



**CATHOLIC CHURCH
OF
OUR LADY & ST. PETER
LEATHERHEAD**



THE SPIRIT OF CATHOLICISM: CONTEMPLATION & COMPASSION,
COURTESY & COURAGE

'Act justly, love mercy, walk humbly with your God'. Micah 6:8

Ever seeking a Grace-filled culture of love, kindness & thoughtful awareness.

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15TH MARCH 2026 — FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (LÆTARE)

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

6pm Sunday Mass
Welcomer and Eucharistic Minister urgently needed for the welcoming duty and to help Father at Holy Communion.

Flower Arrangement: Volunteers are needed to help with the flower arrangement in church.
Please contact the parish office at leatherhead@abdiocese.org.uk.

A DAY WITH MARY
St Joseph's Church, Epsom
Saturday, 11th April 2026
8.25am - 5.00pm

Holy Mass, recitation of the Holy Rosary, exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, sermons, Confessions, enrolment in the Brown Scapular and conferment of the Miraculous Medal. Please bring packed lunch.

**ST JOSEPH
Solemnity, 19th March**



'The greatest male saint who ever lived was not a deacon, not a priest, not a bishop, not a pope, not a hermit, not a monk ...

He was a husband, father and a worker.'
St Josemaria Escrivá

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Laetare Sunday
FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Today the penitential violet is mixed with the white of the approaching Festival.

The Third Sunday of Advent tells us "Gaudete, rejoice!" because the Lord is near, and the Fourth Sunday of Lent says "Laetare, Jerusalem, be joyful Jerusalem, and all who love her!" because she herself is loved by the Lord.

Source: Universalis

VOLUNTEERS FOR HOLY WEEK AND TRIDUUM

We need a number of volunteers, including **12 men to volunteer their feet** on Maundy Thursday.

Please sign up in the Vestibule.



LENT WORK OF MERCY UKRAINE

You can support our Lenten Project by the Retiring Collections or by the Devices in the Side Chapels. Thank you

Happy Mothering Sunday

LENT RECONCILIATION SERVICES ACROSS THE DEANERY

Friday, 20th March, 7:30 pm —St Joseph's, Epsom
Saturday, 21st March, 11:00 am (Children's Service) —Sacred Heart, Cobham
Sunday, 22nd March, 3:00 pm —St Joseph's, Dorking
Friday, 27th March, 7:30 pm —Our Lady of Sorrows, Effingham

EASTER FLOWERS DONATIONS

Donations for Easter Flowers can be done via the Dona machines in the side chapels, from now to Sunday, 22nd March.

Thank you very much for your generosity.

GIFT AID & PLANNED-GIVING ENVELOPES

Envelopes for the 2026/27 tax year are ready for collection from the vestibule. If you are a UK taxpayer and not currently gift aiding your donations, please consider signing up. The Parish will receive 25p from the Government for every £1 you give, at no extra cost to yourself. To sign-up, contact Matthew Prescott: mf_prescott@hotmail.com

CONFIRMATION MASS

Date: Saturday, 9th May
Time: 10.00am

Venue: Our Lady & St Peter Church, Leatherhead

	Divine Office: Week 4	FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (LÆTARE)	Readings: Sunday: Year A Weekday: Year II	
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Exposition of The Most Blessed Sacrament Saturdays 10.30-11.00am		SACRED LITURGY		Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays 10.30 - 11.00 am	
Day	Saint/Feast	Time	Intentions etc.		
SUN 15TH MAR	FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (LÆTARE)	8.30 am 10.00 am 6.00 pm	For the Conversion of John & Paul Deceased members of the Clifford family RIP Bernard & Margaret Dummigan RIP		
MON 16TH	MONDAY OF THE FOURTH WEEK IN LENT	9.45 am 10.00 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Mary Hensler RIP (F)		
TUE 17TH	ST PATRICK Bishop, Missionary	9.45 am 10.00 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Maureen Fitzpatrick RIP		
WED 18TH	WEDNESDAY OF THE FOURTH WEEK IN LENT	9.45 am 10.00 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Wellbeing of Marina		
THU 19TH	ST JOSEPH Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary Solemnity - No Lenten discipline today	9.45 am 10.00 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Wellbeing of Margaret Byrne		
FRI 20TH	FRIDAY OF THE FOURTH WEEK IN LENT Day of Abstinence	9.45 am 10.00 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Wellbeing of Andrea Dummigan		
SAT 21ST	SATURDAY OF THE FOURTH WEEK IN LENT	9.45 am 10.00 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> James & Anne McLoughlin RIP		
SUN 22ND	FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT (FIRST PASSION)	8.30 am 10.00 am 6.00 pm	Jonise Barra RIP Wellbeing of the Dipre family. Deceased members of the Apicella family		

