

WELCOME TO SAINT MARK'S CHURCH!

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

First Reading: Acts 8:5-8.14-17. We hear of the spread of the Good News and the coming of the Holy Spirit upon those who accepted it.

Second Reading: 1 Peter 3:15-18. It is better to suffer for doing right than for doing wrong.

Gospel: John 14:15-21. To love Christ is to listen to his words, and with the help of the Holy Spirit, to put them into practise in our lives.



*'I shall ask the Father,
and He will give you
another Advocate to be
with you for ever ...'*

The Regina Cæli—Sung after the Blessing & Dismissal in Eastertide

Joy to thee, O Queen of heaven. Alleluia!
He whom Thou wast meet to bear. Alleluia!
As He promised hath arisen. Alleluia!
Pour for us to God thy prayer. Alleluia!

V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.
R. For the Lord is risen indeed, alleluia.

Let us pray:

O God, who through the Resurrection of Thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ didst vouchsafe to give joy to the whole world: grant, we beseech thee, that through the prayers of His Mother, the Virgin Mary, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.



Deanery Synod Thursday 22nd June, 7:30pm at St Mary's, Handsworth with election of officers and guest speaker, Amanda Homer, Diocesan Finance Officer.

A stand of greetings cards will be placed in the Narthex with an honesty box to put your money in. Monies raised will go to church funds—Keith.

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The Society

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St. Mark's Church is affiliated to:

TODAY'S HYMNS: Hymns Old & New
INTROIT: 337 *Love divine*
GRADUAL: 39 *A new commandment*
OFFERTORY: 338 *Love is his word*
COMMUNION: 300 *Let all mortal flesh keep silence*
RECESSIONAL: (inside back cover) *Sing it in the valleys*
MASS SETTING - *Mass of S. Bernadette*—M. Stanley

THIS WEEK'S SERVICES: Sixth week of Easter

Sunday Readings: Year A;
Divine Office: Psalter Week 2

Sun. 21st 10:00 Sixth Sunday of Easter

Wed. 24th 12:00 6th week of Easter

Thu. 25th 09:30 6th week of Easter

Fri. 26th 12:00 S. Philip Neri, Priest (memoria)

**Sat. 27th 10:00 S. Augustine of Canterbury, bishop,
(Memoria)**

Sun. 28th 10:00 The Ascension of the Lord

◆ *Confessions by appointment with Fr Philip.*