



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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29TH MARCH 2026 — PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD



MAUNDY THURSDAY 2nd April 2026

The Latin word for "Maundy" is "*Mandatum*", which means **mandate** or **command**. And the command given to us by the Lord Jesus is "love one another".



Remember to pray for priests!

CATHOLIC SUMMER FESTIVALS

WE BELIEVE

Venue: St Mary's College Oscott
Date: 24th - 27th July 2026

Organised by the Guild of Our Lady of Ransom. Led by Archbishop John Wilson of Southwark.

<https://www.webelievefestival.com>

CELEBRATE

Venue: Worth School, Sussex
Date: 15th - 19th August 2026
Preacher to the Papal household, Fr Roberto Pasolini will be speaking at the festival.

<https://www.celebratetrust.org>

PARISH GIFT AID SCHEME

The Gift Aid & Planned-giving boxes for the tax year 2026/27 are available from the Vestibule.

If you are a UK taxpayer and not currently gift-aiding, please consider signing-up. For more information, contact Matthew Prescott on ga.leatherhead@abdiocese.org.uk

Easter Triduum



Maundy Thursday 2nd April
Confessions: 5.30pm-6.00pm
The Lord's Supper: 6.30pm

Good Friday 3rd April
Stations of the Cross: 10.00am
Children's Stations: 12.00pm
Confessions: 2.00pm-2.30pm
The Lord's Passion: 3.00pm

Holy Saturday 4th April
The Great Vigil: 7.00pm

Easter Sunday 5th April
Holy Mass of the Resurrection:
8.30am, 10.00am, 6.00pm

The summit of the Liturgical Year is the **Easter Triduum**: from the evening of Holy Thursday to the evening of Easter Sunday. Though chronologically three days, they are liturgically one day unfolding for us the unity of Christ's Paschal Mystery.

The single celebration of the Triduum marks the end of the Lenten season, and leads to the Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord at the Easter Vigil.

These are the three most solemn days of the liturgical year; **Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil**. In these days, the Church celebrates the Paschal Mystery: first, the Passion and death of the Lord Jesus, followed by his resurrection, the triumph of the Holy Cross, and Christ's decisive victory over sin and death.



EASTER COLLECTION FOR THE SUPPORT OF YOUR PRIEST

The Offertory Collection on Easter Sunday (including the Great Vigil on Holy Saturday) provides income to the parish for the support of its priests and may be Gift Aided.

If using cheque, please make it payable to "Our Lady and St Peter's Catholic Church" and the parish will reimburse Father.

THE BIBLE TIMELINE CLASS

No class on Maundy Thursday, 2nd April. Class will resume on Thursday, 9th April at 7.30pm in the Parish Meeting Room.

GOOD FRIDAY WALK OF WITNESS

From our car park at 10.30 after Stations of the Cross. The walk will proceed along Garlands Road, Epsom Road and into the High Street and then to Church Street; from there it will pass by the Anglican Church to finish at the Methodist Church. There will be stops to hear scripture readings and for prayer.

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	Divine Office: Week 2	PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD 	Readings: Sunday: Year A Weekday: Year II	
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Exposition of The Most Blessed Sacrament Saturdays 10.30am-11.00am	SACRED LITURGY	Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays 10.30am-11.00 am
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Day	Saint/Feast	Time	Intentions etc.
SUN 29TH MAR	PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD	8.30 am 9.45 am 6.00 pm	Intentions of Fr. Philip Miller (60th birthday) Anne Stevens RIP Admiral Sir Wilbraham & Lady Ford RIP
MON 30TH	MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK	9.45 am 10.00 am	Morning Prayer Felix Kelly RIP (F)
TUE 31ST	TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK	9.45 am 10.00 am	Morning Prayer Bernard & Elaine Maulson RIP
WED 1ST	SPY WEDNESDAY	9.45 am 10.00 am	Morning Prayer Wellbeing of Marina
THU 2ND	MAUNDY THURSDAY MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER	5.30 pm 6.30 pm	Confessions Robert & Christine Bulman RIP
FRI 3RD	GOOD FRIDAY Day of Fasting & Abstinence	10.00 am 12.00 pm 2.00 pm 3.00 pm	Stations of the Cross Children's Stations Confessions Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion
SAT 4TH	HOLY SATURDAY THE GREAT VIGIL	7.00 pm	Philip & Jane Cleary RIP
SUN 5TH APR	EASTER SUNDAY	8.30 am 10.00 am 6.00 pm	Holy Souls in Purgatory RIP Deceased Members of the McLoughlin family RIP Joe McHugh RIP

MINISTRIES OF SERVICE - 5TH APRIL

	8.30 am	10.00 am	6.00 pm
Reader	Bulla Rockson	Gabrielle Lloyd	Lidia Kostuch-Bush
Eucharistic Minister	Jim Lowther Allister Piggott Marisa Piggott	Christopher Delve James Ashdown Peter Dempsey	Bill Mayor Kate Morris-Kassam
Welcomer	Jade & Simon	Andy & Patricia Worby	Stephanie MacKay

	5th April	12th April
Children's Liturgy	Robert Pace	Julie McLarnon
Coffee After Mass	Adrian & Nadine Lloyd	Vall Ellis Janice Usher-Somers
Counters	Nick Cook	Anthony & Gillian Cunha
Cleaning (Week Starting)	Tina Beale Angelina Blackman	Marie-Jo Herring Rose Tumelero

Mass Attendance Last Sunday: 355
Offertory
22nd March : Cash £686.02+ Dona £228.00 + Bank Transfers

Ukraine to-date: Cash £824.83 + Dona £1,795.00

Easter Flowers: Cash £30.00 + Dona £92.00 = £122.00

Special Collections:

Lent: Ukraine
Good Friday: Holy Places
Vigil/Easter Sunday Offertory: Parish Clergy

FROM THE FATHERS

The Temple Curtain Torn

The Temple Veil Torn. Immediately thereafter the curtain of the temple was torn. After that the people were split into factions. The glory of the curtain along with the protection of its defending angel was taken away.

Graves Were Open. The earth shook. For the earth could not hold this dead man. Rocks were split, for the Word of God and the power of His eternal goodness rushed in, penetrating every stronghold and principality. Graves were opened, for the gates of death had been unlocked. And a number of the bodies of the saints who had fallen asleep arose. Dispelling the shadows of death and illuminating the darkness of hell, Christ destroyed the spoils of death itself at the resurrection of the saints, who saw him immediately. The centurion and the guards who witnessed this disturbance of the entire natural order confessed Him to be the Son of God.

Hilary of Poitiers (c. 315—367)

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

Edith Rose, John Smith, Harriet Kennard, Bridget Glynn, John Wilson, Eileen Briggs, Winifred Bravery, Mary Gibbs, Ellen Dalton, Renee O'Leary, Robiette Claude, Walter Brusey, Kathleen Bennett, Charles Lynch, Phyllis Mollett, Bridget Shepherd, Jack Learmond, Mabel Marklew, Myra Young, Christina Wood, Mary Rice, Gerard Crawley, Michael Dawson, May Griffin, James Collins, Ann Marie Tamschick, Maria Payne, Peter Lewis, Dolores Farthing-Smith, Elizabeth Robinson, Betty Crawley, Mary Wheway, Clara Cerrai, Helen O'Neill, Paul Phillips, Mike Ward, Colin Lally, John Thomas Ringham, and Mary (Maisie) Elizabeth Miller nee Martin.