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EASTER SUNDAY

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR APRIL 2024

For the Role of Women

This month's prayer intention is "that the dignity and richness of women be recognized in all cultures, and for an end to the discrimination they suffer in various parts of the world."

Dates	OLOL MASS TIMES	SJF MASS TIMES
HOLY SATURDAY 30.03.2024	11.00 am: Świąconka 1.30 pm - 5.30 pm: Knanaya Easter Vigil 9.00 pm: EASTER VIGIL (Bernard Fishenden+, Peter Mountain+)	2.00 pm: Świąconka 6.00 pm: EASTER VIGIL (Canon B. Murray+, Fr Henry Macklin+)
EASTER SUNDAY 31.03.2024	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Joachim Vincent+, Kerrigan Family+ F., Roberta Mundell+, John Higgins+) 11.15 am: Holy Mass (Dorothy Eyre+, Luca Kieu+)	5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Pro populo; Fr Frederick Donovan+)
EASTER MONDAY 01.04.2024	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Elizabeth Price+)	12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Fr. Michael Daley+)
EASTER TUESDAY 02.04.2024	9.30 am: Holy Mass: (Kitty Costello+, Pat Flynn+)	12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Fr. Bernard Hindle+)
EASTER WEDNESDAY 03.04.2024	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Private intention, Mr. Canon John Ashmole+)	12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Canon Anthony Dolan+)
EASTER THURSDAY 04.04.2024	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Margaret Angell+, Martin Cullerton+) 2.00 pm till late: Cantonese Retreat	6.30 pm: Holy Mass (Fr Michael Foley+, Rev. Raymond Howlings+)
EASTER FRIDAY 05.04.2024	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Patrick Sweeney+, Canon John Abbott+, Rev. Ray Restieaux+) 10.00 am till late: Cantonese Retreat	6.30 pm: Holy Mass (Fr Denis Brophy+, Mgr. Canon Noel Burditt+)
EASTER SATURDAY 06.04.2024	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Charles Leng+, Thea Murray+) 10.00 am till late: Cantonese Retreat	5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Fr Donald Hillier+)
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY 07.04.2024	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Helen Eades+, Fr Joseph O.F.M., Marie-Antoinette Lardet+) 11.15 am: Holy Mass (Sheila Stellitano+, Arthur Suggett+, Dorothy Eyre+)	5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Pro populo)

ORDER OF MASS

Entrance Antiphon: Cf. Ps 138: 18, 5-6

I have risen, and I am with you still, alleluia.
You have laid your hand upon me, alleluia.
Too wonderful for me, this knowledge, alleluia,
alleluia.

A reading from the Acts of the Apostle: 34,37-43

Peter addressed Cornelius and his household: 'You must have heard about the recent happenings in Judaea; about Jesus of Nazareth and how he began in Galilee, after John had been preaching baptism. God had anointed him with the Holy Spirit and with power, and because God was with him, Jesus went about doing good and curing all who had fallen into the power of the devil. Now I, and those with me, can witness to everything he did throughout the countryside of Judaea and in Jerusalem itself: and also to the fact that they killed him by hanging him on a tree, yet three days afterwards God raised him to life and allowed him to be seen, not by the whole people but only by certain witnesses God had chosen beforehand.

Now we are those witnesses – we have eaten and drunk with him after his resurrection from the dead – and he has ordered us to proclaim this to his people and to tell them that God has appointed him to judge everyone, alive or dead. It is to him that all the prophets bear this witness: that all who believe in Jesus will have their sins forgiven through his name.'

The word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm: 117(118):1-2,16-17,22-23

R. This day was made by the Lord: we rejoice and are glad.

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good,
for his love has no end.

Let the sons of Israel say:
'His love has no end.' **R.**

The Lord's right hand has triumphed;
his right hand raised me up.
I shall not die, I shall live
and recount his deeds. **R.**

The stone which the builders rejected
has become the corner stone.
This is the work of the Lord,
a marvel in our eyes. **R.**

A reading from St Paul's letter to the Colossians: 3:1-4

Since you have been brought back to true life with Christ, you must look for the things that are in heaven, where Christ is, sitting at God's right hand. Let your thoughts be on heavenly things, not on the things that are on the earth, because you have died, and now the life you have is hidden with Christ in God. But when Christ is revealed – and he is your life – you too will be revealed in all your glory with him.

