

St Anthony's and St Mark's

21st March 2021

5th Sunday of Lent

Jeremiah 31:31-34

I will write my Law in their hearts

Psalm 50(51)

A pure heart create for me O God

Hebrews 5:7-9

He learned to obey and he became the source of eternal salvation

John 12:20-33

If a grain of wheat falls on the ground and dies, it yields a rich harvest

Sick

Baby Emma Burnett, Robert Blair, Thomas McKell, Jon Land, Margaret Harris, Tommy McKenzie, Moira Boyce, Baby Harris Little, Mary Husband, Chris Wetson, Anne Robertson, David Currie, Henry McPhee, Willie McIntosh, Lynsey Alexander, Helen Carroll, Maisie Linstrum

Recently Dead

Alistair Monaghan (funeral Tues 10am)

Anniversaries

Rose Pelosi, Gerard Ayre

Reflection on the Readings

Today's readings give us two ways of getting to know Jesus better: Jeremiah's way is through the clearing away of sin in a renewed Covenant-relationship. Jesus' way is for us to look upon him when he becomes 'lifted up' in glory.

Praying the Psalms (Psalm 50/51)

Sunday's psalm is a great psalm of sorrow for sin, asking God's forgiveness. If you read the psalm before it first, then it becomes a dialogue that starts with God's words that then demand a response.

Church Opening

Mass bookings can be made from this Sunday afternoon, with the first Mass available being next Saturday's Vigil Mass. Below are the times of upcoming services:

Sat 27th/Sunday 28th – Palm Sunday – all Masses as usual

Tues 30th – 7pm St Anthony's

Wed 31st – 10am St Mark's

Thurs 1st – 7pm St Anthony's

Fri 2nd – 3pm St Anthony's
5pm St Mark's

Sat 3rd – 7pm St Mark's (no 5pm Vigil)

Sun 4th – all 3 Masses as usual

Thereafter – Weekday Masses

Tues – 7pm St A

Wed – 10am St M

Thurs – 10am St A
Fri – 10am St M

Lent 2021

Below are all the online services etc available to you in the coming week.

Tuesdays

7pm—Mass and Novena to St Anthony

Wednesdays

10am—Mass

1pm—Scripture Talks

Thursdays

10am—Mass

6pm—Stations of the Cross

Fridays

10am—Mass

Saturdays

10am—Rosary

Online Children's Mass

There will be another children's Mass this Sunday. The children are again invited to send in messages to be read out. In addition, if any want to record short prayers (like bidding prayers) these can be included.

After the church re-opening we will still have an online children's Mass every second week, but at the earlier time of 9pm (starting on Easter Sunday)

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Re-opening for Mass

The restrictions for Sunday Masses are as follows:

- No more than 50 people per Mass
- The contact details of all those attending must be retained by the parish (in order to contact people in the event of an outbreak)
 - Face coverings, sanitising and social distancing still apply
 - There must be no singing (not even the priest!)

We therefore are going to continue to apply a booking system for Mass. The obvious drawback is that not everyone has the internet. It is therefore **up to you** to support relatives and fellow parishioners in doing this.

For those who do not have access to the internet, they can telephone 07746 221205

Masses will be at the usual times (**Sat 5pm, Sun 10am, 11.30am & 5pm**).

If a Mass fills up, you can try for another.

To book a Mass go to:

<https://stanthonystmarkmass.eventbrite.co.uk>

There will be no need to book for ordinary weekdays.

Next Week's Readings

Palm Sunday

Mark 11:1-10

Blessings on him who comes in the name of the Lord

Isaiah 50:4-7

I did not cover my face against insult: I know I shall not be shamed

Psalm 21

My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?

