

St Joseph's Catholic Church

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HOLY WEEK 2025

PALM SUNDAY 13th April

Normal Sunday Mass times (with Processions)

Monday & Tuesday 14th & 15th April ~ 10am Mass

Wednesday 16th April ~ 9.30am Mass of the Day

(earlier time because of the Clergy attending the Cathedral Chrism Mass)

MAUNDY THURSDAY 17th April

9.30am Tenebrae (and on Good Friday & Holy Saturday)

8pm SOLEMN MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER
(finishing with Compline at 11pm)



GOOD FRIDAY 18th April

3pm SOLEMN LITURGY OF
THE LORD'S PASSION AND DEATH

7pm Prayer round the Cross



HOLY SATURDAY 19th April

****8.30pm EASTER VIGIL & FIRST MASS OF EASTER**

EASTER SUNDAY 20th April

9.30am and ****11.30am** Mass of Easter Day

NB. No 5.30pm Mass on Easter Sunday



LIVE STREAMING OF MASSES FROM ST JOSEPH'S

**** All the Triduum Services - as above - will also be live-streamed.**

<https://www.youtube.com/c/StJosephNewMalden>



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The PARISH OFFICE is closed during Easter Week and re-opens on at 10am on Tuesday 29th April

A parish of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Southwark CIO Registered Incorporated Charity Number 1173050

HOLY WEEK

13th April - PALM SUNDAY

ROTAS Team 2 today

(Sat) 6.00pm Vigil Mass
9.30am Mass
11.30am Solemn Mass
5.30pm Mass



Monday 14th 10am Mass
Monday of Holy Week

Tuesday 15th 10am Mass
Tuesday of Holy Week

Wednesday 16th NB. 9.30am Mass
Wednesday of Holy Week (Spy Wednesday)

Thursday 17th MAUNDY THURSDAY
The Mass of the Lord's Supper 8pm Mass

Friday 18th GOOD FRIDAY
Friday of the Passion of the Lord 3pm Liturgy

Saturday 19th HOLY SATURDAY
Easter Vigil in the Holy Night 8.30pm Mass

READINGS AT MASS

Sundays Year C; Weekdays cycle 1

Today: (13th April) PALM SUNDAY

Procession Gospel: Luke 19:28-40;

Mass: Isaiah 50:4-7; Philippians 2:6-11;
Luke 22:14 - 23:56

M. Isaiah 42:1-7; John 12:1-11

T. Isaiah 49:1-6; John 13:21-33, 36-38

W. Isaiah 50:4-9; Matthew 26:14-25

Maundy Thursday: Exodus 12:1-8, 11-14;

1 Corinthians 11:23-26; John 13:1-15

Good Friday: Isaiah 52:13 - 53:12;

Hebrews 4:14-16, 5:7-9; John 18:1 - 19:42

Holy Saturday Vigil Mass:

Genesis 1:1 - 2:2; Exodus 14:15 - 15:1;

Isaiah 55:1-11; Ezekiel 36:16-28

Mass: Romans 6:3-11; Luke 24:1-12

NB. 2nd collection on Good Friday is
by tradition for HOLY PLACES

MASS INTENTIONS

for Week beginning 13th April

Sun. (Sat) 6pm Peggy Wright RIP, 9.30
Mr & Mrs M Maharaj RIP; 11.30 People
of the Parish; Carmel Vella RIP, 5.30pm
Margaret Wills RIP; Mon. 10. Umberto
Cangi RIP; Tue. 10. In Thanksgiving;
Wed. 9.30am. Tilly O'Malley RIP; Thur.
8pm Mass of the Lord's Supper -
Michael Connolly RIP;
Fri 3pm. Liturgy of the Lord's Passion;
Holy Saturday 8pm Vigil Mass -
In Thanksgiving and for the Intentions
of the Vella Families.

GOOD FRIDAY SILENT WALK OF WITNESS

Friday 18th April. We gather in
Jubilee Square (behind Lidl)
at 10am and then walk
down the High Street to
the War Memorial,
following 3 crosses.
All welcome to this
very special day in
our liturgical calendar.



