



Our Lady of the Angels, East Leake

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11th– 19th May 2024 Seventh Week of Eastertide

*Preface of The Ascension I

Eucharistic Prayer III

Acclamation 2

Saturday <i>Vigil Mass*</i>	11 th May	5.30 -5.50pm 6pm	Confessions John Fox RIP
Seventh Sunday of Easter*	12 th May	11am	Margaret Worth RIP
Monday <i>Our Lady of Fatima</i>	13 th May	10am	Fr Derek Powney RIP
Tuesday <i>St Matthias</i>	14 th May	10am 10.30-11.00am	Fr George Towler RIP Exposition & Benediction
Wednesday <i>Easter Feria</i>	15 th May		No Public Mass
Thursday <i>Easter Feria</i>	16 th May	10.00am 10.30am - 12 noon	Service of the Word Communion & Exposition CAMEO Coffee Morning:- all welcome
Friday <i>Easter Feria</i>	17 th May		No public Mass
Saturday <i>Vigil Mass</i>	18 th May	5.30-5.50pm 6pm	Confessions Bob and Irene Harlow RIP
PENTECOST SUNDAY	19 th May	11am	People of the Parish

Confessions: can be heard before the Saturday evening Mass or by making an appointment with Fr Michael

Sunday is World Communications Day and there will be a second collection in support of the Communications Directorate of the Bishop's Conference of England and Wales. Pope Francis, in his message for the day, focuses on Artificial Intelligence – in particular its impact on information technology and communications. You can read the Pope's message at:-

<https://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/world-communications-day>

A reflection from Pope Francis for the Year of Prayer, Seventh Sunday of Easter: The communion of saints! Whenever we pray, we find ourselves immersed in a great stream of past, present and future intercessions, for we pray together with all the saints in the communion of the Body of Christ which is the Church. In Christ too, we sense a mysterious solidarity with our loved ones who have died, for whom we continue to pray. We experience this prayerful solidarity also here below, as we pray for one another and for our brothers and sisters who are poor, suffering and most in need. The full reflection and more resources are at dioceseofnottingham.uk/yearofprayer

Sudan Crisis Appeal Thank you for your generous response at short notice to this appeal for the displaced and starving people of Sudan. A total of £355 has been sent to CAFOD on your behalf.

CAFOD have also written to thank you for the £190 raised from our CAFOD cow at Christmas. We used the money to buy a cow and some chickens from the World Gifts catalogue - please see the poster in the Narthex. Buying gifts from the World Gifts catalogue helps CAFOD change the lives of some of the poorest people in the world by giving them the means to earn a living wage and support their families.

Holy Family Sisters of the Needy Mission Appeal The Holy Family Sisters of the Needy will be making an appeal at both Masses next weekend 18/19th May.

First Holy Communion Please continue to keep Toby, Lanre, Elicia and Sophia in your prayers as they approach making their First Holy Communion on 9th June.

Ask your MP to **Stop Abortion up to birth** being introduced. Diana Johnson and Stella Creasy have tabled amendments to the Criminal Justice Bill that would make extreme changes to our abortion laws. The Report Stage of the Criminal Justice Bill is going to be on this coming Wednesday 15 May. Both amendments would make it more likely that babies are aborted at home for any reason, up to birth. To oppose this, email your MP before next Wednesday via: <https://righttolife.org.uk/uptobirth>

Race Night Friday, 21st June. If you are not going to Ascot this year why not come to the parish Race Night? A very enjoyable evening is guaranteed and the tickets are £10 including a ploughman's supper. All proceeds to go to Aid to the Church in Need. Tickets on sale after Masses this weekend. If you can help with this fun event please contact Susan Fenny on 07920 115644.

Upcoming CAMEO and other parish events (until the end of June)

Thursday	16 May, 6th & 20th June	10.00am 10.30am - 12 noon	Service of the Word and Holy Communion CAMEO Coffee morning <i>All Welcome</i>
Thursday	23 & 30th May, 13 & 27 June	8pm	CAMEO Zoom Session: Talks Quizzes, Updates
Sunday	02 June	12 noon	Tea & Coffee in Parish Room at the back of our church – ALL welcome
Sunday	09 June	11am	First Holy Communions
Wednesday	19 June	7pm	Parish Pastoral Council Meeting
Friday	21 June	7pm	Race Night - Parish Room