

The Most Holy Redeemer Catholic Church and St Dominic's Catholic Church

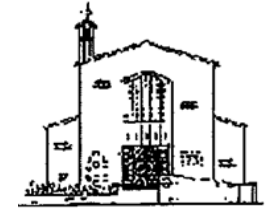


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MASS TIMES AND MASS INTENTIONS Saturday 12th April - Sunday 20th April

Sat 12th April

(MHR) 6.30pm:

Sun 13th April

(StD) 9am:

(MHR) 11am:

Mon 14th April

(MHR) 9.30am:

Tues 15th April

(StD) 9.30am:

Wed 16th April

(MHR) 9.30am:

Cathedral 11am:

Thurs 17th April

(StD) 9.30am:

(MHR) 7.30pm:

Fri 18th April

(MHR) 9.30am:

(MHR) 10.30am:

(MHR) 3pm:

(MHR) 4.30pm

(StD) 7pm:

Sat 19th April

(MHR) 9.30am:

(MHR) 8pm:

Sun 20th April

(StD) 9am:

(MHR) 11am:

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (C)

People of the Parish

Thanksgiving for Lynda Ezimoha & Family
Mary O'Sullivan R.I.P. Anniv- Dermot O'Sullivan

MONDAY of HOLY WEEK

Denise Storrar - Margaret Varndell

TUESDAY of HOLY WEEK

Tom Butler R.I.P. 26th Anniv- Claire Butler

WEDNESDAY of HOLY WEEK

NO MORNING MASS

THE CHRISM MASS - Brentwood Cathedral

EVENING MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

NO MORNING MASS

Solemn Mass of the Lord's Supper
Followed by Adoration of the Altar Repose until 11.00pm

FRIDAY PASSION OF THE LORD

NO MORNING MASS

The Stations of the Cross for FHC Children
Solemn Liturgy of the Passion of the Lord
The Stations of the Cross for Teenager's
Stations of the Cross

HOLY SATURDAY

Proper Office of Readings & Morning Prayer

CELEBRATION OF THE EASTER VIGIL & FIRST MASS OF EASTER (C)

People of the Parish

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD (C)

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PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (C)

13th April 2025

First Reading: *Isaiah 50:4-7* **Second Reading:** *Philippians 2:6-11* **Gospel:** *Luke 22:14 -23-56*

On this **Palm Sunday** we reflect upon a paradox of triumph and tragedy: the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem on the one hand and the Gospel proclamation of the passion and death of Jesus on the other. And even in the tragedy of Good Friday there is the triumph of Easter; Jesus, crucified, risen and in our midst.

On **Holy Thursday** we will commemorate the Lord's Supper: there is the washing of feet (a symbol of service); and then the eating of a meal—a sacrificial meal—in which Jesus gives himself to us in the signs of bread and wine (a symbol of our oneness not only with God but also with the human family).

On **Good Friday** we meditate upon the passion and death of Jesus: the Garden of Gethsemane; the trial; the crucifixion; and the burial; the veneration of the cross; and then a simple communion service.

And at the **Easter vigil** we reflect upon the passage of Jesus from this earthly life through death into eternal life; the resurrection of Jesus is the pledge of our own liberation or deliverance from death or nothingness into eternal life. The **Vigil includes:** fire (a symbol of Jesus as the light who illuminates the darkness around us); it also includes the proclamation of the story of our salvation in the Scriptures; the renewal of our baptismal promises; and the Eucharist.

Easter proclaims that Jesus is Risen; alive among us, and especially alive in the sacramental life of our Catholic community. And so during this holiest of weeks let us enter as fully as possible into this paschal mystery (the dying and rising of Jesus) so that God can make us more grace-filled persons.

PRAY FOR THE SICK OF THE PARISH AND HOUSEBOUND

Brian Angel, Jason Angel, Rita Bracher, Christine, Deborah DiMoriaku, Stacey Doyle, Mary Eckett, Louise Flores, G. Golding, Tania Kavanagh, Daniel Kelleher, Karen Kennedy, Billy Kosedá, Luke, Madeleine, Charlotte Massey, Susan Newman, Elsie Pridemore, Dee Skene, William Taylor, Tony Tyres, June Warrington, Eileen Lacey, Andrew White, Lynsey Mitchell, John Barry, Trish Connolly, Fran Manderson, Veronica & John Campling, Sarah Harding, Claire Monkcom, Andy & Doreen, Nadia Bolton, Donna McKeamey, Tina Perotti, Brenda White, Ann Carr, Janet O'Brien, Jacqueline Pears and Steve Stripe, Paul Singleton, Mary Boyle, Tom Green, Val Kelleher, Nicky Burgess, Eve Lawrence, Sue Edwards, Stephanie Bedding, Ken Page, Sheila Murphy, Patricia Motha, Baby Emily, Hilda Leeward, Lydia Luke, Neil Humphries, Pat Humphries, Joseph Exley, Caitlin, C, Suzanne Bonelli, Elizabeth Yee, Margaret T, Francis and Shaun, Rose Louise McDonagh, Annie Hughes, Will Manderson, Baby Arthur Connolly, Bridget Geraldine Carr, Lily Bortoli, Lukose Vadakara, Matthew, Josie Piper.