Philippians 2:6-11

Christ humbled himself but God raised him high

Mark 14:1-15:47

The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

Hymns for Vigil Mass

To be confirmed

Hymns for Children's Mass (These might change at the last minute)

Opening Hymn 159

Let there be love shared among us
Let there be love in our eyes
May now Your love sweep this nation.
Cause us oh Lord to arise
Give us a fresh understanding
Of brotherly love that is real,
Let there be love shared among us,
Let there be love

Let there be hope shared among us

Let there be joy shared among us

Communion Hymn

Peace, perfect peace, is the gift of Christ our Lord,
Peace, perfect peace, is the gift of Christ our Lord.
Thus, says the Lord, will the world know my friends,
Peace, perfect peace, is the gift of Christ our Lord.

Hope, perfect hope, is the gift of Christ our Lord,

Joy, perfect joy, is the gift of Christ our Lord,

Final Hymn

*Sing it in the valleys, shout it from the mountain tops;
Jesus came to save us, and His saving never stops.
He is King of kings, and new life He brings,
sing it in the valleys, shout it from the mountain tops, (Oh!)
shout it from the mountain tops.*

Jesus You are by my side, You take all my fears.
If I only come to You, You will heal the pain of years.

You have not deserted me, though I go astray.
Jesus take me in Your arms, help me walk with You today.

Jesus, You are living now, Jesus, I believe.
Jesus, take me, heart and soul, Yours alone I want to be.

Rise and Shine

Rise and shine and give God your glory, glory!
Rise and shine and give God your glory, glory!
Rise and shine and give God your glory, glory!
Children of the Lord.

The Lord said to Noah, "There's gonna be a floody, floody."
Lord said to Noah, "There's gonna be a floody, floody."
"Get those children out of the muddy, muddy!"
Children of the Lord.

So Noah, he built him, he built him an arky, arky.
Noah, he built him, he built him an arky, arky.
Made it out of hickory barky, barky.
Children of the Lord.

The animals, they came on, they came on by twosies, twosies.
The animals, they came on, they came on by twosies, twosies.
Elephants and kangaroosies, roosies.
Children of the Lord.

It rained, and poured, for forty daysies, daysies.
Rained, and poured, for forty daysies, daysies.
Nearly drove those animals crazy, crazy.
Children of the Lord.

The sun came out and dried up the landy, landy.
Sun came out and dried up the landy, landy.
Everything was fine and dandy, dandy.
Children of the Lord.

The animals they came off They came off by three-sies three-sies
Animals they came off They came off by three-sies three-sies
Crocodiles and chimpanzee-sies zee-sies
Children of the Lord

Now that is the end, the end of my story, story.
That is the end, the end of my story, story.
Everything is hunky dory, dory.
Children of the Lord.

Hymns for 11.30am Mass

Opening Hymn

Now the green blade riseth, from the buried grain,
Wheat that in dark earth many days has lain;
Love lives again, that with the dead has been:
Love is come again like wheat that springeth green.

In the grave they laid Him, Love who had been slain,
Thinking that He never would awake again,
Laid in the earth like grain that sleeps unseen:
Love is come again like wheat that springeth green.

Communion

Lord make me a means of Your Peace
Where there's hatred grown
Let me sow Your love
Where there's injury Lord
Let forgiveness be my sword
Lord make me a means of Your Peace

Lord make me a means of Your Peace
When there's sadness here
Let me sow Your joy
When the darkness nears
May Your light dispel our fears
Lord make me a means of Your Peace

Lord grant me to seek and to share
Less to be consoled
Than to help console
Less be understood
Than to understand Your good
Lord make me a means of Your Peace

Lord grant me to seek and to share
To forgive in thee
You've forgiven me
For to die in thee
Is eternal life to me
Lord make me a means of Your Peace

Final Hymn

*O the word of my Lord
Deep within my being,
Oh the word of my Lord,
You have filled my mind.*

Before I formed you in the womb
I knew you through and through,
I chose you to be mine.
Before you left your mother's side
I called to you, my child, to be my sign.

I know that you are very young,
But I will make you strong
I'll fill you with my word;
And you will travel through the land,
Fulfilling my command
Which you have heard.

