



**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:** Mon–Wed, 9.30am–12.30pm & 1.30–4.30pm (**closed** from Thu)

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**PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (A)**

*29th March to 5th April 2026*

**Readings:** *I* Isa 50:4-7 *Ps* 22(21):8-9, 17-18a, 19-20, 23-24. *R* 2a *II* Phil 2:6-11 *G* Mt 26:14–27:66

**Next Sunday:** *I* Acts 10:34a, 37-43 *Ps* 118(117):1-2, 16-17, 22-23. *R* 24 *II* Col 3:1-4 *G* Jn 20:1-9

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

**Cathedral**

**Sunday 29 March: PALM SUNDAY**

- 8.00am November Memorial List  
10.30am For Catechumens and Candidates  
12.30pm Deceased members of Skrzypczak family  
& Amanda Smith (R.I.P.)  
6.30pm Pope Leo XIV (intentions)

**Monday 30: MONDAY IN HOLY WEEK**

- 8.00am Deceased Clergy of the Diocese of Hallam  
12.30pm Funeral Mass (Irene Scales)  
5.30pm November Memorial List

**Tuesday 31: TUESDAY IN HOLY WEEK**

- 8.00am Nupur (special intention)  
12.30pm Liberata Martins (birthday anniversary)  
5.30pm Emilio Piletto (R.I.P.)

**Wednesday 1 April: WEDNESDAY IN HOLY WEEK**

- 8.00am Bethel Retin (R.I.P.)  
**11.00am** **Chrism Mass** (*For the Diocese of Hallam*)  
5.30pm Rt Rev Ralph Heskett, C.S.S.R. (intentions)

**Thursday 2: MAUNDY THURSDAY**

- 8.00pm** MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER  
(*For Vocations to the Priesthood*)

**Friday 3: GOOD FRIDAY**

- 3.00pm** CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION  
**5.30pm** CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION

**Saturday 4: HOLY SATURDAY**

- 9.00pm** THE EASTER VIGIL IN THE HOLY NIGHT  
(*For those being Baptised & Confirmed*)

**✠ Sunday 5: EASTER SUNDAY ✠**

- 8.00am Matthew & Lucy Hazell (intentions)  
10.30am Teresa Siedlik (anniversary)  
12.30pm People of the Parishes  
6.30pm Private intention

**Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald**

**Sunday 29 March: PALM SUNDAY**

- 9.15am People of the Parish

**Friday 3 April: GOOD FRIDAY**

- 3.00pm** CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION

**✠ Sunday 5: EASTER SUNDAY ✠**

- 9.15am People of the Parish

**Holy Family**

**Sunday 29 March: PALM SUNDAY**

- 10.30am Parish Intentions

**Friday 3 April: GOOD FRIDAY**

- 6.00pm** CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION

**✠ Sunday 5: EASTER SUNDAY ✠**

- 10.30am November Memorial List

**Svätá Omša v slovenčine – St Charles**

**Sunday 29 March: PALMOVÁ (KVETNÁ) NEDEĽA**

- 3.00pm People of the Parishes

**Thursday 2 April: ZELENÝ ŠTVRTOK**

- 6.00pm** VEČERNÁ OMŠA NA PAMIATKU PÁNOVEJ VEČERE

**Friday 3: VEĽKÝ PIATOK**

- 7.00pm** SLÁVENIE UTRPENIA A SMRTI PÁNA

**Saturday 4: BIELA SOBOTA**

- 6.00pm** VEĽKONOČNÁ NEDEĽA – VIGÍLIA

**✠ Sunday 5: VEĽKONOČNÁ NEDEĽA ✠**

- 10.00am** Parish Intentions

<b>Sacrament of Confession</b> .....	<i>Holy Monday &amp; Holy Tuesday: 11.30am–12.15pm &amp; after 5.30pm Mass</i>
.....	<i>Holy Wednesday: 4.30-5.15pm</i>
.....	<i>Maundy Thursday: 11.00am–1.30pm</i>
.....	<i>Good Friday: 11.00am–12.00pm</i>
<b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b> .....	<i>Holy Monday &amp; Holy Tuesday: 11.30am–12.15pm</i>
<b>Stations of the Cross</b> .....	<i>Tuesday: after the 12.30pm Mass</i>
.....	<i>Good Friday: 7.30pm</i>
<b>Divine Mercy Devotions</b> .....	<i>3.00pm, Monday–Thursday</i>
<b>Legion of Mary</b> .....	<i>Sundays, after 12.30pm Mass (in Parish Room)</i>
<b>Bible Study Group</b> .....	<i>Wednesdays, 7.30-8.30pm (Cathedral House)</i>
<b>Young Adults (18-35) Faith Group</b> .....	<i>2nd &amp; 4th Saturdays, 11.00am, Parish Room</i>
<b>Let Us Pray (Prayer Formation Group)</b> .....	<i>Saturdays, 2.00-4.00pm, Parish Room</i>

**We pray** for Irene Scales, and all those who have died recently.

**Please remember in your prayers our sick:** Elizabeth Sandy, Jean Hegarty, Rima Lattash, Margaret Whitehead, Angela Eddy, Mary Parkinson, Kevin Worsnop, Damian Osako, Patricia Allen, Mary Worsnop, Jean Rogers (*flowers*), Kingsley Owomero, Charles Teti, Jean Rodgers (*ex-sacristan*), Liam Blayney, Gabriel Ofodile Okafor, Margaret Brennan, Diana, Karen Parry, Sarah Betts, Liam Bambury, Jean Nowak, Sean Nagle, Margaret Smith, Lucy Hazell, Oscar Almeida, Liam Jenkinson, Balthazar Martins, 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 – Pablo Alba, Kazimierz Nowak, Emilio Piletto; 3 Apr – Marjorie Hopkin; 4 Apr – Teresa Siedlik, Consolata T. Zvirikuzhe.

**St Marie’s Bible Group:** The St Marie’s Bible group will be meeting this Wednesday for a 7.30pm start in Cathedral House. All welcome!

**Please note that there will be no teas and coffees** after the 10.30am Sunday Mass this week (because of the service at the City Centre Cross) or next week.

**Children’s Liturgy on Easter Sunday:** There will be a special Children’s Liturgy on Easter Sunday at the 10.30am Mass, and then the team will be having a break for the Easter Holidays. They look forward to seeing their families on Easter morning!

**Extra Confessions at St Marie’s Cathedral:** During Holy Week, there will be two priests hearing Confessions at St Marie’s Cathedral:

- On Monday 30th and Tuesday 31st March, Confessions will be heard after the 5.30pm Mass.
- On Wednesday 1st April, Confessions will be heard from 4.30–5.15pm.
- On Maundy Thursday (2nd April), Confessions will be heard from 11.00am–1.30pm.
- On Good Friday (3rd April), Confessions will be heard from 11.00am–12.00pm.

You are warmly encouraged to come to Confession before Easter and receive the Lord’s mercy and forgiveness—especially if you have been away from the Sacrament for a while!

**Cathedral office opening hours:** Please note that the Cathedral office will be closed from Maundy Thursday (2nd April) for the Paschal Triduum, and will then also be closed over the Easter Octave for staff holidays. It will reopen on Monday 13th April.

**Journey in Faith:** Due to high demand, there will be another Journey in Faith programme starting after Easter. Registration will be on Saturday 11th April, 10.30am in Houlden Hall. If you are interested in becoming Catholic, or if you are an adult Catholic who has not received Confirmation or First Holy Communion, you are very welcome to join the programme!

**Little Fishes is having a break over Holy Week and the Easter Octave** – we'll be back on Wednesday 15th April. To find out more about our free playgroup on Wednesdays for the 0-3 years, please email Candida on [candida.calvert@stmariecathedral.org](mailto:candida.calvert@stmariecathedral.org).

**Divine Mercy Sunday—novena starts Good Friday:** Divine Mercy Sunday takes place on the Sunday after Easter, and we are all called to pray a novena of the Divine Mercy Chaplet in preparation of this, starting on Good Friday. Sheets showing you how to pray the novena are available at the back of Church, and on our website.

