

**The Parish of St Joseph Monks Kirby**  
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## Pentecost Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2020

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<p><b><u>Masses and Liturgy this week</u></b></p> <p>Mass will be said each weekday in Church. Please email Fr Matthew with any prayer requests to be prayed at the altar.</p>	<p><b><u>Church Open Times</u></b></p> <p>At present the Church is closed following government advice. You can still access via the keysafe if you need to get in.</p>
<p><b><u>Church Building News-</u></b> We have been granted planning permission for the proposed Church Room on the land at the back of the Church (where we place the marquee). This is good news for our parish and will allow us to move forward. On behalf of the parish we thank Tracey Darke who has worked so hard on this</p> <p><b><u>Clothes Bank-</u></b> Staff from the shop in Rugby are now emptying the clothes bank in the Church car park. Any donations of clothing items would be gratefully received.</p> <p><b><u>Items for notice Sheet-</u></b> If you have any news please email Fr Matthew before Friday.</p>	<p><b><u>Pentecost</u></b> is the birthday of the Church. Whilst we cannot meet at the moment please pray for all our community at St Joseph's on this special day.</p> <p><b><u>Mary, Mother of the Church-</u></b> Monday is the feast of Mater Ecclesiae. Whilst the sisters are no longer in the parish it would be good to remember them in your prayers on this day. The feast day is always the day after Pentecost.</p> <p><b><u>Fr Giles Goward-</u></b> Please pray for Fr Giles who has been appointed as the new Rector of St Mary's College, Oscott College in Birmingham. Oscott is our archdiocesan seminary.</p>