And everywhere you are to go
My hand will follow you;
You will not be alone.
In all the danger that you fear
You'll find me very near,
Your words my own.

Parish Contributions

There are now two ways to make an offering online. The first is as given on the parish website.
There is also an easier way via the Diocesan website:

1. Go to: https://www.mygivinghub.com/detailed/donate?charity_id=1086524
2. In “search” type in either St Mark or St Anthony and it will take you to the payment page
3. Follow the instructions

The same page also allows you to make to donations to things like Peter’s Pence.

Please let me emphasise: if this were to put you under a burden then do not make an offering!

Online Masses (Youtube Channel CatholicG73)

Saturday 5pm

Sunday 11.30am

Tues 7pm (with Novena to St Anthony)

Wed-Fri 10am

Online Rosary

Sat 10am

Online Addresses

Facebook: [@stanthonyandmarkrutherglen](https://www.facebook.com/stanthonyandmarkrutherglen)

Twitter: [@AnthonySandSt](https://twitter.com/AnthonySandSt)

Website: <https://www.stanthonystmark.org.uk/>

Email: stanthonystmark@rcdom.org.uk

YouTube: [CatholicG73](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCG73)

Other Resources

<https://www.vaticannews.va/en.html>

<https://www.rcdom.org.uk/>

<https://www.universalis.com/>

<https://camglenradio.org/>

Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Prayer of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe you are present in the Blessed Sacrament.
I love you above all things and I desire to receive you in my soul.
Since I cannot receive you Sacramentally now,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
As though you were already there,
I embrace you and unite myself wholly to you;
permit not that I should ever be separated from you.
Amen.

THE NINE TUESDAYS IN HONOUR OF ST ANTHONY

Novena

O glorious St Anthony, safe refuge of the afflicted and distressed, who hast revealed that all who piously invoke thee on nine consecutive Tuesdays shall experience thy powerful help, I a poor sinner, come to thee. Encouraged by thy promise, in all confidence, I implore thy counsel and thy protection.

Obtain help for me, O Blessed Anthony, in my present need.
(silently mention it)

If, however, the favour I ask be opposed to the Will of God and the welfare of my soul, do thou obtain for me such other graces as shall be conducive to my eternal salvation.
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory be (3 times)

O gentle and loving St Anthony, in whose arms the infant Jesus did linger, grant the intercessory aid and at thy word our prayers shall be heard.

Leader: Pray for us O Blessed Anthony!

All: That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray: O God, give ear on our behalf to the intercession of thy holy confessor Anthony, upon whom, adorned with heroic virtue, thou didst bestow the gift of miracles, even unto working prodigious signs and wonders.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

If then you ask for miracles, death error, all calamities,
the leprosy and demons fly, and health succeeds infirmities.

Response
The sea obeys and fetters break, and lifeless limbs thou dost restore,
while treasures lost are found again,
when young and old thine aid implore.

All dangers vanish at thy prayer, so too incessant care and need,
let all who know thy power proclaim, Padua tell, tis so decreed

Response

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit

Response

Leader: Pray for us O Blessed Anthony!

All: That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray: O God, may the intercession of Blessed Anthony, thy confessor, be a source of joy to thy Church, that we may be always fortified by thy assistance and deserve to enjoy eternal happiness. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Brief of St Anthony

Behold the Cross of the Lord: Fly ye powers of darkness;
The Lion of the Tribe of Juda, the root of David has conquered.
Alleluia

Hymn to St Anthony

St Anthony, our Father dear, we meet around thy throne once more;
Thy wondrous praises to proclaim, and make them sound from shore to shore.

O ye who for great wonders seek, go visit once his sacred shrine;
Ah there you'll hear that even death has yielded to his power sublime.

Before his wisdom's wondrous rays, dark error takes its rapid flight;
The demons even cannot bear the starlight gleam of his chaste light.

And raging sea obeys his voice, and from the shore doth quickly fly;
For health, things lost and liberty, both old and young to him do cry.
Repeat 1st verse



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