EASTER WEEK 20th April - EASTER SUNDAY

ROTAS Team 3 today

(Sat) 8.30pm Easter Vigil

9.30am Mass of Easter Day

11.30am Solemn Mass of Easter

NB. No 5.30pm Mass on Easter Day

Monday 21st April 10am Mass
Monday of the Easter Octave

Tuesday 22nd 10am Mass
Tuesday of the Easter Octave

Wednesday 23rd 10am Mass
Wednesday of the Easter Octave

Thursday 24th 10am Mass
Thursday of the Easter Octave

Friday 25th 10am Mass
Friday of the Easter Octave

Saturday 26th 10am Mass
Saturday of the Easter Octave

READINGS AT MASS

Sundays Year C; Weekdays cycle 1

Today: (20th April) EASTER SUNDAY

Acts 10:34,37-43;

Colossians 3:1-4; John 20:1-9

M. Acts 2:14,22-33; Matthew 28:8-15

T. Acts 2:36-41; John 20:11-18

W. Acts 3:1-10; Luke 24:13-35

Th. Acts 3:11-26; Luke 24:35-48

F. Acts 4:1-12; John 21:1-14

S. Acts 4:13-21; Mark 16:9-15

NB. No Confessions during Easter Week

MASS INTENTIONS

for Week beginning 20th April

Easter Sunday 9.30 Michael John Taylor
RIP; 11.30 Robert Sprigge RIP; People of
the Parish; No 5.30pm Mass on Easter
Sunday; Mon. 10. Elizabeth Dance RIP;
Tue. 10. Silvano Pellizzon RIP; Wed. 10.
Wellbeing of Nancy Connolly & Family;
Thur. 10. Wellbeing of Donald Leung
Cheun; Michael, Edward & Margaret
Solan RIP; Fri. 10. Mary Katharine
Campbell RIP; Sat. 10. Frank Haughey
RIP - 3rd Anniversary.

Shrine Lamp Intentions

(for these 3 weeks, beginning Sat 12th April)

SHRINE LAMPS: St Joseph:

In Thanksgiving for Our Clergy

St Therese/St John Fisher:

Wellbeing of Thérèse Walker

Our Lady: Ng Family Intentions;

Deceased Dickie & Hughes Family

Sacred Heart: Carmel Vella RIP;

St Pius X: Tan Family Intentions

St Thomas More / St Anthony:

Wellbeing of Joan Hale

ANNUAL MISSION APPEAL

This weekend (26/27 April), we
welcome Fr Moses Amune MSP
(Missionaries of St Paul) to
celebrate all Masses for us as well
as make an appeal. Please
welcome our guest priest and be as
generous as possible.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY 27th April - 2nd Sunday of Easter

ROTAS Team 4 today

(Sat) 6.00pm Vigil Mass

9.30am Mass

11.30am Solemn Mass

5.30pm Mass

Monday 28th 10am Mass
ST GEORGE, Martyr, Patron of England
(Solemnity - transferred) *

Tuesday 29th 10am Mass
St Catherine of Siena, Virgin & Doctor of
the Church, Patron of Europe (Feast) *

Wednesday 30th 10am Mass
Easter Feria, or St Pius V, Pope

Thursday 1st May 10am Mass
Easter Feria, or St Joseph the Worker *

Friday 2nd 10am Mass
St Athanasius, Bishop & Doctor of the
Church (Memorial)

Saturday 3rd 10am Mass
SS Philip & James, Apostles (Feast) *

READINGS AT MASS

Sundays Year C; Weekdays cycle 1

Today: (27th April) 2nd Sun of Easter

Divine Mercy Sunday: Acts 5:12-16;

Apocalypse 1:9-13,17-19; John 20:19-31

M. Apocalypse 12:10-12; 2 Timothy

2:8-13; 3:10-12; John 15:18-21 *

T. 1 John 1:5 - 2:2; Matthew 11:25-30

W. Acts 5:17-26; John 3:16-21

Th. Acts 5:27-33; Matthew 13:54-58 *

F. Acts 5:34-42; John 6:1-15

S. 1 Corinthians 15:1-8; John 14:6-14 *

3rd Sun of Easter (C): Acts 5:27-32,40-41;

