

Sunday 9th May @ 10am

Readings

Acts 10 44-end

1 John 5 1-6

John 15 9-17

Collect for Sixth Sunday of Easter

God our redeemer, you have delivered us from the power of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of your Son: grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life, so by his continual presence in us he may raise us to eternal joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Thought for the Week Prayer Today

In today's reading (John 15 16) Jesus himself tells us: 'The Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name.'

In the Bible we find God's ear being bent; God even changing his mind about a matter; great things being brought to pass, by the persistent, fervent prayer of his chosen ones: not always of a nation, or a township, or even a household, but an individual.

In the blessed realization that individuals matter to God, may we use to the full the authority, privilege and honour God has given us, in the power of prayer in Jesus' name.