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## Pentecost Pilgrimage 2020

I have never thought of doing a pilgrimage often requiring journeying up high and low terrains. So when the opportunity to join an online pilgrimage I jumped at it. The journey has been marvellous and continues to be as I catch up on pilgrimage videos from speakers across Australia and the world.

I joined the pilgrimage just in time for the Holy Spirit Novena to Pentecost, my first novena admittedly doing it in my style. Now I am in catch up mode listening to last weekend's videos and the archive ones from when the pilgrimage started in April.

To date, I have heard exciting speakers from overseas along with Australian speakers; Fr Peter Zwann (Adelaide), Archbishop of Sydney Anthony Fisher, Judy Bowe MGL who appeared on The Amazing Race and Alex Jones (founder of Hallow app).

The Archbishop's message, 'shut up and listen' to the Holy Spirit has already been said twice by other speakers. Another nugget was '**tell your problems how big God is**'. The modern theme song really captured me with the line 'If you are alive and breathing, Praise the Lord'.

Seeing the Alpha Course, a course founded by the Anglican Church HTC England, being run in Catholic Churches abroad, begs the question of whether we will do it here too. I have always wanted to do this course and learn more about the person of Jesus Christ, designed for both believers and non-believers. Speaker Bo Sanchez really had a great message putting into context the well-known scripture of Jeremiah 29:11.

Perhaps you too would like to join this free online pilgrimage especially in these traditionally slower months. I hope you find it as rewarding as I have. Website is <https://www.pentecostpilgrimage.com>

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Today's Gospel Matt. 5:1-12



**FOR SURELY I KNOW THE PLANS I HAVE FOR YOU, SAYS THE LORD, PLANS FOR YOUR WELFARE AND NOT FOR HARM, TO GIVE YOU A FUTURE WITH HOPE. JEREMIAH 29:11**

Awareness of the sacred in life is what holds our world together, and the lack of the awareness of the sacred is what is tearing it apart.

In a High Spiritual Season - Joan Chittister



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