

**First Reading Acts 10:25-26, 34-35,44-48****A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles**

As Peter reached the house Cornelius went out to meet him, knelt at his feet and prostrated himself. But Peter helped him up. 'Stand up,' he said 'I am only a man after all!' Then Peter addressed them: 'The truth I have now come to realise' he said 'is that God does not have favourites, but that anybody of any nationality who fears God and does what is right is acceptable to him.' While Peter was still speaking the Holy Spirit came down on all the listeners. Jewish believers who had accompanied Peter were all astonished that the gift of the Holy Spirit should be poured out of the pagans too, since they could hear them speaking strange languages and proclaiming the greatness of God. Peter himself then said, 'Could anyone refuse the water of baptism to these people, now they have received the Holy Spirit just as much as we have?' He then gave orders for them to be baptised in the name of Jesus Christ. Afterwards they begged him to stay on for some days.

**The Word of the Lord****Thanks be to God****Responsorial Psalm Psalm 97:1-4****The Lord has shown his salvation to the nations.**

Sing a new song to the Lord  
for he has worked wonders.  
His right hand and his holy arm  
have brought salvation.

The Lord has made known his salvation;  
has shown his justice to the nations.  
He has remembered his truth and love  
for the house of Israel.

All the ends of the earth have seen  
the salvation of our God.  
shout to the Lord all the earth,  
ring out your joy.

**Second Reading 1 John 14:23****A reading from the First Letter of St John**

My Dear people, let us love one another since love comes from God and everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows God. Anyone who fails to love can never have known God, because God is love. God's love for us was revealed when God sent into the world his only Son so that we could have life through him; this is the love I mean: not our love for God, but God's love for us when he sent his Son to be the sacrifice that takes our sins away.

**The Word of the Lord****Thanks be to God****Gospel Acclamation****Alleluia alleluia**

**Jesus said: 'If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him.'**

**Gospel John 15:9-17**

The Lord be with you

**And with your spirit.**

A Reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

**Glory to you O Lord.**

Jesus said to his disciples: 'As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you. Remain in my love. If you keep my commandments you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and remain in his love. I have told you this so that my own joy may be in you and your joy be complete. This is my commandment: love one another, as I have loved you. A man can have no greater love than to lay down his life for his friends. You are my friends, if you so what I command you. I shall not call you servants any more, because a servant does not know his master's business; I call you friends, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father. You did not choose me, no, I choose you; and I commissioned you to go out and bear fruit that will last; and then the Father will give you anything you ask him in my name. What I command you is to love one another.'

**The Gospel of the Lord.****Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.****FRATELLI TUTTI**

39. Then too, "in some host countries, migration causes fear and alarm, often formented and exploited for political purposes. This can lead to a xenophobic mentality, as people close in on themselves, and it needs to be addressed decisively". Migrants are not seen as entitled like others to participate in the life of society, and it is forgotten that they possess the same intrinsic dignity as any person. Hence they ought to be "agents in their own redemption". No one will ever deny that they are human beings, yet in practice, by our decisions and the way we treat them, we can show that we consider them less worthy, less important, less human. For Christians, this way of thinking and acting is unacceptable, since it sets certain political preferences above deep convictions of our faith: the inalienable dignity of each human person regardless of origin, race or religion, and the supreme law of fraternal love.

40. "Migrations, more than ever before, will play a pivotal role in the future of our world". At present, however, migration is affected by the "loss of that sense of responsibility for our brothers and sisters on which every civil society is based". Europe, for example, seriously risks taking this path.

Nonetheless, "aided by its great cultural and religious heritage, it has the means to defend the centrality of the human person and to find the right balance between its twofold moral responsibility to protect the rights of its citizens and to assure assistance and acceptance to migrants".

**Pope Francis**

## Sixth Sunday of Easter

<u>Saturday</u>	6.00 pm	People of the Parish	St. MM
<u>Sunday</u>	9.30 am	Dennis Lowe RIP	St Ter
<u>Sunday</u>	11.30 am	Fred Graham RIP	Bl Sac
<u>Tuesday</u>	11.45 am	Francis Sheilds Requiem Mass	St. MM
<u>Wednesday</u>	10.45 am	Dennis Lowe Requiem Mass	St Ter
<u>Wednesday</u>	6.00 pm	John Killahan RIP Ascension of the Lord	SMM
<u>Thursday</u>	6.00pm	Anne Fealy Ascension of the Lord	Bl Sac

### SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

<u>SATURDAY</u>	6.00 PM	MARGARET GOODE (BDY)	SMM
<u>SUNDAY</u>	9.30 AM	MARY ESTELLE MORALES (HAPPY BIRTHDAY)	ST TER
<u>SUNDAY</u>	11.30 AM	MARGARET O'BRIEN (GET WELL)	BL SAC

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**FACE MASKS - ALL THOSE WHO ARE ATTENDING CHURCHES MUST WEAR A FACE COVERING UNLESS THEY ARE EXEMPT FROM DOING SO. THIS IS FOR THE GOOD OF ALL WHO GATHER IN THE CHURCH FOR MASS AS IT IS AN ENCLOSED PUBLIC SPACE WHERE THERE ARE PEOPLE FROM DIFFERING HOUSEHOLDS WHO THEY DO NOT NORMALLY MEET.**

**HOSPITAL - In the meantime, Priests will only go into the hospital in response to a request from the hospital switchboard or ward staff. Anyone in the hospital that requires a visit from a Priest should please go through the nurse or switchboard. This will be in an emergency only. There will be no Holy Communion rounds until further notice.**

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Follow the instructions. You can also call or email the parish office.

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#### **PLEASE AFTER MASS**

**WE ARE REQUIRED AT ALL TIMES TO MAINTAIN SOCIAL DISTANCE – FROM COMING INTO CHURCH TO LEAVING THE CHURCH**

Thank you to all our parishioners for your generous offertory donations. Thank you.

**Blessed Sacrament – In 2020 our community of Blessed Sacrament raised £170 through Red Boxes and donations to Missio and the Mill Hill Missionaries. Thank you! Communities around the world are so grateful that people here in Barnsley are supporting them through prayer and generous donations. The missionaries and the communities they serve are living in such difficult circumstances made even harder by Covid-19. They have asked us to pass on thanks and tell us that they pray for us all. Those with RED BOXES please return them for collection.**

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## SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

**My dear people,  
let us love one another since  
love comes from God  
and everyone who loves  
is begotten by God and knows God.  
Anyone who fails to love can  
never have known God,  
because God is love...**







