

Saint Anne's Chertsey - Parish Newsletter

Palm Sunday & Holy Week

13th April 2025

A Christian community inspired by the Salesian ideals of Saint John Bosco

Sunday Masses 8.30am and 11:30am

Holy Week & Paschal Triduum Celebration

The Passion Reading for Good Friday can be read on our website under 'Newsletters.'

Last Week Sunday 06/04/25

Offertory collection: £664-48+ our usual Standing Orders. Thank you.

This is Palm Sunday

Your palms, parish newsletters and the Palm Sunday gospel text, are presented to you as you enter church. Please gather in Savio Centre before the 8.30am and 11.30am Masses.

Holy Week

Monday 14th April

9:30am Mass

7.00pm *Music Practice in church for Triduum*

Tuesday 15th April

9:30am Mass: Stations of the Cross

7.30pm *Readers' Practice for Good Friday Liturgy;*

Wednesday 16th April

Church closed: No mass in parish

6pm: Chrism Mass Arundel Cathedral:

Holy Thursday 17th April

No morning liturgies. No confessions.

Church cleaned and prepared for Paschal Triduum.

8.00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

(with washing of the feet: ('Mandatum') and procession to altar of repose.

Thank you for those who have offered to have offered to have a foot washed.

Watching until 10.45pm then night prayer of the Church. St. Anne's closes in silence at 11pm.

Good Friday 18th

Fasting and Abstinence

Voluntary collection for the Holy Places

10.00am Walk of Witness commences at Abbey Fields, then procession to St Peter's Church.

3.00pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion.

The liturgy is in three parts: Scriptures of the Passion
Veneration of the Cross
Holy Communion

At the Veneration of the Cross there is no obligation to touch or kiss the cross.

7.00pm Stations of the Cross~ led by Deacon Stephen. Church closes quietly after these Stations.

Holy Saturday

No morning liturgies. No confessions. Arrangements and preparations for the Easter Vigil especially:

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10.00am: Readers' Practice for Vigil
12noon: Servers' Practice for Vigil
St Anne's is closed during the afternoon: I will be in Addlestone.

Easter Vigil 19th April

8.30pm The Easter Vigil in the Paschal Triduum.

Service of Light. Service of Readings. Baptism and renewal of Baptismal Promises. Candidates enter full communion.

Easter Sunday Morning 20st March

8.30am Easter Day Mass
11.30am Easter Day Mass

Our parish collections during the Vigil and Easter Sunday masses are the traditional clergy offerings at Eastertime.

Prayers please:

For the people of Myanmar

Our Emergency Myanmar Appeal (CAFOD) has so far raised **£234.50**. Thank you all.

For Angela Beirne RIP (of Thorpe Village) and for all her relatives. The date for the funeral mass is not yet announced.

Please pray for all our sick and housebound parishioners; those in hospital, especially Eileen Surmun; those recovering from surgery, especially Theresa Rudley our FHC catechist, and those who are convalescent.

During Holy Week

Please pray for those to be baptised and received into the Catholic Church at Easter, especially Heidi and Anna and William from our parish.

Thank you for those who generously folded our various service sheets for Holy Week. *'Many hands make light work!'*

....and renewed thanks:

to so many in the parish quietly and generously contributing to the arrangement for linen, flowers, booklets, music, readings, all our church preparations and ministries.

CAFOD: our Lenten Offerings £243

God bless you all for your generosity.

Mass Intentions 14th -21st April

<u>Sun</u>	8.30am	Mary Agnes Dowling and Margaret Bergin RIP (Foundation Mass)
<u>Sun</u>	11.30am	People of the Parish
<u>Mon</u>	9.30am	Terance Kiernan RIP
<u>Tue</u>	9.30am	Mary Rafter RIP
<u>Wed</u>	6.00pm	<i>Arundel: Chrism Mass</i>
<u>Thu</u>	8.00pm	People of the Parish
<u>Sat</u>	8.00pm	People of the Parish
<u>Sun</u>	8.30am	People of the Parish
<u>Sun</u>	11.30am	People of the Parish
<u>Mon</u>	10.30am	Jimmy Connaughton RIP

During the Easter Octave

On Bank Holiday Monday 21st April our Mass will be at 10.30am in St. Anne's. Our normal weekday mass times thereafter should be offered, with the knowledge of scheduled maintenance works on site. On Wednesday during Easter week, we hope to offer 9.30am Mass because Thursday of Easter week the church might be closed.

And a closing thank you: During the past fortnight how grateful I am to Nicky Cooper our parish secretary and office assistant for her organisation and work in preparing for Easter and for her support within our Deanery.