Sequence - Victimae Paschali Laudes

A. Christians, to the Paschal Victim
offer sacrifice and praise.
The sheep are ransomed by the Lamb;
and Christ, the undefiled,
hath sinners to his Father reconciled.

B. Death with life contended:
combat strangely ended!

A. Life's own Champion, slain,
yet lives to reign.

B. Tell us, Mary:
say what thou didst see
upon the way.

A. The tomb the Living did enclose;
I saw Christ's glory as he rose!

B. The angels there attesting;
shroud with grave-clothes resting.

A. Christ, my hope, has risen:
he goes before you into Galilee.

B. That Christ is truly risen
from the dead we know.
Victorious king, thy mercy show!

Gospel Acclamation: 1 Cor 5:7-8

Alleluia, alleluia!

Christ, our passover, has been sacrificed:
let us celebrate the feast then, in the Lord.
Alleluia!

Gospel: Mark 16:1-8

When the sabbath was over, Mary of Magdala,
Mary the mother of James, and Salome, bought

spices with which to go and anoint him. And very early in the morning on the first day of the week they went to the tomb, just as the sun was rising.

They had been saying to one another, 'Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?' But when they looked they could see that the stone – which was very big – had already been rolled back. On entering the tomb they saw a young man in a white robe seated on the right-hand side, and they were struck with amazement. But he said to them, 'There is no need for alarm. You are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified: he has risen, he is not here. See, here is the place where they laid him. But you must go and tell his disciples and Peter, "He is going before you to Galilee; it is there you will see him, just as he told you."'

The Apostles' Creed:

I believe in God,
the Father Almighty
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary (all bow)
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God
the Father almighty;
from there he will come
to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting. Amen.

Communion Antiphon: 1 Cor 5: 7-8

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed, alleluia;
therefore let us keep the feast with the unleavened
bread of purity and truth, alleluia, alleluia.

NOTICES

CONDOLENCES AND PRAYERS for the family of Pat Flynn, who died on Palm Sunday very peacefully surrounded by her family.

OLOL FINANCE: Thank you very much for your generosity. Last week you gave:

Standing Orders: £1,016; Dona: £44.25; Mass stipends (online): £20; Easter offerings: £120; Cash banked: £553.

Cheques payable to OLOL & SJF PARISH. Bank transfer details: Barclays Bank UK Plc., Sort code: 20-17-20, Account number 03187 187. Please note that although this is named as a parish account it is in fact the Sawston account.

MARY'S MEALS BOX is in church for donations.

WELCOME FR VINCE from the Institute of the Incarnate Word to OLOL from Thursday 4th to Sunday 7th April 2024. He leads a retreat for the Cantonese Community, and celebrates English Mass at 9.30 am on Friday and 8.45 am on Sunday.

CONGRATULATIONS to Juliet, and Matthew, who are confirmed today in OLOL. May they continue to be witnesses of the Gospel in their families and our society.

BEST WISHES to Seminarian Matthew Allen (Beda, Rome) who received the Ministry of Acolyte on 22nd March 2024, and Seminarian Peter Ho (St Mary's, Oscott). Peter has recently applied for Candidacy to the Holy Orders. Please keep them in our prayers.

WOMEN'S RETREAT: A Day of prayer and creativity to be held on Saturday, 13 April 9:30 am – 4.30pm at OLOL Parish Hall, Sawston. Please see Notice Board for further details.

IS IT POSSIBLE TO BE PERFECT is a lecture given by Fr Gregory Pine, OP, at OLEM on Wed. 1st May 2024 at 7pm. Everybody is welcome.

