

Parish of St Anthony and Our Lady of Mercy

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Sunday 23rd April	THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER 10.00 am: Mass
Monday 24th April	ST GEORGE, PATRON OF ENGLAND 10.00 am Requiem Mass for Eileen Clark
Tuesday 25th April	ST MARK THE EVANGELIST 9.00 am: Rosary 9.30 am: Mass
Wednesday 26th April	of Eastertide 9.00 am: Rosary 9.30 am: Mass
Thursday 27th April	of Eastertide 9.00 am: Rosary 9.30 am: Mass
Friday 28th April	of Eastertide (St Peter Chanel) 8.30 am: Adoration 9.30 am: Mass
Saturday 29th April	ST CATHERINE OF SIENNA Day of Special Prayer for Europe 9.00 am: Rosary 9.30 am: Mass
Sunday 30th April	FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER World Day of Prayer for Vocations 10.00 am: Mass

Confessions are available before and after Mass, or on request.

We continue to pray for those who are sick: Audrey Coates, Gloria Burr, Maureen Salmon and Father Jim O'Brien.

Please also pray for: David Nolan, Les Ulyatt and Vincent Andrews whose anniversaries occur during the coming week.

Notices

2023 Parish Celebration for the Coronation of King Charles III

On Saturday 6th May King Charles III will be crowned, and to mark the occasion there will be a 'shared table' after Mass on Sunday 7th May. Everyone is welcome to stay after Mass and join in the celebration of this special event in our nation's history, as we come together as a community. If anyone would like to donate food for the shared table, please speak to Jean Daintith.

House Visits

Father Joseph would like to make house visits. If anyone would like a visit, please contact Father Joseph.

SVP Reflection Morning

The St Vincent de Paul Society is holding a Reflection Morning at Holy Cross Church in Cottingham, on Saturday 29th April 2023. The morning will be led by Fr Peter Corcoran SM, starting at 10.00 am until 12.30 pm. Tea and coffee will be available from 12 noon. Everyone is very welcome.

St Anthony's SVP Coffee Afternoons

The next SVP Coffee Afternoon will be on Thursday 4th May in the Marist Hall, from 2.00 - 4.00 pm. Please note the change of date to the first Thursday of each month. Quiz, raffle, book stall, good company and delicious refreshments.

'Red Boxes' 2022

In 2022, St Anthony's Parish raised £704.96 through our Red Boxes and donations to Missio and Mill Hill Missionaries. Thank you! Our missionary community here is part of a worldwide network of people supporting missionaries through prayer and financial assistance. Your support of projects, such as the Fundong Mission Station in Cameroon has enabled Fr Leon, a Mill Hill Missionary, to help children learn in a safe environment and instill values that empower them to turn away from conflict and towards faith in God. Visit mission.org.uk to find out more about how your support changes lives for the better.

Small change popped into a Red Box does add up over the year, and makes a big difference. If anyone would like to know more about Red Boxes or would like to have one in their home, please speak to Lynne Young.

'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 at the Sunday concert. For tickets, which are £8.50, please ring Sue Helliwell on 01482 641229 or speak to Rosa.

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, which is the Tuesday of the Fifth Week of Easter.

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