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THE OCTAVE OF EASTER **EASTER SUNDAY 9TH APRIL 2023**



The Lord is Risen, Alleluia! He is Risen indeed, Alleluia!

FOODBANK

Your generosity enabled us to support 75 families this week.

We would appreciate it if you could continue to support us with the usual items - Tins of beans, spaghetti, cold meat, ready meals, potatoes, Smash. Pasta, pasta sauce, rice, savoury rice, cheesy pasta, pot noodles, packets of soup, packets of noodles, tins of custard, creamed rice, jelly, fruit. Shower gel, deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap, shampoo, conditioner. Diluting juice, crisps, biscuits, tea, coffee & UHT milk. Household cleaning products- washing up liquid, general purpose cleaner, cloths, sponges, toilet rolls, washing powder. Baby wipes, nappies- size 3 & 5. We also appeal for egg boxes and plastic bags. As always donations can be handed into either Church, Burnside Butchers or to the Church House at St Mark's. Finally, we must thank Frazer and the team at Dignity Funeral Care for their donation of 75 Easter Eggs! They will all go to good homes and will be enjoyed! Thank you all very much for your continued support and all the foodbank volunteers wish you all a blessed Easter.



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AFTER NIGHTFALL THE EASTER VIGIL IN THE HOLY NIGHT

SATURDAY 8TH APRIL

(Readings: Genesis 1:1-2:2 Psalm 103; Exodus 14:15-15:1; Psalm Exodus 15:11-6.17-18; Isaiah 55:1-11; Psalm Isaiah 12:2-6; Matthew 28:1-10)

At St Mark's

8.30pm The Easter Vigil

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD (A)

SUNDAY 9TH APRIL

Easter faith appears to be a corporate enterprise: Mary of Magdala, Simon Peter and the Beloved Disciple all build on their experiences to come to a mature faith and a belief in the Risen Christ. We do not discover, let alone possess, the Good News of Eternal Life on our own.

(Readings: Acts 10:34.37-43; Psalm 117; Colossians 3:1-4; Sequence Victimae Paschali; John 20:1-9)

10.00am Holy Mass for Easter Sunday at St Mark's11.30am Holy Mass for Easter Sunday at St Anthony's

12.30pm Baptism of Addison Julianne Potts at St Anthony's

5.00pm Holy Mass for Easter Sunday at St Anthony's

MONDAY 10TH APRIL

(Readings: Acts 2:14.22-23; Psalm 15; Matthew 28:8-15)

At St Mark's

9.00am-9.50am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

9.30am Recitation of the Joyful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary10.00am Holy Mass for Monday within the Octave of Easter

10.30am Computer and IT help in St Mark's House

TUESDAY 11TH APRIL

(Readings: Acts 2:36-41; Psalm 32; John 20:11-18)

At St Anthony's

6.00pm-6.50pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament **6.30pm-6.50pm** Sacrament of Reconciliation available

6.30pm Recitation of the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary at St Anthony's

7.00pm Holy Mass for Tuesday within the Octave of Easter

followed by the Novena to St Anthony

7.30pm Meeting of the SVDP in St Anthony's House

WEDNESDAY 12TH APRIL

(Readings: Acts 3:1-10; Psalm: 104; Luke 24:13-35)

At St Mark's

9.00am-9.50am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

9.30am Recitation of the Glorious Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary10.00am Holy Mass for Wednesday within the Octave of Easter

10.00am-12.00noon Food Bank at St Anthony's Hall
10.30am Cuppa Club in St Mark's Hall
12.00noon-2.00pm Food Bank at St Mark's Hall

6.00pm Vigil Reception for the Requiem of Helen Hunt at St Anthony's
 7.00pm Meeting of next weekend's Readers in St Mark's House

THURSDAY 13TH APRIL

(Readings: Acts 3:11-26; Psalm 8; Luke 24:35-48)

At St Anthony's

9.00am-9.50am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Sacrament of Reconciliation Available

9.30am Recitation of the Luminous Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary

10.00am Holy Mass for Thursday within the Octave of Easter

2.00pm Requiem Mass the repose of the Soul of Helen Hunt R.I.P. at St Anthony's

FRIDAY 14TH APRIL

(Readings: Acts 4:1-12; Psalm 117; John 21:1-14)

At St Mark's

9.00am-9.50am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
9.30am-9.50am Sacrament of Reconciliation available

9.30am Recitation of the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary

10.00am Holy Mass for Friday within the Octave of Easter with the Novena to the Sacred Heart

SATURDAY 15TH APRIL

(Readings: Acts 4:1-12; Psalm 117; John 21:1-14)

St Anthony's

9.00am-9.50am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
9.30am-9.50am Sacrament of Reconciliation available

9.30am Recitation of the Joyful Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary10.00am Holy Mass for Saturday within the Octave of Easter

12.30pm Sacrament of Baptism of Olivia Armstrong Gray at St Mark's

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER



SATURDAY 15TH APRIL

The idealised community Luke describes in Acts would have represented in the first century AD, just as in the 21st, the fulfilment of much human longing and the desires of all the great thinkers. In human terms it is impossible: only the Gifts of the Spirit bring it about.