ANNUAL LOURDES PILGRIMAGE from Friday 23th – Friday 30th August 2024 by the Catholic Association for our Diocese and others. It provides a unique opportunity to gather in Lourdes, to pray and journey together in faith. It is a time to stand apart from the rigours of life and seek the peace, healing, and grace which a pilgrimage experience can afford. For booking / more information, please visit www.tangney-tours.com/tours-and-pilgrimages/diocese-ca-stn/ or phone 01732 886666

Cambridge Month of Accompanied Prayer, Easter 2024 is the chance for a weekly meeting with a trained guide, either face to face or via zoom or phone from 15th April-10th May. There will be no

charge for participation. The closing date for applications is Monday 25th March or very soon after. The introductory session via zoom is on Thursday, 11th April from 7 to 8pm. The in-person opening session will be held in the chapel at 7 Brookside, CB2 1JE on Friday, 12th April from 2-3pm. If you are interested, please email Judy at cambsprayer@gmail.com for more details and an application form. If you would like to find out more by phone you can contact Kay: 07786910406 or Romie: 07941862435.

COMPOSTELLA: Bishop Peter Collins will lead the pilgrimage, walking the Camino de Santiago (The Way of St James) from July 22nd to 29th. If you are age 18 – 30, why not come and join us. Please visit: www.rcdea.org.uk/youth/ for further information, and email dys@rcdea.org.uk, or phone 01508 486236, for booking information.

Diocesan Marriage and Family Life Mass is on Saturday June 1, at 11.30am at Saint John the Baptist Cathedral, Earlham Road, Norwich, NR2 2PA. Couples who are celebrating special wedding anniversaries this year, please email Dr Antonia mflcoordinator@rcdea.org.uk for more information.

EAST ANGLIA ANTI-SLAVERY GROUP is appealing for more volunteers. If you would like to join, please email john_simong@hotmail.com for more information.

IGNITE FESTIVAL 4th - 5th May 2024 in Bury St. Edmunds (Suffolk) is an annual youth event run by the the Youth Service of the Roman Catholic Diocese of East Anglia for anyone in Year 8 or above.

So if you want a fun weekend and get to know Jesus, better along with around two hundred other young Catholics, then come to the Ignite Festival! Powerful talks, passionate prayer, live music, and Mass with our Bishop are a few of the things that make up an amazing weeked! There is also the option of staying until the Monday to take part in our pilgrimage to Walsingham. For booking, see www.ignitefestival.co.uk

St Thomas More Catholic Primary School (Saffron Walden, CB11 3DW) requires a Deputy Head Teacher for September 2024. Applicants are welcome to visit our school, find out more about the role and experience our friendly school in action. Please contact our school office to arrange a tour (admin@stmsw.co.uk 01799 523248). Further information and an application pack are available from the school Business Manager Anna Davies anna@stmsw.co.uk and completed applications should be sent to this address. Closing date: Friday 19th April 2024.

This is a reserved post and is open to practising Catholics only, please review the document produced by the Diocese of Brentwood "Definition of a practising Catholic for a reserved posts" for further information.

ESCORTED TOUR to Westport, Knock & Co Mayo, 26th May 2024. £899.00 pps. Price includes flight, 10kg hold luggage, 5 nights' in 4*Castlecourt Hotel, Westport with Dinner, B&B. Lunch on three days. All entertainment, excursions and transport included. Visit Knock, Galway City, Kylemore Abbey, Croagh Patrick & Ashford Castle. Email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com or phone Patricia / Natali on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557.

The next Retrouvaille programme is in Welwyn Garden City, Hertfordshire from 14-16 June 2024 with 12 virtual post sessions on Wednesdays thereafter. Please help the couples in distress or crisis by spreading the news about this programme. Visit www.retrouvaille.org.uk for further information or contact us on 07961 391889 (Caroline) and 07884 490235 (Michael).

CATHOLIC HERALD is now a monthly magazine with the contributions of leading Catholic authors. Please visit <https://catholicherald.co.uk> for more information and subscription.

A retreat for Catholic singles at the Christian Heritage Centre (Stonyhurst) from Saturday 4th to Sunday 5th May 2024. For more information / booking, visit <https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/called-to-love/>

Diocesan Listening and Prayer Ministry offers a series of sessions with trained people of faith to listen and pray with you and suggest where you could go to get further help if necessary. To make an initial appointment, please leave a message at 01603 957653. Calls are confidential and someone will get back to you within 48 hours.



MANY THANKS for your Easter presents to the Parish clergy.

With every blessing