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PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD 13th & 14th April 2019



PLEASE PRAY FOR:

The Sick

Fred Brattley, Doreen Bennett,
Ewan Macadam, Dorothy Swift, Josie Coates,
Beryl Trowell, Doreen Cartledge, Arthur Moulton,
Joe Doyle, Betty Whieldon, Lynn Kent,
Winifred Booth, Jan Spooner, Nancy Dykes,
Dylan Alcock, Jill Jervis, Angie Macadam,
Kathleen Lavan, Mary Webster, Andy Johnson,
Kevin Mellor, Andrew Harrison, Ted Joyce,
Beatrice Wright, George Lowe.

Rest in Peace

Pamela Shaw, Doreen Murphy,
Deacon Louis Livesey

All who have died recently and those with
anniversaries falling at this time.



Holy Week

PENANCE SERVICE

**ST GILES TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK
16TH APRIL 7.00PM
SEVERAL PRIESTS AVAILBLE
TO HEAR CONFESSIONS**

SECOND COLLECTIONS

Weekend 13-14 April Palm Sunday

Aid to the Church in Need Lenten Charity.

Weekend 20-21 April Easter Sunday

Easter Offering for the Parish Priest.
Envelopes are available at the back of
Church.

Good Friday

Collection for the Holy Places

After Holy Communion at the 3.00pm
Good Friday Liturgy (Cheadle)
Retiring Collection after 7.00pm Stations
(Tean)

Mass Intentions Easter Triduum

**Maunder Thursday: Joan & Roderick
Gibbs**

Easter Vigil: Beryl Dean

Easter Sunday

10.30 am Kath Warde

5.30pm People of the Parishes

PROGRAMME FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, 13 April: Lent feria

10.00 am: Cheadle: Marion Pilling

Followed by Exposition with Holy Rosary

10.30 am– 11.00am: Cheadle: Confessions

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD(VIGIL)

PALM CROSSES ARE BLESSED AT ALL MASSES

4.30pm– 4-50pm: Cheadle: Confessions

5.00 pm: Cheadle: Intentions of Padayattil family

Sunday, 14 April

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

10.30 am: Cheadle: People of the Parishes

Children's Liturgy at 10.30 am Mass

3.00 pm Cheadle: Stations of the Cross

4.50 pm Tean: Stations of the Cross

5.00 pm– 5.20 pm: Tean: Confessions

5.30 pm: Tean: Alban Burton

Monday, 15 April: Monday of Holy Week

9.15 am: Tean: Celebrant's Intention

9.15 am: Cheadle: Intentions of Angela Stott

Tuesday, 16 April: Tuesday of Holy Week

9.15 am: Tean: Celebrant's Intention

10.00 am: Cheadle: Kath Warde

7.00 pm: Cheadle: Penitential Service

Wednesday, 17 April: Wednesday of Holy Week

11.00 am Chrism Mass in the Cathedral

6.30 pm - 6.50 pm: Cheadle: Confessions

7.00 pm: Cheadle: Colin & Barbara Kemball

Thurs, 18 April: Thursday of Holy Week (Maunder Thursday)

7.30 pm: Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper with

Washing of feet & Commissioning of Eucharistic Ministers

Followed by Watch of Prayer ending with Night Prayer at 10.30pm

Fri, 19 April: Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday)

10.00 am: Cheadle: Children's Stations of the Cross

10.50 am: Tean: Good Friday Procession of Witness

12 noon Cheadle: Good Friday Procession of Witness

begins at Methodist Church

3.00 pm: Cheadle: Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

4.45 pm: Cheadle: Kerelan Stations of the Cross

7.00 pm: Tean: Stations of the Cross (and Veneration)

Saturday, 20 April: Holy Saturday

10.30 am– 11.00am: Cheadle: Confessions

THE EASTER VIGIL

**7.30 pm: Cheadle: Easter Vigil and First Mass of the
Resurrection, with Baptism, Reception & Confirmation**

Sunday, 21 April Easter Sunday

SOLEMNITY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

10.30 am: Cheadle: Mass of the Resurrection

5.30 pm: Tean: Mass of the Resurrection

Thought for the Week.

"His state was divine." Jesus is true God and true man. He did not use His divinity for His own ends. He became totally obedient to His Father even though this meant death. He assumed the condition of a slave. A slave was to be obedient and do his masters bidding without complaint; he was also protected by his Master. Jesus' obedience is what the Father demanded. The Father exalts Him because of Jesus' humility in accepting the will of the Father. Jesus dies on the cross for our sins; He becomes sin – taking on the shame and transgressions of all of humanity - for our sake so that we might share in His glory. He is now exalted by the Father. The New Heaven and New Earth spoken of in Revelations has begun. Everything is now to be subjected to Christ and to acknowledge Him as Lord. This is an ongoing process – not everyone acknowledges Him yet as Lord. This is something we must pray for because, once this happens, He will return again in glory, then there will be no more death and no more sin since these are the last things to be subjected to Him, and then we will be judged and take our place with Him for all eternity.

LITURGY

First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7

Psalms: 21

Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11

Gospel: Luke 22:14-23:56

The Regina Caeli:

Queen of Heaven rejoice, Alleluia.

For he, who you did merit to bear,

Alleluia.

