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**Readings next week. Trinity Sunday.**

**Isaiah 40. 12-17, 27 to end. (Brian). 2 Corinthians 13. 11 to end (Bupp).**

**Matthew 28. 16 to end.**

**Intercessor Alwyn.**

**MEDIA INFORMATION**

**THE WEBPAGE:**

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**FACEBOOK PAGES:** “Anglican Church of Mojacar” and “Anglican Church, Llanos del Peral”.

**Pastoral Care.** If you personally or anyone you are aware of, requires pastoral care please refer this to a member of our worship team.

**The Chaplaincy of Costa Almeria & Costa Calida.**

**“The Owl” - Chaplaincy NEWSLETTER.**

**28<sup>th</sup> May 2023. 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter.**

**Pentecost.**

*If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.*

*John 20, verse 23.*

**Welcome:**

A warm welcome is offered to all attending the services in the churches of this Chaplaincy. We offer a special welcome to visitors and newcomers and we hope the information on the back page will help you locate someone to make you feel welcome and answer any questions you may have.

**Collect**

Holy Spirit, sent by the Father, ignite us with your holy fire; strengthen your children with the gift of faith, revive your church with the breath of love, and renew the face of the earth, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

### **Introduction and Call to Worship.**

The Holy Spirit, promised by Jesus, is poured out upon the first disciples at Pentecost. The Spirit, the energy of God, enables them – and enables us – to go out and share the good news of God’s deeds in Jesus Christ with the whole world.

### **Hymns today.**

37	Angel voices ever singing round thy throne of light,
590	Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness,
84	Bread of heaven, on thee we feed,
47	As we are gathered, Jesus is here; <i>sing through twice.</i>
695	To God be the glory! Great things he has done;

### **Today's Readings**

**First Reading Acts 2:1-21** The Holy Spirit gives new power to the disciples, enabling them to share the good news of Christ with an international audience.

### **Second Reading 1 Corinthians 12:3b-13**

The Holy Spirit is the giver of gifts, which, although many and varied, are given by God for the building up of the Body of Christ.

### **Gospel John 20:19-23**

God the creator brought Adam to life by breathing into his nostrils. Now Jesus breathes new life into the disciples, giving them the Holy Spirit.

### **Introduction to the Peace**

In one Spirit we were all baptised into one body. In the power of the Spirit, we build each other up, for together we are the body of Christ. The peace of the Lord...

### **Post Communion Prayer.**

Almighty and eternal God, you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and live and reign in the perfect unity of love: hold us firm in this faith, that we may know you in all your ways and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory, who are three Persons yet one God, now and for ever.

**Amen**

### **Blessing**

May the Spirit of God, who breathed courage into the hearts of Jesus’ disciples, fill your lives with hope, vitality, and power to share the words and works of God. And the blessing of God almighty...

### **OTHER INFORMATION**

The next PCC meeting on Wednesday 7th June 10.30am at Miraflores. The church reps will ask congregations this Sunday if they would like anything bringing up for discussion.

### **Just a thought.**

Let your life as a Christian make non believers question their disbelief in God, and remember, it takes the same amount of energy to believe as it does to worry.

### **Prayer for this week,**

All mighty God, your ascended Son has sent us into the world to preach the good news of your kingdom; inspire us with your Spirit and fill our hearts with the fire of your love, that all who hear your Word, may be drawn to you, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

It is with great relief I would like to announce Mojacar Church now has a working toilet again. – *Alwyn.*

### **Sad news.**

Some of you will have already heard Terry Read, a member of the congregation in Mojacar for many years, died on Monday in England. His family are having his body cremated and his ashes will be returned to Mojacar for internment as he wished. Rest in peace, Terry.