Apocalypse 5:11-14; John 21:1-19

MASS INTENTIONS

for Week beginning 27th April

Sun. (Sat) 6pm Teresa Wright RIP,
9.30 Angelo & Tina Piccirillo RIP;
11.30 People of the Parish; 5.30pm
Esmeralda Gomes RIP; Mon. 10. Sarah
Gourlay RIP; Tue. 10. Alexander &
Muriel Hume RIP; Wed. 10. Esmeralda
Gomes RIP; Thur. 10. Edith Edwards
RIP; Fri. 10. Michael Connolly RIP;
Sat. 10. Parish Pilgrimage to Rome.

EASTER BLESSINGS

Father Uche and
Deacon John-Simon
assure all
parishioners
of their prayers for
a Blessed and
Joyous Easter-tide.



May the Risen
Christ keep you
safe and bring
His Light
to you all.

LENT 2025 CHARITY PROJECTS AT ST JOSEPH'S

Our **Lenten Home Charity** this year has been **St Raphael's Hospice**, situated adjacent to St Anthony's Hospital, North Cheam.

"We strive to improve the lives of those affected by terminal or life-limiting illnesses, giving them and their carers the confidence to cope and enjoy the best quality of life possible. We care for patients wherever and whenever they need us, enabling them to live their life to the full. We believe that hospice care is about life and living, not just death and dying.

Our specialist hospice care is based on individual needs and the wishes of our patients and those closest to them. Everyone's needs are different and we want our care to be meaningful to each and every one we look after at the end of their lives. A hospice is not just a building; it is all those precious moments shared with your loved ones in a caring and friendly environment of your choice.

For over 30 years we have been providing expert hospice care for people in Merton and Sutton at no charge, aged 18 and over irrespective of their race or religion. We care for local families in people's home, on our ward and our Wellbeing Centre. With the help of our skilled staff and dedicated volunteers, we are able to meet the emotional, spiritual and social needs of our patients, as well as those important to them before and after death.

The Hospice needs over £6.5 million a year to run, relying heavily on public donations, legacies and fundraising to keep going. Thanks to the generosity of the public, we are able to make an enormous difference to the lives of 1,000 patients every year. We are not state-funded, even though every one of our patients is a NHS patient. We only receive about 25% of our costs from the NHS and the remainder, £4.8 million per year, we need to raise ourselves." Visit: www.straphaels.org.uk/welcome-to-our-hospice for more.

Our **Overseas Lenten Charity** was introduced by Fr Jude Nnorom CSSp:

"Fr Patrick Okafor welcome refugees and displaced persons in his parish in Equatorial Guinea. Many of these persons have fled the ongoing civil unrest in Central Africa. Fr. Okafor is accommodating them in the **Cathedral parish of St. Hilaire, Franceville Gabon**.

While providing the younger ones with education at the Cathedral school, Fr. Patrick has also begun an informal skills acquisition centre for training the young adults in tailoring, brick laying and other basic skills that could help them to become self-reliant in the future. Your assistance through your annual Lenten sacrifice will go a long way to assist Fr Patrick in this mission which unfortunately is not receiving any support from government institutions. I thank you as always for your generosity, and for advancing the mission of Christ through your annual Lenten sacrifice."

There is still one Sunday to go so please show your support this Sunday in the Second Collection.

EASTER OFFERINGS - Fr Uche thanks you all for your kind Easter greetings and prayers and for your generous gifts. Please use your gift-aid Easter Offering Envelopes if you can, otherwise use the one attached. You can also give your donation by bank transfer, reference: 'Easter Offering'.

