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PASSION SUNDAY IN LENT

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The Chaplet to The Divine Mercy

The novena of daily chaplets starts on Good Friday until The Feast of Divine Mercy on Sunday 11th April. The image will be blessed on that day and the chaplet recited after 10am mass. Great graces are promised to those who celebrate this feast.

Easter Mass Services Places will be allocated as you arrive. You may not be in your usual place. The stewards will guide you to your allocated places. Please be understanding and supportive.

ST. MARIE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, RUGBY
HOLY WEEK 2021
 27 MARCH - 04 APRIL

27-03-2021 PALM SUNDAY VIGIL
 06.00pm : Vigil Mass (Solemn Blessing of Palms)

28-03-2021 PALM SUNDAY
 08.00am : Holy Mass
 10.00am : Holy Mass
 06.00pm : Holy Mass (Blessed Palms may be collected after each mass)

29-03-2021
 09.00am : Adoration
 10.00am : Holy Mass

30-03-2021
 09.00am : Adoration
 10.00am : Holy Mass

31-03-2021
 09.00am : Adoration
 10.00am : Holy Mass

01-04-2021 MAUNDY THURSDAY
 07.00pm : Holy Mass of the Lord's Supper

02-04-2021 GOOD FRIDAY
 09.00am : Morning Prayer
 12.00pm : Stations of the Cross
 03.00pm : Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

03-04-2021 HOLY SATURDAY
 08.00pm : Solemn Vigil of Easter

04-04-2021 EASTER SUNDAY
 08.00am : Holy Mass
 10.00am : Holy Mass
 11.30am : Holy Mass

HAPPY EASTER TO ALL

Booking will be required for Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday Masses.

GUIDANCE FOR THE HOLY WEEK

Palms will be distributed after the mass. Please follow the instructions of the stewards.

We have added an extra service during this week.

- * Please try to leave the church as early as you can after the service and do not congregate outside.
- * During the Passion readings on Palm Sunday and Good Friday the response from the congregation is not permitted.
- * On Good Friday there will not be the veneration of the cross. Each of you, if you wish, can bring a little Cross and venerate it. Otherwise it will be only the celebrant who will venerate the cross during the ceremony.

St Marie's Lenten Appeal

For help for the mission in Malawi and for the Rosminian province of East Africa. The parish is sending with your help Covid-19 materials. We have already sent some Oximeters and test kits. But we do need to send more. We had this message this week: So far I have made two referrals to Blantyre Hospital for Oxygenation. The patients were coughing and fat breathing and after checking the oxygen saturation it was 79 and then I reread him to Blantyre hospital for further assessment and management. These meters cost about £20 each and it is good to be able to get them into these mission areas. The test kits are about £7 each. Any donations can be given me, send it to me or drop it in the collection box. We are helping very poor countries. Fr. Shinto

Annual Easter Hamper Raffle

To enter collect an envelope from the back of the church, write your name and contact number on the front and place your donation inside. Envelopes can be put in the collection boxes.

Polish Mass Easter Sunday: 12.45AM & 06.00PM

Sat 27 th March 2021	Lent feria	09.30AM 06.00PM	Bill McLaughlin RIP Brian and Lilian Batchelor
Sun 28 th March 2021	Palm Sunday of the Passion of The Lord	08.00AM 10.00AM 12.00PM 06.00PM	Colin Wise (90 th birthday) Will Collect Polish Mass Mary & James Williams
Mon 29 th March 2021	Monday of Holy Week Adoration 09.00AM	10.00AM 11.45AM	Mr & Mrs Butler (well-being) Oratory John Price (well-being)
Tue 30 th March 2021	Tuesday of Holy Week Adoration 09.00AM	10.00AM	Dede Flint RIP
Wed 31 st March 2021	Wednesday of Holy Week Adoration 09.00AM	10.00AM	Freddie Fereday & William Hearne (well-being)
Thu 1 st April 2021	Thursday of Holy Week	07.00PM	All Parishioners
Fri 2 nd April 2021	Good Friday	09.00AM 12.00PM 03.00PM	Morning Prayer Way of the Cross Lord's Passion
Sat 3 rd April 2021	Holy Saturday	11.45AM 08.00PM	Oratory Maura Bennett RIP Shirley Deery RIP

This Week's Gospel Reading Passion Sunday Mark 33:1-15

N. It was two days before the Passover and the feast of Unleavened Bread, and the chief priests and the scribes were looking for a way to arrest Jesus by some trick and have him put to death. For they said,

C. It must not be during the festivities, or there will be a disturbance among the people.

N. Jesus was at Bethany in the house of Simon the leper; he was at dinner when a woman came in with an alabaster jar of very costly ointment, pure nard. She broke the jar and poured the ointment on his head. Some who were there said to one another indignantly,

C. Why this waste of ointment? Ointment like this could have been sold for over three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor. [...]

