

Parish of St Anthony and Our Lady of Mercy

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Sunday 9th April	EASTER SUNDAY 10.00 am: Mass	
Monday 10th April	of Easter Week No Mass	
Tuesday 11th April	of Easter Week 9.00 am: Rosary	9.30 am: Mass
Wednesday 12th April	of Easter Week 9.00 am: Rosary	9.30 am: Mass
Thursday 13th April	of Easter Week No Mass	
Friday 14th April	of Easter Week 8.30 am: Adoration	9.30 am: Mass
Saturday 15th April	of Easter Week 9.00 am: Rosary	9.30 am: Mass
Sunday 16th April	SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER Divine Mercy Sunday 10.00 am: Mass	

Please also pray for: Michael Wrigglesworth, Malcolm Campbell and Jim Cowling whose anniversaries occur during the coming week.

Easter Greetings

Jesus Christ is risen. *He is risen indeed. Alleluia!*

May the risen Lord bless you abundantly and bring lots of happiness to you and your family. Happy Easter!

A big thank you to all who have helped in so many different ways - cleaning the church, arranging the beautiful flowers, preparing the liturgy and music - to make Easter a blessing to all of us.

Happy Easter,

Fr Joseph

Notices

House Visits

After Easter, Father Joseph would like to do house visits. If anyone would like a visit, please contact Father Joseph.

Communion under Both Kinds

The Bishops of England and Wales have decided that Reception of the Precious Blood can be resumed at the Mass on Holy Thursday.

Not everyone will feel comfortable with this yet, and those old enough to have learnt the Catechism off by heart at school, will remember that *'Christ is received whole and entire under either kind alone'*. Please feel free to choose what is right for you.

St Anthony's SVP News

Please note that the date for the SVP Coffee Afternoons is changing. In future they will be on the first Thursday of the month, beginning on Thursday 4th May, as usual from 2.00 - 4.00 pm.

Catholic Listeners

Fr Dominic Robinson, SJ, of Farm Street Church in London, has asked that the information below about the 'Catholic Listeners Telephone Helpline Service' be circulated to all parishes.

'Catholic Listeners' is a confidential telephone helpline service set up for those returning Catholics who want to return to the faith and need a safe space to be heard. A Diocese of Westminster initiative, the helpline is staffed by a team of volunteers who are welcoming, friendly, empathetic and non-judgmental. The helpline is also based on the 'Landings' ethos of compassionate listening.

Operating three days a week from 4.00 pm - 7.00 pm On Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays. Calls are free to the helpline on 0800 4480704 or by email at Catholiclisteners@gmail.com

Let's Journey Together

The Isaiah Journey Group, (who prepare resources for the Day of Prayer for Survivors of Abuse) is promoting a week of guided prayer online. There is a poster in the porch with guidance for participants who wish to be part of this spiritual journey. The Day of Prayer this year will be on 9th May 2023, which is the Tuesday of the Fifth Week of Easter. It is proposed as a day of prayer for those who have been abused in a season of hope and new life.

Hull Ladies Choir

There will be an Evening of Music and Song on Friday 21st April at 7.00 pm, (doors open at 6.30 pm), at Trinity Methodist Church, 247 Newland Avenue, HU5 2EJ. Guests will be Stoke Male Voice Choir.

Tickets: £5, children under 12: free are available from Jean Campbell tel: 865698.

www.hullladieschoir.co.uk for further information.

'Voices in Spring'

There will be a concert, 'Voices in Spring' by the Maureen Hunter Singers on Saturday 13th May and Sunday 14th May, both are at 3.00 pm, at Bricknell Avenue Methodist Church, Hull HU5 4TI. Rosa, our pianist, will be performing with them and if you would like to hear her solo, she will be doing it on the Sunday concert. For tickets: £8.50; please ring Sue Helliwell on 01482 641229 or speak to Rosa.

SVP Coffee Mornings

Members of the St Charles SVP Conference are hosting a Coffee Morning every Friday from 10.30 am until 12 noon in the Kingston Theatre Hotel, Kingston Square, Hull, (just round the corner from St Charles Borromeo Church). There is no charge. Just come along and enjoy a drink and a chat in a warm space. Afterwards, if you wish, you can go to the 12 o'clock Mass in St Charles. *Everyone is welcome, no matter where you live.*

Margaret Clitherow: The Pearl of York

New Display at the Bar Convent - 1st March to 1st July 2023

Discover new research on St Margaret Clitherow and the mystery behind how her relic came to be housed in the Bar Convent's 18th Century Chapel

Using unseen documents from our archives, students from York St John University have been investigating the unsolved questions:

- How did this internationally known relic come to be at the Convent ?
 - When was it brought here?
 - Why is it here?
- and more . . .

Hospital Chaplain

If you, or someone you know, is in hospital and would like a visit from the Chaplain, please contact Deacon Bob directly on 470456.

Next World Youth Day

In August 2023, the Pope will meet young people in Lisbon for the next World Youth Day. It is hoped that a group from the Diocese will travel with Bishop Terry from 31st July - 7th August to join in this wonderful event. If anyone, aged 18 - 35 by August 2023, would like to go to Lisbon, please contact Fr Philip Cunnah to register your interest by email at: frphilip.cunnah@rcdmidd.org.uk, and to receive further details.

Prayer for those in Turkey and Syria affected by earthquakes.

God of Mercy,
we pray for the people of Turkey and Syria
following the recent earthquakes.
We mourn the death and destruction,
and pray for those who have died and those who grieve.
Lord, bring them comfort, strength and renewed hope.

We hold in our hearts those who are injured,
and those who have lost loved ones, livelihoods and homes.
Sustain and guide all responding to this disaster.
Grant those affected courage and resilience
as they rebuild their lives and communities.
Lord, bring them comfort, strength and renewed hope.
Inspire us to unite in solidarity,
acting swiftly and generously,
so that help may reach all who need it.
Lord, bring them comfort, strength and renewed hope.
Amen.

Prayer for those affected by the Pakistan Floods

O Lord, in the goodness of your constant love,
be with the people of Pakistan
as they face devastating floods.

At this time of great loss –
loss of lives, homes and crops –
may we be filled with your compassion
and moved to reach out in love.

As we stand alongside our sisters and brothers, we pray that
they may find consolation in their sorrow,
strength as they seek shelter and safety
and courage to carry on.

Forgive us, O Lord,
for our part in the climate crisis,
and inspire us all to play our part
in protecting the earth, our common home.

So that together we may build a world
that reflects your glory,
where hope drives out despair
and all things are made new.

Prayer for Ukraine

(Bishop Kenneth Nowakowski of the Ukrainian Catholic Church)

God of peace,
your prophet Isaiah promised swords
would be turned into ploughshares,
and your Son's mother Mary
proclaimed the mighty would be put down
and the humble exalted.

Visit the people of Ukraine:
deliver them from fear, violence, attack,
injury, destruction and death;
and give them courage, solidarity,
and allies in their hour of vulnerability and sorrow.

Turn the hearts of those bent on war and invasion.
Strengthen the hand of all seeking to halt conflict,
restore order and pursue justice.

And make this moment of peril an occasion
for your Holy Spirit to show your world the cost of conflict,
and our dependence on one another.

In Christ our Lord who went to his death
because of our hatred,
and rose again,
because our hatred is never stronger
than your indomitable love.
Amen. *Prayer sent by Missio*