ANNIVERSARIES OCCURRING ABOUT THIS TIME.

Beatrice Manning, Catherine McVeigh, Catherine Kelly, Agnes Clark, Fr. Patrick O'Donoghue, Charles Quinn, Emma Lowe, Fr. Owen Fitzgerald, Fr. John O'Mahony, Ernest Sigston, Peter Hunt, Michael Smith, Mathew O'Grady, Mrs Plaster, Julia Cook, Fr. William Donelan, Fr. George Duckett, Christianne Mawson, Johanna Shedden, Bridget McDermott, Margaret Buckley, Tony Adams, Walter Jarvis, Kathleen O'Mahony, Joseph Staggs, Michael O'Malley, Michael Murray, Mina Williams, Linus Ezugwu, Mary Price, Peter Rozier, Mrs. Rose Gray, Ken Timson, Tom Butler, Mrs. Margaret Rolf, Elizabeth Caffell, Jack Seymour.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.

HEARTFELT THANKS - We would like to express our sincere appreciation to St. Ursula's School for their thoughtfulness donation of Easter eggs. Thank you for your generosity it is truly valued and deeply appreciated— thank you for your kindness and support. Theresa & Fr. Joseph.

ATTENTION ALL ALTAR SERVERS - Gentle reminder to take your alb's home and ensure it is cleaned and ironed then returned for Easter Celebration. Your support throughout the year is appreciated.

EASTER OFFERINGS - Easter offering envelopes are available at the back of the church for anyone who would like to make a personal gift to Fr. Joseph this Easter. If you are a tax payer and wish to Gift Aid your offering, you can do so by using one of the Gift Aid Envelopes in the box.

CATHOLIC MISSIONARY UNION APPEAL - The total contribution raised for the Catholic Missionary Union in support of the Lasallian Project last Sunday amounted to **£249.80**. MHR raised a total of £196.60, STD raised a total of £53.20. Thank you for your benevolence and your continued assistance.

DIOCESAN SECOND COLLECTION - Diocesan second collection on **Friday 18th April** for Holy Places. Thank you for your support.

GOOD FRIDAY CHILDREN'S STATIONS OF THE CROSS - Families of First Holy Communion children are specially encouraged to attend for the Stations of the Cross for children on **Good Friday 18th April**. This special service offers a meaningful way for children to reflect on Christ's Passion and deepen their understanding of their faith as they prepare for this important sacrament. **Please arrive promptly by 10.15am for a 10.30am start**. If you need additional information please contact Paula Jones.

GOOD FRIDAY ARTS & CRAFTS - Children are invited to join us for a fun-filled arts and crafts session after the Stations of the Cross in St. George's Hall at Most Holy Redeemer Church, Harold Hill. Light refreshments will be available. Everyone is cordially invited.

GOOD FRIDAY CONFIRMATION GROUP STATIONS OF THE CROSS - Families of this year's Confirmation group are specially encouraged to attend for the Stations of the Cross on **Good Friday 18th April**. This special service offers a meaningful way for children to reflect on Christ's Passion and deepen their understanding of their faith as they prepare for this important sacrament. **Please arrive promptly by 4.15pm for a 4.30pm start**. If you need additional information please contact Francesca Uche, Confirmation Coordinator.

GOOD FRIDAY STATIONS OF THE CROSS AT ST. DOMINIC'S CHURCH - The Sisters will be leading the Stations of the Cross on Good Friday at 7pm in St. Dominic's Church. Everyone is cordially invited.

EASTER SUNDAY CELEBRATION - Join us this Easter Sunday after the 11am Mass at Most Holy Redeemer Church, Harold Hill for a joyful community gathering, There will be light refreshments provided, as well as plenty of fun activities for children. Children are encouraged to wear their Easter bonnets as we celebrate together. Everyone is cordially invited.