Mass Attendance Last Sunday: 359

Offertory:
1st March = Cash £682.37 + DONA £186.00

8th March = Cash £ (not counted) + DONA £182.00

Retiring Collections during Lent: Ukraine

FROM THE FATHERS

Clay, Washing, Sight

The Gift of Sight and the Gift of Faith.
Here, it is as though the man is saying: I will prove to you that the power of the Healer was not exerted in vain. I will not deny the favour I received, for I now possess what I formerly longed for. I who was blind from birth and afflicted from the womb, having been anointed with clay, am healed, and I see. That is, I do not merely show you my eye opened, concealing the darkness in its depth, but I really see. From now on I am able to look at things that formerly I could only hear about. Look! The bright light of the sun is shining around me. Look! The beauty of strange sights surrounds my eye. A short time ago I scarcely knew what Jerusalem was like. Now I see the temple of God glittering within it, and I behold in its midst the truly, venerable altar. And if I stood outside the gate, I could look around the country of Judea and recognize one thing as a hill and another as a tree. And when the time changes to evening, my eye will not fail to notice the beauty of the nighttime sky, the brilliant company of the stars and the golden light of the moon. When I do, I shall be amazed at the skill of him who made them "from the greatness and beauty of created things." I as well as others shall acknowledge the great Creator.

St Cyril of Alexandria (375-444)

Please pray for those who are sick or housebound

Myna Hazlehurst, Bryony Milner, Louise Smedmor, Lesley French, Christopher Browne, Pat Brown, Veronica Evans, Carmel McEnhill, Audrey Clarke, Val Luthwood, Clara Gomes, Sheila Lyons and Dominic McQueen.

Prayfully remember our dead: Anniversaries at this time

Patricia Blaskowski, Josepha Sanca, Olive Ripley - Duggan, Margaret Day, Lawrence Richmond, Fr Albert Hadshar, Mary Wise, Olga Gallaghent, Eileen Rowden, Anne Edmunds, Christopher Chant
Annette Lown, Cecil Tisserand, Herbert Lacey, Victoria Prack, Robert Gosden, Geoffrey Sunquist, Victor Kulisz, Michael Magoris, Angelo Massimo, Christopher Prendergast, Teresa Shamin, Michael Leonard - Peters, Oscar Palacios, John Francis Gorman, Ann McLoughlin (Patricia's Mum), Doran Peter - Lezcher, Michael Ward and Yvonne Odette Dupays.

MINISTRIES OF SERVICE - 22ND MARCH			
	8.30 am	10.00 am	6.00 pm
Reader	Marisa Piggott	Simon Sturgeon-Clegg	John O'Shea
Eucharistic Minister	Jim Lowther Noelle Forte-Passey Allister Piggott	Jackie Williams Christopher Delve Ruth Hall	Kate Morris-Kassam Lidia Kostuch-Bush
Welcomer	Glorem Khanna & family	Juliana Evans Emma Ashdown	Robert & Joanna Wojcik
	22nd March	29th March	
Children's Liturgy	Nadine Lloyd	Simon Sturgeon-Clegg	
Coffee After Mass	Maria & Patrick Cleary	Natalia Rawle & family	
Counters	Domenico & Matteo	Adrian Lloyd	
Cleaning (Week Starting)	Val Ellis	Susie Ball & Beatriz Prescott	