Thank you

DIVINE MERCY

SUNDAY – 27th April, there will be afternoon devotions at St Raphael's Church, Portsmouth Rd, Kingston. **3pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Divine Mercy Prayers**, followed by **Rosary & Confessions**, concluding at 3.45pm with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

40 Days for Life

Brixton, Closing Event. Tuesday 15th April 2025 6.30pm. Come and hear about babies saved from abortion through God's grace during 40 Days for Life. Hear from Rachel Mackenzie of Rachel's Vineyard, working to help heal those hurt by abortion. Hear the Testimonies of women who chose life for their babies instead of abortion, at the last moment. St Martin's Community Centre, Abbots Park, London SW2 3QB, opposite the turning for Gaywood Close. For more details, or for help in a crisis pregnancy or following an abortion call 020 7723 1740 or email: info@goodcounselnetwork.com

Sisters of Life at St Patrick's Soho

Don't miss this chance to hear from the **Sisters of Life**, a joyful religious community devoted to upholding the dignity of every human life! Purchase your tickets asap to avoid disappointment:

"The Secret to Evangelising when Life is Full"

Marian Lecture 2025, Friday 9th May | 7-9pm; £12 / £10
advance booking only from:
www.guild-ransom.co.uk/events

"Woman in the Church: A Summit by St Patrick's"

Sat 10th May | 10am–5pm
Book now: www.stpatricksoho.org

MAKING A DONATION ONLINE

You can donate by Bank Transfer if you prefer - Bank Details here

(NB. The details may come up as RCAOS or Southwark - these options are also correct)

Please email agnesvella@rcaos.org.uk or call 07488 241753 if you have any queries.

Please remember to reference donation, eg. Church Donation, Mass Intention, Christmas / Easter Offering etc.

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Triduum & Easter Rotas 2025

There is now on the usual notice-board, the sign-up sheet for **Readers and Extra-Ordinary Ministers**. It would very helpful if everyone either got back to us or sign up if you are available to offer your time as in previous years. It is your generosity that ensures our services run smoothly and reverently, so we thank you for your continued co-operation and selflessness. The Triduum is an extra special time in the life of the Church and being able to attend is a joy & a privilege!

All our regular **Ushers** will have got an email last week asking to let us know their availability for our Triduum and Easter services. **THE RESPONSE HAS BEEN VERY SPARSE** - please do reply to Karen and help out during this very special time if and when you can.



EXCITING NEWS FROM OUR DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

Hi everyone, I am Nilton, the Parish Music Director, and I am excited to announce that we will be hosting some music workshops on the 25th and 26th of April. These workshops will be aimed at introducing basic musical concepts, such as reading and singing sheet music, and all ages from the start of secondary school to adults are welcome. No prior musical experience will be assumed. The format of the two days will be as follows:

Friday 25th of April Location: Online Time: 7 - 8.30pm

'How to read sheet music and basic musical understanding'

Saturday 26th of April

Location: Parish Hall

Time: 1 - 2.30pm

'How to read sheet music and basic musical understanding'

Time: 2.30 - 3pm, followed by short Break with Refreshments

Time: 3pm - 5.15pm - Choir Workshop + Short performance



MARIAN GARDEN

If you would like to volunteer to help in the Marian Garden please contact Anna on 07970 332063. Please **DO NOT** carry out work without first checking with Anna or the parish office. *Thank you.*

The SPRING COVID Booster Vaccination

drop-in Clinic in our PC Hall is back for for 11 weeks, every other Thursday from 3rd April until 12th June 2025, from 9am-1pm. Those eligible are adults aged 75 years and over (incl those who are turning 75 by 17th June 2025), residents in a care home for older adults, individuals aged 6 months and over who are immunosuppressed.

Pilgrimage to Pentecost Activities for Pilgrimage to Pentecost

The archdioceses of Southwark have launched a series of events to support the Year of Jubilee. There are four main events to be held during Eastertide in celebration of the Year of Jubilee.

1. Pilgrimage to Pentecost Course (starting Tuesday 27th April for 6 sessions)
2. **The centrepiece of the Archdiocese's Jubilee celebrations will be a festival of prayer and activities for all parishioners and families, at The Friars, Aylesford on Saturday 7 June 2025. We will have coaches leaving from St Joseph, for which there will be sign-up list soon. See posters for more!**
3. Archdiocese of Southwark Jubilee Pilgrimage from St George's Cathedral to The Friars, Aylesford on Monday 2 June to Saturday 7 June 2025
4. Daily Scripture-based reflections: grounded in scripture and tradition (with a Pentecost Novena for the 9 days leading up to Pentecost Sunday).