6	Mary, Mother of the Church	Goring	7.30am Fr David Sprong, Cong. Orat.
Tuesday 7	Feria (Votive of the Holy Spirit)	Goring	8.00am <i>Rosary Meditations for the Gap Festival</i>
	<i>First Tuesday</i>		6.00pm Farnborough Abbey
Wednesday 8	Feria (Votive of the Holy Spirit)	Goring	9.30am Sam's intentions
Thursday 9	OLJC ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST	Woodcote	12.00pm Private intention
Friday 10	Feria (Votive of the Holy Spirit)	Goring	9.00am <i>Holy Hour</i>
		Goring	10.00am Carolyn Molyneux RIP
Saturday 11	St Barnabas	Goring	5.00pm <i>Confessions</i>
		Goring	6.00pm Private intention (SBTW)
Sunday 12	THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	Goring (Latin)	8.00am Parish & people
		Goring	10.00am First Holy Communion children
		Woodcote	11.30am Private intention (FrKM)

The priests are always delighted to receive requests for Mass intentions. Please let us know about the ill, the housebound and those who need the Sacraments at home. The Rosary is prayed 15 minutes before the daily Mass. Mass is streamed on the parish page on Facebook. Thank you for your generosity to the Catholic Church in so many ways, not least financial.

PENTECOST

Today marks the end of Easter-tide and the second greatest festival of the Church's year. May God richly bless us all in the power of the Holy Spirit.

THE JUBILEE

As part of our celebrations of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee the Bishops have asked us to pray the traditional prayers for Her Majesty at all our Masses this morning. You will find these on the separate sheet. Mass will end with the National Anthem.

Goring's united service, *Jubilee Praise*, will take place in the Rectory Gardens at 11.30. Please walk round from OLSJ after Mass if you possibly can. There will be no post-Mass coffee this morning. This has been organised by the three churches in Goring. I will be preaching and other friends will be taking part. I will then drive up to Woodcote to join Fr Jacob and the friends at CTK if everything runs according to plan and on time. Fingers crossed with the street closure!

MASS OBLIGATION

As I mentioned a couple of weeks ago, the Obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and other holy days is restored from today - another step back to normality after the pandemic. Praise be! The bishops' letter is available at the back of both churches. However, we will continue streaming the Masses as I know that there are some friends for whom this has been a life-line.

8AM WORSHIP DURING THE GAP FESTIVAL

We kicked this off yesterday with plainsong Morning Prayer (Lauds.) Please support St Thomas's and the Free Church too this week.

Monday—Praying with your whole body (St Thomas's)

Tuesday—Rosary Meditations (OLSJ)

Wednesday—Prayer & reflection (Free Church)

Thursday—Goring Primary School service (St Thomas's)

Friday—Singing for the Soul (St Thomas's)

NEXT SUNDAY

Another generation of our younger friends will receive the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament as they make their first Holy Communion. They will have made their first Confessions during the week. Please pray for Cian Wells, Josephine Toolan, Molly Bonnett, Oscar Franklin; for Florence Hillsdon who will make her first Communion the following week; and also for Anthony Vinal who made his first Communion a couple of weeks ago in Oxford.

PAM GASSICK RIP

We send the family of Pam Gassick our sympathies. Pam died in Lyndhurst Care home ten days ago, fortified by the rites of the Church. Her Requiem Mass and funeral will be here on Tuesday 21 June at 10.30am.

VOTIVE LIGHTS

... burn during the month of June for the Brown and Mortimer families. Please ask if you would like to sponsor one in someone's memory.

PLEASE PRAY ...

... among the sick for William, Margaret, Jeanie, Rosemary, Anne-Marie, Elizabeth, Mary, John, Gill, Joan, Lavinia, Lyall, Tony, Patricia, Kevin, Dora, Grazyna, John, Linda, Patsy, Annabelle, John, Emily, Rose, Ilene, Richard, Catherine, Patrick, Anne, Malcolm, Ida, Charlotte, Denis, Henry, Teresa, Peter, Paul, Charlie, Jemima, Eddie, Barry, George, Fr Patrick, Maryrita, baby Robbie, Oliver, Crispin *Please keep us updated.* Please pray too for seven other parish friends.

... for those who have died, among them Pam Gassick, Lucy Birmingham, Simon Stacey, Kathleen Higgins and Carolyn Molyneux who have died recently; also for Henry Hankins (anniversary this week.)

... for Fr David Sprong of the Birmingham Oratory, ordained on Friday in a wonderful Mass at the Oratory.

... for Emily & Rowan, Emily & Tiandr , Kate & Thomas, Lily & Stephen soon to be married.

READERS AT MASS TODAY: 6pm: Chris Sexon; 10am: the Roberts family; 11.30: the Hart family.