**Arise and pray for the City of Sheffield this Holy Week!** As we approach the end of March and our month of prayer for the whole city of Sheffield, we invite you to keep praying for the city during Holy Week. At the time of writing, 712 Christians across the City have prayer-walked 3,227 miles, covering nearly 52% of all the roads in Sheffield. On Good Friday, Christians of all denominations will be prayer-walking into the City Centre for a midday service at the Town Hall's Cross – and you, too, are invited! To learn more about how to prayer-walk, please check out the resources available from Arise: <https://www.arisesheffield.org/arisemarch>.

**The next Baptism Preparation course** will be on Saturday 18th April, from 9.30-11.00am in the Cathedral. 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.

**Sent to Share the Faith:** Three Franciscan friars from the United States will be visiting the Diocese to help us to think about how we can spread the Gospel today. They are hosting two events on Friday 17th April. The first will be here at St Marie's, specifically aimed at young people and young adults, following the 12.30pm Mass (starting around 1.15pm). The second event, aimed at a wider audience, will be at St Francis of Assisi, beginning with Mass at 6.00pm. Booking is necessary, and can be done via the Formation & Mission Eventbrite Page (<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/hallam-formation-and-mission-46212155433>). Further details can be obtained from the Formation and Mission team (tel. 0114 256 6410; e-mail [formation-mission@hallam-diocese.com](mailto:formation-mission@hallam-diocese.com)).

**The Flower Team would like to invite you to bring small flowering plants to go in the Easter Garden.** Please bring them to church during Holy Week or on Easter Sunday. Thank you. Cash donations for flowers are also welcome.

**The Legion of Mary Acies Ceremony** will be on Sunday 29th March after the 12.30pm Mass. This is the annual consecration of members to Our Lady. All are very welcome.

**Ecumenical City Centre Cross:** Many thanks to all who have volunteered to stand by the Cross on Good Friday between 11.00am and 2.00pm. Please be at the site 10 minutes before your agreed time to take over from other volunteers.



## HOLY WEEK AND TRIDUUM

### Palm Sunday (29th March)

**Cathedral:** Masses at 8.00am, 10.30am,  
12.30pm and 6.30pm

**St Oswald's:** Mass at 9.15am

**Holy Family:** Mass at 10.30am

### Monday & Tuesday in Holy Week (30th-31st March)

**Cathedral:** Masses at 8.00am, 12.30pm  
and 5.30pm

Confessions 11.30am–12.15pm,  
and after the 5.30pm Mass

### Wednesday in Holy Week (1st April)

**Cathedral:** Masses at 8.00am & 5.30pm  
11.00am Chrism Mass  
Confessions 4.30–5.15pm

### MAUNDY THURSDAY (2nd April)

**Cathedral:** Confessions 11.00am–1.30pm  
8.00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

*Followed by Adoration at the Altar of  
Repose and Compline (Night Prayer)*

### GOOD FRIDAY (3rd April)

#### **Cathedral:**

10.00am Office of Readings & Morning Prayer

11.00am–12.00pm Confessions

3.00pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion

5.30pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion

7.30pm Stations of the Cross

**St Oswald's:** Celebration of the  
Lord's Passion at 3.00pm

**Holy Family:** Celebration of the  
Lord's Passion at 6.00pm

### HOLY SATURDAY (4th April)

#### **Cathedral:**

10.00am Office of Readings and Morning Prayer

12.00-12.30pm Blessing of Easter Breakfast Food

9.00pm Easter Vigil

### ✠ EASTER SUNDAY (5th April) ✠

**Cathedral:** Masses at 8.00am, 10.30am,  
12.30pm and 6.30pm

**St Oswald's:** Mass at 9.15am

**Holy Family:** Mass at 10.30am

#### Security

Be aware that thieves operate in the city centre so keep handbags & valuables with you at all times when in Church

**PLEASE SWITCH OFF YOUR MOBILE PHONE WHILST IN THE CATHEDRAL**