



THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST MARIE
with the Churches of Holy Family
and Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald



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Office Hours: Closed all week (*reopens Wednesday 10th April*)

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✠ EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD ✠
31st March to 7th April 2024

Readings: *I Acts 10:34a, 37-43 Ps 117:1-2, 16ab+17, 22-23. R 24 II Col 3:1-4 G Jn 20:1-9*

Next Sunday: *I Acts 4:32-35 Ps 117:2-4, 16ab+17+18, 22-24. R 1 II 1 Jn 5:1-6 G Jn 20:19-31*

Readings can also be found at <http://universalis.com/Europe.England.Hallam/mass.htm> or on the Universalis app

Cathedral

Sunday 31 March: EASTER SUNDAY

8.00am Matthew & Lucy Hazell (intentions)
10.30am Fr Michael (ill)
12.30pm People of the Parishes
6.30pm The Martins family (in thanksgiving)

Monday 1 April: EASTER MONDAY

8.00am November Memorial List
12.30pm Emilio Piletto (anniversary)
5.30pm **NO MASS**

Tuesday 2: EASTER TUESDAY

8.00am November Memorial List
12.30pm For the Newly Baptised & Confirmed
5.30pm Vojtech Husar (R.I.P.)

Wednesday 3: EASTER WEDNESDAY

8.00am Paul Hazell (sick)
12.30pm Special intention (B.A. & family)
5.30pm November Memorial List

Thursday 4: EASTER THURSDAY

8.00am Yorkshire Brethren
12.30pm Rev Mr Neil Bailey (anniversary)
5.30pm November Memorial List

Friday 5: EASTER FRIDAY

8.00am Anthony Kent (R.I.P.)
12.30pm Bridie & John Daly (anniversary)
5.30pm Rev Mgr Michael Keegan (anniversary)

Saturday 6: EASTER SATURDAY

8.00am November Memorial List
12.30pm Family & Friends of Gerry Fitzgerald

Next Weekend – Cathedral

Sunday 7: 2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER (*Divine Mercy*)

8.00am People of the Parishes
10.30am Michael Day (anniversary)
12.30pm November Memorial List
6.30pm Deceased Members of Sivinski & Ilchevski families

Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald

Sunday 31 March: EASTER SUNDAY

9.15am People of the Parish

Sunday 7 April: 2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER (*Divine Mercy*)

9.15am Parish Intentions

Holy Family

Sunday 31 March: EASTER SUNDAY

10.30am Parish Intentions

Sunday 7 April: 2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER (*Divine Mercy*)

10.30am Parish Intentions

Svätá Omša v slovenčine
(Slovak Mass) – Cathedral

Sunday 31 March: VEĽKONOČNÁ NEDEĽA

10.00am Parish Intentions

Sunday 7 April: 2. VEĽKONOČNÁ NEDEĽA
(Božieho milosrdenstva)

3.00pm Parish Intentions

Sacrament of Confession Tuesday–Saturday: 11.30am–12.15pm
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Tuesday–Saturday: 11.30am–12.15pm
..... Saturday: after 8.00am Mass (with Benediction)
Rosary Friday & Saturday: after the 12.30pm Mass
Holy Hour 4th Wednesday of the month, 6.00pm (next one 24th April)

We pray for Rev Fr Antony Hayne, Joan Perrozzi, Joseph Brett, and all those who have died recently.

Please remember in your prayers our sick: Helen Carroll, Gloria Welsh, Elizabeth Dillop, Jean Hegarty, Rima Lattash, Margaret & John Whitehead, Angela Eddy, Mary Parkinson, Kevin Worsnop, Emma Green, Damian Osako, Patricia Allen, Mary Worsnop, Jean Rogers, Kingsley Owomero, Margaret Smith, Charles Teti, Liam Blayne, Yvonne O'Donovan, Gabriel Ofodile Okafor, Margaret Brennan, Diana, Karen Parry, and all those who are suffering mentally, emotionally or physically.

Names will stay on the list for 3 months. Please contact Cathedral House if you wish your friend or family member to be included.

Anniversaries this Week: 1 Apr – Emilio Piletto, Pablo Alba; 2 Apr – Brian O'Hanlon Bryson; 4 Apr – Rev Mr Neil Bailey; 5 Apr – Milly O'Shea Bryson, Rev Mgr Michael Keegan; 7 Apr – Michael Day, Maria Brezinova.

Health & Safety Matters: If you wish to raise any issues regarding health and safety at St Marie's, please e-mail healthandsafety@stmariecathedral.org.

