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A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"Today too, Jesus calls us, in every situation, at all those times when we feel confused and fearful, overwhelmed and burdened by sorrow and self-pity. He comes to us as the Good Shepherd, he calls us by name and tells us how precious we are in his eyes. He heals our wounds, takes upon himself our frailties and gathers us into the unity of his fold, as children of the Father and brothers and sisters of one another."

Francis Roma

June 2nd Breaking News: The Archdeacon will preach for us for the Solemnity of Corpus Christi at the 10 a.m. Mass and Procession with Outdoor Benediction. PLEASE make every effort to be in church for this great feast and to greet Archdeacon Moira.

WFDNFSDAY

10 a.m. Mass with Anointing, Coffee and Chat

3.30 p.m. The Peace Tree event with children from Salfords Primary and Clair the head teacher.

FRIDAY

11 a.m. Village Hall Coffee Time with Carol's baked goods!

SATURDAY

12 Noon: May - Month of Mary Observance with Our Lady of Walsingham Cell. (See article in current magazine!) The Icon in church is a Greek Icon as a gift from my late sister Sandra who lived in Greece for several years Ave!

BARI ITALY ANNUAL ST NICHOLAS EVENTS. Fr Jim will attend as he has for some 15 years. An incredible experience. Interested?

Emergencies to Fr Doug and the Wardens. My normal 07742 856 149 should work. Fr John Scott will be back to take the Mass on 8 May. Welcome him back!

NB: May 12 is our celebration of the Ascension of Our Lord

19th May PENTECOST AND CELEBRATION OF THE MINISTRY of REVD FRANCES at the 10 a.m. Service (She has selected GREAT hymns). Please sign up for the lunch asap for catering needs. See Hazek and Sian for details. Let's show our thanks for her ministry and to the women ordained some 30 years back.

PLEASE wear RED, and if you speak another language, please be in touch asap. At 6 p.m. will be Vespers and Benediction with "a glass" after!

A SINCERE THANKS TO OUR WARDENS FOR THE STUNNING SILVER BAPTISMAL SHELL marking their time on the Camino of Santiago (St James the Great). This is the symbol of this great pilgrimage.

NOVENA begins 10-18 May marking THY KINGDOM COME observances across the Christian world. The theme is taken from the Book of Revelation. See Fr Jim

CHRISTIAN AID week begins week of May 12. See Jenny and Dave for details about the Ploughman's Lunch Fund raising.

A PLACE TO BELONG: TO BELIEVE: TO BECOME Come any Sunday and bring a friend. All are always welcome, all ages.

That in all things Christ may be glorified. Remember items for the Food Bank. The need is constant.