(Readings: Acts 2:42-47; Psalm 117; 1 Peter 1:3-9; John 20:19-31)

At St Mark's

4.30pm Sacrament of Reconciliation available
5.00pm Vigil Mass for Divine Mercy Sunday

SUNDAY 16TH APRIL

10.00am
 11.30am
 12.30pm
 Holy Mass for Divine Mercy Sunday at St Anthony's Sacrament of Baptism of Olivia O'Donnell at St Mark's

3.00pm Divine Mercy Prayers at St Anthony's 4.30pm-4.50pm Sacrament of Reconciliation Available

5.00pm Holy Mass for Divine Mercy Sunday at St Anthony's

SCIAF

Thank you all so much for your support of the SCIAF WEE BOX, BIG CHANGE Lenten appeal. Please return your WEE BOXES as soon as you can. You can also donate to SCIAF by visiting sciaf.org.uk/weebox or by calling 0141 354 5555 or by using this QR code.



Thank you once again for your great generosity. From everyone at SCIAF, we wish you an Easter full of joy and peace.

LEAVE

I'll be away from the parish from the 17th to the 24th of April. The White Fathers and Comboni Fathers will be celebrating all Masses in my absence.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Our RCIA candidates who will be received into the Church: James Douglas & Jordan Wiggins
Those who are celebrating the sacrament of Baptism: Olivia Armstrong Gray & Olivia O'Donnell
Those who died recently, especially: Marie Devlin, Helen Hunt, Katie Kelso, Margaret Lambert, Mary Lennie &
Mary Murphy

Those whose anniversaries occur at this time, especially: Maisie Linstrum, Bridget McCaig, Mary Quinn, Eddie Roney,

Please pray for all sick and housebound of the Parish: Isobel Clark, Isa Daniels, Peter Kavanagh, Baby Finn McGuinness, Michael McGuire, Baby Hope McKenna, May O'Donnell Kathleen Perry & Margaret Rice,

If you are sick or you know someone who is sick and would like to have the name printed in this prayer section, then please let me know.

RCIA

Congratulations to our RCIA candidates Jordan Wiggins and Jim Douglas who will be Baptised and Confirmed this weekend. A special word of thanks go to our RCIA team who have worked so hard since September in preparing and supporting our Candidates.

BENEMERENTI MEDAL PRESENTATION

On Saturday the 29th of April at the 5.00pm Vigil Mass, Len Logan will be presented with a *Benemerenti* Medal by Bishop Toal. We congratulate Len on this award. This award is to acknowledge the many years of dedicated service to the Church in our parish, particularly in the SVDP. Following the presentation at the Mass, there will be a Parish celebration at the Burnside Hotel. If you would like to attend the celebration, tickets are available at this weekend's Masses.

THE KING AND I

A list of those people who have signed up to go to see 'The King and I' has been posted in the porches. Can you double check that your name is there, and add it if it's not.

BOOK CLUB

The next book we are reading is 'Paper Cup' by Karen Campbell. We will meet at 7.30pm on Wednesday 10th May in St Mark's house. If you would like to join the Book Club then please come along.

Laudato Si' - OUR COMMON HOME

Pope Francis calls us to tackle the natural challenges that our Earth faces. These have led to huge and interconnected social, spiritual, and economic injustices.

In a couple weeks, we will have the opportunity to get a sense of where we are within this Parish community. Please take that opportunity.

DIVINE MERCY

On Divine Mercy Sunday we will pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet at **3.00pm at St Anthony's.** The prayer service will take the following format:

Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament.
The Divine Mercy Chaplet
A reflection on one of St Faustina's diaries
Silent Reflection for 5 minutes
Closing hymn

OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR THE 2ND APRIL:

Plate collection including Gift Aid envelopes: £1726.98 Gift Aid to Bank: 280.00

Total: £2006.98

Refund of payments made direct to the Diocese of Motherwell: £105

THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL COLLECTION TO SUPPORT THE WORK OF JUSTICE AND PEACE NEXT WEEKEND