Children's Liturgy will be taking a break after Easter Sunday: There will be Children's Liturgy at the 10.30am Mass on Easter Sunday as usual; the team will then be taking a two week break and will return on until Sunday 30th April. Wishing all of our children and families a blessed and Holy Easter!

Please note that there will be no refreshments after the 10.30am Easter Sunday Mass. Refreshments will, however, return next Sunday (16th April), in the Houlden Hall (1st floor of the building next door to the church), so please join us next week, whether you are a regular member of the congregation or a visitor.

Some of our Parish Groups are having a break over Easter:

- "Little Fishes" will return on Wednesday 17th April
- Job Seekers will return on Wednesday 17th April
- Good Shepherd Youth will restart on Saturday 27th April

Wishing you all a Happy and Holy Easter!

Sharing the Gospel with others – getting started: At the end of every Mass, we are encouraged to share the message of the Gospel. But how do we do that? How do we share the good news of Jesus with our troubled world – a world that does not always acknowledge God? And what do we say to a world where we may get laughed at for admitting belief in God? A good way to get started is to simply talk about going to Church. And when you get the opportunity, share this message: God loves you. God knows you and He loves you, and He has an amazing plan for your life!

Cathedral Office Opening Hours: Please note that the Cathedral office will be closed for the Easter Octave, and will re-open on Wednesday 10th April.

Divine Mercy Sunday (7th April), Holy Hour, 2.00–3.00pm: There will be a special Holy Hour for Divine Mercy Sunday on Sunday 7th April, from 2.00–3.00pm. Everyone is welcome!

The next Baptism Preparation course will be on Saturday 13th April, from 9.30-11.00am in Houlden Hall. Registration forms are available after one of the Masses, from a steward or the Priest, or from the Cathedral office. If you wish your child to be baptised at St Marie's, you will need to attend the preparation programme, so please do fill in and return the registration form.

A Big Thank You to all our Volunteers who helped to make this year's Holy Week and Triduum Special: The Bishop, Fr Chris and Fr Clement would like to thank all the volunteers who were involved in making this year's Holy Week and Triduum very special for us all. In particular, they would like to praise: Robert and the Choir for all the wonderful music; all the Readers who brought us the Word of God with such care and clarity; the fabulous flower team, who spent days preparing our special Easter arrangements; Paul and all our altar servers, who worked tirelessly at every Mass and Service; all the Stewards for their welcoming warmth and organisation skills; our interior decorating team for the Easter Garden; the PPC for all their behind-the-scenes preparation; all the volunteers involved in preparing the Cathedral; and everyone else who volunteered to help with an element of our worship during this time. It has been wonderful to see and experience the fruits of this collective labour! Thank you—and may God bless you all this Eastertide.

Journey in Faith 2024: Another one of the Cathedral's "Journey in Faith" courses will be starting after Easter, meeting weekly on Monday evenings. Journey in Faith is for all who want to become Catholic, for adult Catholics who have not received their First Holy Communion or been Confirmed, and for Catholics who want to learn more about the faith. If you are interested in taking part, please come along to the first session on Monday 8th April, 6.00pm, at Cathedral House.

Next Talk and Social of St Marie's Christian Village—Saturday 6th April, 6.00pm: The next CVSM talk and social will take place on the first Saturday of April in Houlden Hall. "Family and Community according to Christian teaching" is the theme of the event, and there will be a shared supper and a chance to socialise with each other afterwards. Please bring a food or drink contribution. For more information, please speak to Rafid or Valeria (10.30am Mass), or e-mail rafiduk@yahoo.co.uk.

During Eastertide, the *Regina Caeli* is said in place of the *Angelus*:

Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia!
The Son whom you merited to bear, alleluia!
Has risen, as he said, alleluia!
Pray for us to God, alleluia!

V. Rejoice and be glad, O virgin Mary, alleluia!
R. For the Lord is truly risen, alleluia!

Let us pray. O God, who gave joy to the world through the Resurrection of Thy Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, grant, we beseech Thee, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life, through the same Christ Our Lord. Amen.



**What God promised our ancestors he would do,
he has now done for us who are their descendants, by raising Jesus to life.
He is the one whom God has appointed judge of the living and the dead, alleluia.**

**It is this Jesus, whom you nailed to the cross, that God has made Lord and Messiah.
He is the one whom God has appointed judge of the living and the dead, alleluia.**

(II Responsory, Office of Readings, Easter Monday)

**Bishop Ralph, Fr Chris, Fr Clement,
Sr Anne, Sr Maureen and the Cathedral office staff
wish you all a very happy and blessed Easter!**