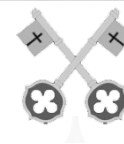


The Parish of Our Lady of Good Counsel and St Peter

8 St Johns Road, March, PE15 8RJ

Serving the communities of March, Chatteris, Manea, Wimblington and Doddington



SUNDAY 14th April 2019

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Lectionary: Sundays Yr C Weekdays Yr 1

SUNDAY MASSES

09.00 am Mass Chatteris Gwen Morgan RIP (N Bailey)

11.00 am Mass March Kevin Olley RIP (Grace Olley) **Please congregate in Hall at 10.50 am**

Monday of Holy Week 15th

No Service

Tuesday of Holy Week 16th

No Service (Chrism Mass 7.00 pm St John's, Norwich)

Wednesday of Holy Week 17th

09.00 am Adoration and 10.00 am Mass at the Convent

Maundy Thursday 18th

08.00 pm Mass of the Lord's supper Julie Wordsworth
(Andrew Wordsworth)

Good Friday 19th Day of Fast and Abstinence

03.00 pm The Celebration of the Passion of the Lord

Holy Saturday 20th

08.00 pm The Easter Vigil

SUNDAY MASSES

SUNDAY 21st Easter Sunday. Solemnity with Octave

09.00 am Mass Chatteris

11.00 am Mass March

Mrs Avis Bailey RIP of Wimblington died recently. Her funeral is on Thursday 18th April at 01.30 pm at Cambridge Crematorium. Our sympathies are with her family.

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick and housebound in our parish especially: Claire Reynolds, Susannah Roberts, Mary Fabriz, Danny Morrissey, Maria Vujcic, Margaret Griffiths, Dorina Flatter and Eileen Homdem and all those who are known to us.

We also remember those whose anniversaries occur at this time: John Bracialle, Harry Short, Fr Donald Hillier, Maureen Clements, Anthony Everitt, Christopher Clancy, Marjorie Elliott, Sandra Whittlehurst, Clare White, Shirley Hedley, Freda Bolton and Jean Lordan. (Memorials can be seen in the book of remembrance at the back of the church in March).

During Lent we will be saying Hail Holy Queen after the bidding prayers in place of the Hail Mary:

Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy, hail, our life, our sweetness and our hope. To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve: to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn then, most gracious Advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us, and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary! Amen

Sacraments

Sacrament of Reconciliation after each Mass on request (may have to wait a few minutes at weekends).

For enquiries regarding Sacraments please contact Fr Michael. Six months notice is normally required to arrange weddings. If you know you will be going into hospital as a patient and would like to be visited by a member of the Roman Catholic Chaplaincy team, please leave a message on

01733 874345 for Peterborough or Stamford Hospitals, or for Hinchingsbrooke Hospital, Huntingdon, on 01480 847474 (non-urgent) or 01480 416416 (urgent)

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Newsletter: Items for consideration for the newsletter to marchrcnewsletter@gmail.com.

Please submit items for the newsletter at least two weeks before the event.

Parish website: <http://www.catholicchurchmarch.co.uk/>

All Saints Inter-Church Primary School, County Road March 01354 659000

Money Matters

Diocese of East Anglia. Registered Charity Number 278742

Thank you for the collection on 07/04/19; £130.66 from Chatteris, £371.02 from March and £106.66 in standing orders.

There is a 2nd collection on Good Friday for the Holy Land Shrines

The collections on Easter Sunday are traditionally for your Priest and form a vital part of his salary

Payments for Hall hire and donations for use of the Hall should be made payable to 'Our Lady's RC Church'

News and Events

Tea/coffee after 11am Mass Sundays. All welcome to join us in the hall.

Prayer Group at the earlier time, from 7.00 pm – 8.00 pm on Tuesday 16th April. Everyone is welcome.

The Chrism Mass: 7.00 pm Tuesday 16th April in St John's RC Cathedral Norwich. St Luke's Parish have booked a 55 seat coach for all the parishes in the deanery. Seats are £8 each (pay on the day) Please book by email saintlukesparish@yahoo.co.uk and please let Fr Michael Ryan know that you have booked by mailing marchcatholicpriest@gmail.com under subject I have booked on the Chrism Mass Coach with of course your name(s) and church at which you hope to join the coach.

We can pick up from the 3 parish churches in Peterborough and also in Whittlesey and March if needed. If we need to go to the two towns we will leave Peterborough by 3pm, if we don't then 3.30 pm. That should get us to Norwich by 6pm for the 7pm Mass. Return when ready 8.30/9pm so we should be back by 11 pm

Deanery Reconciliation Service (which includes our parish) with confession at St Peter and all Souls, Geneva St, Peterborough on Wednesday 17th April at 7.00 pm.

Crafters Group meeting: Thursday 18th April at 2 pm, at the convent

Stations of the Cross for children and families: On Good Friday at 10.00 am. The First Holy Communion group have been invited and other children are also welcome.

Our Parish Beetle Drive: Saturday 27th April at 7 pm. Adults £4, Children £2 which includes tea, biscuits and prizes. Fun for everyone. Tickets for sale after Mass.