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9th April 2017 THE NEWSLETTER for Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord (A) Masses for this week.

| Date | | Time | Intention | Feast |
|------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Sa | 8 th | 5.30pm St P's | Marie Therese Thomasson A | Vigil of Palm Sunday |
| Su | 9 th | 8.30am St P's | For the Parish | Palm Sunday |
| Su | 9 th | 10.00am St J's | Priest's Intention | Palm Sunday |
| Μ | 10 th | 7.55am | Cecily Holden A | Monday of Holy Week |
| Т | 11 th | 8.00am | In Thanksgiving | Tuesday of Holy Week |
| W | 12 th | 8.00am | Doris Bolger L | Wednesday of Holy Week |
| Th | 13 th | MAUNDY THURSDAY | 8.00 Mass of the Lord's Supper | |
| F | 14 th | GOOD FRIDAY | 3.00pm SOLEMN LITURGY | Day of Fasting & Abstinence |

L = Lately Dead, A = Anniversary of Death, R = Remembrance

P = Personal Intention, S = Sick, B = Birthday D = Doctor, P = Priest, R = Religious

Please pray for the following, the anniversaries of whose deaths occur at this time:

Mary Isobella Cardwell, Rose Anne Burns, Mary Lakeland, Philp Hayhurst, Frank Eccles, Annie Bolton, Hannah Wilcock, Elizabeth Hunt, William Earnshaw. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Collections: Very many thanks for your weekly donations for 1st/2nd April

M = Martyr, V = Virgin, B = Bishop, Pp = Pope

| Vigil | 8.30am | 10.00 am | TOTAL |
|--------|--------|----------|---------|
| £57.00 | £64.10 | £41.62 | £162.72 |

Readings at Mass

| | Palm Sunday | Easter Sunday |
|-------------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 1 st Reading | Isaiah 50:4-7 | Acts 10:34.37-43 |
| 2 nd Reading | Philippians 2:6-11 | Colossians 3:1-4 |
| Gospel | Matthew 26:14- | John 20:1-9 |
| | 27:66 | |

HOLY WEEK & EASTER, 2017

Palm Sunday: Masses at usual times: St Peter's: Saturday Vigil 5.30pm, Sunday 8.30am Commencing with Blessing of Palms and Procession beginning in the Silence Gallery. St Joseph's: Sunday 10.00am beginning on the stairs and landing outside the Chapel.

Once again, the Parish will join the Stonyhurst Retreat for all the main Holy Week Services in St Peter's.

Maundy Thursday, 13th April MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER 8.00pm Good Friday, 14th April Stations of the Cross, St Peter's 10.45am Confessions: St Peter's 9.45am COMMEMORATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION AND DEATH 3.00pm

Holy Saturday, 15th April Confessions: St Peter's 12.00-12.30pm VIGIL & FIRST MASS OF EASTER 8.45pm

Easter Sunday, 16th April Parish Masses: St Peter's 8.30am St Joseph's 10.00am

The Jesuit Pastoral Conference 8th – 10th June 2017

In 2017, a meeting is planned in the Conference Centre in Swanwick, Derbyshire.

The dates and times are from **5.00pm on Thursday, June 8**th until after **lunch on Saturday, June 10**th.

The theme of the meeting is a study of the three encyclicals issued by Pope Francis since he became Pope. They are:

Evangelii Gaudium - The Joy of the Gospel **Laudato Si** – Care of Planet Earth

Amoris Laetitia - The Joy of Married Love.

I recommend this opportunity very highly. Pope Francis has taken his responsibilities very seriously indeed and we need as a parish to take on board his wishes for the Church of today. If you would like to attend, please see Fr Griffiths.

Don't forget **Stations of the Cross** on Wednesday 7.00pm in St Joseph's School Chapel.

Preparations for Easter.

Mary Bailey asks:

Would anyone who would like to help prepare for Easter in St Joseph's Chapel, please contact Mary Bailey 01254 826269 for further details.

The Apostleship of Prayer Praying with the Pope in April, 2017

That young people may respond generously to their vocations and seriously consider offering themselves to God in the priesthood or consecrated life.

Look at <u>www.ThePopeVideo.org</u> for more information.

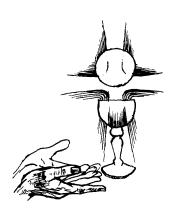
Many thanks....

... to those who attended the Mass of Anointing last Sunday in St Joseph's Chapel and special thanks to Agnes and Tom Eccles who arranged the music and accompanied the hymns. Special thanks, also, to Mary Bailey, and I am sure, many others who provided such excellent refreshments afterwards.

Palm Sunday



Maundy Thursday



Good Friday

