

**Welcome to the Catholic Parish of Christ the King, Bedford**  
Sixth Week of Easter, 2026

The Psalm Responsory for this Sunday:

**Cry out with joy to God, all the earth**

Today there is a retiring collection for the 'Bishop's Fund'.

John Grogan reports on behalf of *Missio* (Red Boxes); that £310 has recently been collected from the boxes from this parish and the money banked with *Missio*.

**Schedule beginning Sunday 10th May 2026**

**Saturday 9th May**

6.00pm The Vigil Mass, Sean McCartin, birthday

**Sunday 10 May**

8.30am Holy Mass (Latin), Jack and Barbara Kennedy, intentions  
10.30am Holy Mass, Samuel Johnson, birthday

**Tuesday 12th May**

6.30pm Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

**Wednesday 13th May**

10am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

**Thursday 14th May, The Ascension, Holyday of Obligation**

10am Holy Mass,

**Saturday 16th May**

6pm Holy Mass,

**Sunday 17th May**

8.30am Holy Mass (Latin)  
10.30am Holy Mass, Joe and Mia Reynolds, Anniv.

**Tuesday 19th May**

6.30pm Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

**Wednesday 20th May**

10.am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

**Friday 22nd May**

Lunchtime, The Wedding of Brett and Gemma

**Saturday 23rd May**

10am to 10.45am Confession available  
6pm Vigil Mass

On the Feast of the Ascension this Thursday, a Holyday of Obligation, we have only the morning Mass at Christ the King. Later Masses are available in Bedford at:

7.00pm at St Frances Cabrini

7.30pm at St Joseph's

Also at SS Philip and James - but check their newsletter for the time.

Brett and Gemma have been preparing for their marriage for well over a year, and the big day is almost upon them. We are delighted that they are marrying in the parish and we ask God to bless their union greatly.

Last Sunday's Offertory: Collection: £402.67 Standing Orders: £142.80  
Total: £545.47 Thank you.

Thanks to all who donate to the parish by Standing Order. If you would like to donate in this way, please use these details:

Name: Christ the King Parish. Sort: 600611 Account: 46714332

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