THE FINAL CONFIRMATION SESSION - The final Confirmation Session is set to continue on **Saturday 26th April** from **10.30am to 12pm** in St. Georges hall at the Most Holy Redeemer Church, Harold Hill. If you need additional information please contact Francesca Uche, Confirmation Coordinator.

RECENT DEATH – Bridget (Bridie) Levy aged 88 sadly passed away peacefully at home on Tuesday **25th March**. Her burial service is scheduled for **Thursday 24th April** at **12pm** at Forest Park Cemetery Chapel followed by a graveside service at the existing gravesite within the cemetery. Please remember her and her family in your prayers. **May she rest in peace**.

RECENT DEATH - It is with great sadness that we inform you of the passing of Philomena Rackham, who peacefully passed away at Queens Hospital. Funeral arrangements will be shared in due course. Please remember her and her family in your prayers. **May she rest in peace**.

EASTER VIGIL READINGS - The Readings are a high point in the celebration of the Easter Vigil. In order to assist priests and people in managing these readings, Fr Adrian Graffy has prepared commentaries on each of them. Go to www.whatgoodnews.org Click on Scripture Readings, and follow the links.

ST PETER'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL VACANCY – St Peter's Catholic Primary School, Billericay are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic and highly motivated Learning Support Assistant to join our team. For more information about the position and to apply, please visit <https://www.essexschoolsjobs.co.uk/Vacancies/Details.aspx?VacancyId=109344> **Closing date is 21.04.25**.

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION - St John Vianney, Clayhall, is holding an afternoon of Divine Mercy Devotion on Divine Mercy Sunday, 27 April 2025. Starting at 1pm and ending with Mass at 5pm, it will comprise Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, recitation of St Faustina's Praises, the Litany of the Divine Mercy, the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy and the Holy Rosary, prayers and time for Confession. Bishop David Waller will give the homily. Refreshments will be available. All are welcome at St John Vianney Catholic Church, 1 Stoneleigh Road, Clayhall IG5 0HE. Parking available, nearest TfL station Gants Hill, buses 123 and 179 pass nearby, also buses SL2 and 462 slightly further away.

SUNDAY 13TH APRIL - THE CHOSEN NEW FILM RELEASE – new film release, pizza and chat. You may have heard of the series *The Chosen* which tells the story of the Gospels, especially through the eyes of the disciples. They are now on series 5 which focuses on Holy Week. The first two episodes are being released into cinemas next week, and we have bought some good tickets for the Sunday afternoon showing, hoping that is a helpful time for those in the midst of revision, as it is within the holidays. If you would like a ticket (£5 covers a good seat at the cinema, and pizza) email Onosé on romfordyouth@brcdt.org. The film starts at 2.45pm; afterwards (at about 5.10pm) we'll come back to the church hall and have pizza, plus a chat about the film and about what you would like to be on offer next. **Limited space – first come, first served!** We'll finish the afternoon at around 7/7.30pm.

VACANCY HEAD TEACHER ST-MARYS PRIMARY SCHOOL - www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/wp-content/uploads/2025/04/2025-04-28_1700_St-Marys-Primary-School-Hornchurch_Headteacher_Job-Advert.pdf

VACANCY SITE MANAGER - SACRED HEART OF MARY SCHOOL -Spine – APTC 6 pt 17 - 22 (£33,912 - £36,552) 52 weeks a year, 36 hours a week We are looking to appoint a flexible, enthusiastic, energetic and motivated Site & Facilities Manager to work alongside our existing Site Team. The successful candidate will be responsible for the maintenance and security of the school site. The post would suit someone who is meticulous, has high standards, has high expectations of her/himself and has the ability to work as a member of a team and get on well with people. The successful candidate will need to possess the ability to take direction and abide by school and Health & Safety procedures and have proven inter-personal skills. Sacred Heart of Mary is a thriving, oversubscribed, highly successful and happy school community with a strong family ethos for girls aged 11 – 18 .This post is exempt from the provision of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 and the successful applicants will be expected to undertake an enhanced disclosure and social media checks. We would welcome visits to the school from prospective candidates. Please contact Helen Wilson - hwilson@mary.havering.sch.uk to arrange. Completed application form (available on the school website www.sacredheartofmary.net) letters of application and the names and addresses of two referees should be sent to the Mrs K. Jones at the School by email, kjones@mary.havering.sch.uk. Closing date: Thursday 24th April 2025.

LOTTERY BONUS BALL

Wed 9th April 2025 Bonus Ball No: 43 Winner: " Fr. Joseph" £50
Congratulations to winner and thank you for supporting your Parishes