Good Friday Collection is for Holy Places. Please give generously. Thank you.

Easter Collection is in aid of the Rosminian elderly priests and seminarians. Gift aid envelopes are available at the back of the church. Please give generously.

The Chosen is a new app available in the App Store on your iPad which is free to download and watch. It shows the passion of Jesus Christ. It is in eight episodes. Can also be watched on YouTube
<https://www.youtube.com/TheChosen>

Oximeters for the lenten appeal...



500 Club March Draw

1st prize No 192 = £40

2nd prize No 77 = £30

3rd prize No 133 = £20

Congratulations to our winners. Cheques on their way to you. A gentle reminder we have some outstanding subscriptions to be paid for this year. It would be lovely to have them all paid so that we don't have to reduce the winning prize money. Thank you.

RECENTLY DIED

Helen Treacy

Mary Josephine Pope

Jeannie Wardrope Williams

John Francis White

Brian Barnes



Reflections on St Joseph

by Fr John Bland

<https://youtu.be/yBsNIR13qeg>

by Fr Chris Fuse

<https://youtu.be/3UKFKbfIS9s>

As this year is dedicated to St Joseph

there will be a short reflection on the different attributes of St. Joseph on the 19th of every month. It will be available on the YouTube and Facebook pages.

YEAR OF ST JOSEPH

"With the Apostolic Letter "Patris corde" ("With a Father's Heart"), Pope Francis recalls the 150th anniversary of the declaration of Saint Joseph as Patron of the Universal Church. To mark the occasion, the Holy Father has proclaimed a "Year of Saint Joseph" from 8 December 2020, to 8 December 2021."

Sacred Scripture describes St. Joseph as "a just man" (Matthew 1:19) which can also be translated as "righteous," "upright," or, "he who is virtuous in all things." If we want to learn from St. Joseph, we must begin by imitating the virtues he practiced daily in his quiet, hidden life.

HOW TO OBTAIN AN INDULGENCE IN THE YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH?

As Pope Francis has proclaimed the Year of St. Joseph lasting until December 8, 2021 to celebrate the anniversary of the declaration of Mary's Bridegroom as patron of the Catholic Church. The Apostolic Penitentiary has announced that special indulgences will be granted during this year.

Here's how:

1- Meditating on the Our Father for 30 minutes or taking part in a spiritual retreat of at least once day that includes a meditation on St. Joseph.

2- By performing a corporal or spiritual work of mercy after the example of St. Joseph.

By praying the Rosary as a family and between engaged couples; 3- By entrusting one's work daily to the protection of St. Joseph and asking his intercession for those who do not have one and so that the work of all may be more dignified;

4- Reciting the Litany of St. Joseph or another prayer on behalf of the persecuted Church and suffering Christians.

THE CONDITIONS: approaching the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Holy Communion, praying for the Pope's intentions and detaching oneself from sin.

A PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you God entrusted His only Son; In you Mary placed her trust; With you Christ became man. Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life. Obtain for us grace, Mercy and courage, and defend us from every evil. Amen (Pope Francis) THE MONTHLY THEMES for the Year of St. Joseph are taken from St. Joseph's virtues and titles as prayed in the Litany of St. Joseph.

JANUARY: Most Valiant Protector of the Church.

FEBRUARY: Joseph Most Chaste.

MARCH: Joseph Most Just.

APRIL: Joseph, Lover of Poverty.

MAY: Joseph, Model of Workers.

JUNE: Joseph Most Obedient and Head of Holy Family.

JULY: Joseph Most Faithful.

AUGUST: Joseph, Mirror of Patience.

SEPTEMBER: Joseph Most Prudent.

OCTOBER: Joseph, Terror of Demons.

NOVEMBER: Joseph, Patron of Dying and Solace of the Afflicted.

DECEMBER: Joseph, Chaste Guardian of Virgins and Pillar of Families.

We as St. Marie's parish community will be reflecting on each Theme on 19th of every month and talks will be given by priests which will be telecasted in parish YouTube and Facebook page.

FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES FALL AROUND THIS TIME

Janina Machnik, Christopher Smith, Elizabeth O'Driscoll, Derek Larkin, Theresa Payne, John Maloney

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO ARE SICK

Tom Donnelly, Sharon Colleran, Rachel Mears, Freddie Fereday, Elsie Johnson, Piotr Fior, William Hearne, Sofia Roman Garcia, Hattie Taylor, Lenny & Marie Niner, Val Muir, Noel Hayes, Sybil Brookes, Maureen Keane, Viviane McSweeney, John Melia, Tony Tyblewski, Nick Harvey, Pauline Rowles, Ginny Eves, Timothy Etherton, Anne Wallace and those sick with coronavirus