Has risen as he said, Alleluia.

Pray for us to God, Alleluia.

**Rejoice and be glad O Virgin Mary,
Alleluia.**

For the Lord has risen indeed,

ST. THOMAS' TEAN.

**Church cleaning
ready for Easter**

...Monday morning April 15th,
after Mass (about 9.45 am) All
welcome and encouraged.

Even if you can only spend a
half hour you would be very,
very welcome.

Come and join the party!

It was good to see a group of
pupils in our Canterbury Garden
this week as they searched for
minibeasts and observed the ever
expanding numbers of tadpoles in
the pond. We have actually
attracted crested newts this year
which is a testimony to the eco-
balance there. You cannot
introduce them- they actually find
the water themselves (some sort
of sat-nav, I suspect!) The group
was due to return on Thursday to
make an Easter Garden for
church and school. Results will be
seen on Easter Day.

MASS RESPONSIBILITIES:

April 14th. Palm Sunday.

First Reading and Psalm: John
B.

Second Reading and Gospel
introductory prayer: Frank.

Passion of Christ:

Narrator: Michael L

Other spoken parts: Teresa
Jesus's words: Father Eric.

Bidding Prayers: Keith.

Offertory: Marisabel and Dreda
Eucharistic Ministry: Sandra D.
& John S.

April 21st. Easter Sunday.

All Readings: Keith.

Bidding Prayers: John B.

Offertory: Helen & Peter .

Eucharistic Ministry: Teresa &
Michael W.

THERE ARE REFRESHMENTS AFTER 10.30 AM MASS TODAY, PARISH ROOM, PRESBYTERY.

HOLY WEEK & EASTER LEAFLETS AVAILABLE Please take one for yourselves & anyone who might like one.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ARE ASKED TO ATTEND MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER MAUNDY THURSDAY 7.30PM. We are grateful to our ministers for their important work. On Maundy Thursday they commit themselves to carry out this work faithfully for another year.

LENTEN CHARITY: AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED supporting Christians suffering for their faith.

A Second Collection will be taken this weekend (13th-14th April).

ST GILES' LADIES' GROUP QUIZ Several entries were equal first. The winner of the £10 prize drawn from these is Mrs E Muller. £111 was raised for Aid to the Church in Need. Thanks to all who supported.

FR SANDY BROWN'S GOLDEN JUBILEE Fri 12th April was 50th Anniversary of Fr Sandy's Ordination as a Priest. **Fr Sandy sent his thanks to the parishes & schools for the cards we sent, which Fr Eric has given to him.** Fr Sandy & Fr Eric will celebrate Mass in thanksgiving for Fr Sandy's Jubilee on Sun 12th May at 10.30am at St Giles'. It's a particularly appropriate day as it is a day of prayer for vocations.

BIBLE STUDY GROUP: Mondays 2.00pm (refreshments from 1.45pm). Parish Room, Presbytery.

No meetings Mon 22nd & Mon 29th April. Next meeting after Mon 15th April Mon 6th May.

PAINSLY STATIONS OF THE CROSS Many have commented how moved they were by the Students' presentation of the Stations. Thanks to all who took part from Painsley & the Primary schools. Thanks to all who supported. Thanks to all who contributed to the refreshments afterwards. Around £200 was raised for the Painsley Lourdes', fund.

NEW ST GILES' READERS & EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS' ROTAS available in the Sacristy. Please collect.

SOWER - DIOCESAN MAGAZINE Available at the back of Church. Please take a free copy.

DIOCESAN DAY PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM SAT MAY 11TH Booking forms still available.

PARISH LOTTERY: March winner is number 118 Mrs C Underwood winning £87

READERS Meeting for all those who read at Mass. Tuesday 14th May 7.00 pm, St Teresa's Trent Vale. All Readers are asked to attend if possible, please

CHEADLE FOOD BANK More people have been using the Food Bank recently.

Critically short of: Tinned veg, tinned fruit, biscuits

Also need: Tinned potatoes, Pasta sauce, tetrapak fruit juice, squash, coffee, tea, tinned sponge puddings, chocolate treats.

Please help if you can. Thanks for your support.

Parish Finances:

St. Giles'

Gift Aid: £251.50;

Non Gift Aid: £155.86;

Total: £407.36.

Easter Flowers: £211.52

St Thomas'

Gift Aid: £197.30;

Non Gift Aid: £77.17;

Total: £274.47.

Easter Flowers: £83.95

Pope's Intentions for April

Doctors and their Collaborators in War
Zones

For doctors and their humanitarian

ST GILES' READERS: If you are unable to attend please find a substitute.

Saturday 13 April

Palm Sunday Vigil

Reader: Byron Hammersley

Narrator: Liz Rushton

Speaker: tbc

Saturday 20 April

Sunday 14 April

Palm Sunday

Angela Mortlock

Mark Downie

Gordon Shaw

Sunday 21 April

CARE HOMES HYMN SERVICES:

Beech Lodge:

**23 May (please note change of date) & 20 June - All
Thursdays at 2.30 p.m.**

S.V.P: If you know of anyone in need of help, or who would like a visit, please contact the Parish Office on 753130. * Next meeting is on Thursday May 2nd at 6:30pm *