



St. Helen's Parish

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28th March 2021

Palm Sunday Of The Passion Of The Lord

Palm Sunday
Eucharistic Prayer: II
Sunday Preface: The Passion Of The Lord



**'Hosanna
in the
highest!'**

28th March 2021, Palm Sunday Of The Passion Of The Lord

Saturday	6:30pm	John Humphreys
Sunday	8:30am	People Of The Parish
	10:30am	John Nolan

4th April 2021, Easter Sunday Of The Resurrection Of The Lord

Saturday Vigil	8:00pm	People Of The Parish
Sunday	8:30am	For all Our Families & Friends
	10:30am	For All Children
	12 Noon	World Peace

Please pray for all the sick and elderly members of the Parish, their families, carers and all their families.

Sacramental Events

Baptism Preparations— Contact the parish office.

RCIA— Easter Preparations. Sessions will resume on Thursday 8th April at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall.

First Holy Communion & Confirmation— Postponed until further notice.

Sanctuary Lamp: Rose & Roy Fido

Weekday Masses: Mon 29th March— Sat 3rd April

Monday Of Holy Week	9:00am	Miss Hickey (Live Stream Only)
Tuesday Of Holy Week	8:30am 9:30am	Holy Hour (Live Stream Only) Mick & Nikki Cole
Wednesday Of Holy Week	3:00pm	Requiem Mass- (Patrick) John Coll (Live Stream Only) Family Holy Hour (Live Stream Only)
Thursday Mass Of The Lord's Supper	7:00pm	People Of The Parish
Friday Good Friday Of The Passion Of The Lord	3:00pm	Good Friday Service
Saturday Holy Saturday	No Morning Mass	Confession/ Reconciliation By Appointment Only.

Mass Steward Volunteers

Sat 6:30pm 27th March	Leelamma Reji, Nikki Cole, Anne Reynish & Paul Burke
Sun 8:30am 28th March	Pat Wilkins, Obi Ofokansi, Chris Owens & Menna Jones
Sun 10:30am 28th March	Michelle O'Hare, Soniya Johny, Eanna Harkins & Mervyn Jones
Sat 3rd- 8:00pm Easter Vigil	Nikki Cole, Rebeca Johnson, John Dimond & Menna Jones
Easter Sun 4th 8:30am	Pat Wilkins, Obi Ofokansi, Leelamma Regi & Chris Owens
Easter Sun 4th 10:30am	Michelle O'Hare, Eanna Harkins, Anne Reynish, & Stephanie Tarling
Easter Sun 4th 12 Noon	Michelle O'Hare, Soniya Johny, Menna Jones & Kirsty Vater

St Helen's Catholic Primary School

Mrs Michelle Clawson (Acting Head Teacher)

01446 700034

St Richard Gwyn Catholic High School

Mr David Blackwell (Head Teacher)

01446 729250

+Please Pray

For The repose of the soul of: **(Patrick) John Coll** who died recently. **Funeral Arrangements:** Reception into Church on Tuesday 30th March. Requiem Mass on Wednesday 31st March.

+Live Stream

Live Stream Mass can be seen by visiting our website: www.sthelensrcchurch.co.uk

+Sacred Triduum & Easter Mass Bookings

The Masses & Celebrations of the Sacred Triduum & Easter are as follows:

Sacred Triduum

Holy Thursday 7:00pm- Mass of The Lord's Supper
Good Friday 3:00pm- Celebration Of The Lord's Passion
Holy Saturday 8:00pm- Vigil Mass

Easter Sunday

Easter Sunday – 8:30am
Easter Sunday – 10:30am
Easter Sunday – 12 Noon

In order to accommodate as many parishioners as possible over the Sacred Triduum & Easter Sunday It will only be possible for parishioners to book for one celebration during the Easter Triduum & One Mass on Easter Sunday.

Booking is Essential.

Please be advised that bookings for the Sacred Triduum & Easter Sunday will be taken via **Telephone Only**, this is to ensure that you have an immediate response as to which celebration you can attend. At present Holy Thursday & Good Friday are full, there is still availability for the Easter Saturday Vigil and Easter Sunday Masses.

+Good Friday

Collection for the Holy Places is for the up keep of the Holy Places and the support of Christians who are remaining in the Holy Land sometimes in the midst of great opposition and deprivation. As we celebrate the suffering of Jesus on the cross let us be conscious of the suffering of those who seek to follow him whilst facing turmoil and discrimination and even martyrdom for holding on to their faith.

+The God Who Speaks

Lent & Easter resources have been made available from the 'God Who Speaks' team. Lent at Home is a dedicated space with lots of great online resources for this Lent. Please visit the following link to access this: godwhospeaks.uk/lent-at-home

+The Easter Story In Plain English

The God Who Speaks have published 'Our Easter Story in plain English'. It is designed for children who prefer the Bible in plain English words and pictures; with a character code to help bring the stories to life Please visit: The-Easter-Story-in-Plain-English.

+Divine Mercy Novena

Begins on Good Friday 2nd April until Saturday 10th April. Booklets will be available in the newsletter section of the website and from the back of church. Devine Mercy Holy Hour on Sunday 11th April at 3pm.

+New Archdiocesan Programme

The Diocesan Evangelisation Commission is pleased to announce its new programme:

Spread the Gospel: Developing a Missionary Parish.

The Commission has spent the year of lockdown creating the programme and then piloting, reviewing, and amending it. The Programme has been approved by His Grace, Archbishop George Stack. It is a seven-week programme, running for one and half hours via Zoom on one evening a week. The dates will be Wednesday, April 21st and April 28th, May 5th, May 12th and May 19th, June 9th and June 16th, 2021. The Programme is open to all parishioners and clergy across the Archdiocese. The new Programme will remind participants of the Great Commission and the basic Gospel message. It will cover a rudimentary history of the early church and will consider important messages from recent papal papers, how to give witness testimonies, evangelise non-church going Catholics with practical approaches and tools for building a parish team to evangelise.

The Genesis Mission will be an important follow-on activity offered to participants, providing the necessary skills for successful encounters.

For more information and to register for the programme, please email Madeleine Walters at madeleine.walters@rcadc.org

+Gift Aid Envelopes

The Gift Aid Envelopes for 2021-2022, come into effect on Sunday 11th April. The envelopes will be ready for collection in the Parish Hall after all Masses this weekend– 27th/28th March.

The stewards will be in the hall after Mass to ensure the one way system is adhered to. If collecting Envelopes you will exit through the car park. If you are currently not attending Mass and would like the Gift Aid envelopes please telephone the parish office.

+Right To Life

"We pray for all considering abortion. We pray that the love and support of those around them would encourage mothers to continue with their pregnancy and find peace and joy in what the future holds. Lord hear us"

+Quote

'BUT PALM SUNDAY TELLS US THAT.... IT IS THE CROSS THAT IS THE TRUE TREE OF LIFE.' -Pope Benedict XVI