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*Easter Sunday*

20<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> April 2025

## Easter Sunday – The Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ

Dear faithful,

Surrexit Dominus vere, alleluia! The Lord is truly risen, alleluia! Your canons would like to wish you and your families a very blessed celebration of Easter. It has been a beautiful and grace-filled Triduum. Many thanks to all those whose work helps to give God the glory that is His due: our altar servers, musicians, choir, church cleaners, flower arrangement and all volunteers. We are so grateful for your selfless efforts!

*“Therefore, if you be risen with Christ, seek the things that are above; where Christ is sitting at the right hand of God: Mind the things that are above, not the things that are upon the earth” (Colossians 3. 1-2).*



## First Holy Communion

On this Easter Sunday, we have the joy of the first Holy Communion of Eashan and Sienna! Congratulations! May Our Risen Lord Jesus Christ keep you always close to His Sacred Heart.

We also pray for all of the catechumens throughout the world who joined Holy Mother Church during the Sacred Triduum.

“Consider that after a deluge of sorrow, of torments, and of anguish, Our Savior rose from the tomb by His own power; He came forth by His own might. Behold your dear Jesus more triumphant than ever; behold the sign of Jonas come to pass; behold your dear Jesus alive!

“With what gladness was the company of the apostles ravished, when they saw once more among them the holy Humanity of our Savior raised to life again, and glorious.

“Consider how needful it was that the kind Savior should go and visit His disciples. Their faith, their hope, their charity were all wavering. Our Savior came to strengthen them. “It is I, Myself, My dear disciples, see my hands and my feet, and the wound in my side.”

*From Meditations and Conferences for a Retreat of Ten Days  
According to the Spirit of St. Francis de Sales and St. Jane de Chantal*

## Announcements

- ✠ **Choir Practices:** on [Monday at 7.15pm](#). Gregorian Chant Rehearsals: Every 2 weeks. [Next practice, 5<sup>th</sup> May](#).
- ✠ **Polyphonic Choir Rehearsals:** Every 2 weeks. Please contact Clare Tucker: [tuckerobertson@gmail.com](mailto:tuckerobertson@gmail.com) or 0151 639 19 99 / 0771 471 02 75. [Next practice 28<sup>th</sup> of April](#)
- ✠ **Last Sunday Collection:** Loose Plate: £664.93 Boxes: £163.27 Bank transfers: £ Heating £ Shop £. **Total: £828.20.** Thank you very much for your continued generosity! If you wish to donate via bank transfer, please use the following: Sort Code: 40-45-14 - Account number: 01805061 - For the credit of ICKSP / SSPPP.
- ✠ **Piety Shop:** Mass Booklets available: £5 each. Mass cards, rosary beads, books, gifts, all at very reasonable prices. All profits go to Ss. Peter & Paul. Also support Wirral Foodbank and Ss PPP 200 Club at the piety shop.
- ✠ **New in stock!** Dolours chaplets (for the Seven Sorrows devotion), scapulars of all kinds and beautiful mantillas for the ladies!
- ✠ **Donations for refreshments after the 10.30 Mass:** April's collection will be for Wirral Hospice St John's Please note that all refreshments after the 10.30 Mass are donated by members of the congregation. Help and donations towards the purchase of disposable cups is always welcome!
- ✠ **Church Cleaning.** 11-12am every Saturday morning after Mass. Coffee and biscuits afterwards! Please contact Joyce at 07887 580547 if you would like to join us. Thank you to all who generously give their time to the upkeep of the church.
- ✠ **Offertory Envelopes for 2025-2026.** Please do not forget to approach Canon Montjean to receive your offertory envelopes for 2025-2026!

## Forthcoming events

- ✠ **Pilgrimage with the ICKSP in Rome, for the Holy Year celebration:** 8<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> May 2025.  
Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> 2pm: Mass at St. Maria Maggiore Basilica. Friday 9<sup>th</sup> 5.30pm: Procession and Benediction at St. Peter's Basilica. (departure from the Via della Conciliazione. Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> 4pm: Mass at St. Paul Outside the Walls Basilica
- ✠ **Chartres Pilgrimage:** If you would like to walk the Chartres pilgrimage this year (7-9<sup>th</sup> June) between Paris and Chartres, please contact Tom: [tom\\_keating97@outlook.com](mailto:tom_keating97@outlook.com). Tom will help you register! For more information, visit the website: <https://www.nd-chretiente.com/en/accueil-2-ndc-english-2/>
- ✠ **Catechism Class from scratch:** For anyone wishing to learn more about the Catholic Faith or considering reception into the church/baptism. If you cannot make this for whatever reason, please contact Canon Montjean for individual tuition. [Next class, Friday, 25<sup>th</sup> April](#).
- ✠ **Tour of Holy Relics!** Relics of St Columba, St Andrew and St Margaret are being brought to St Anne's Church in Rock Ferry, [Friday, 25<sup>th</sup> April to Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup> April](#). Events organized by the Knights of St Columba, see parish site for details: <https://www.stannes-rockferry.co.uk/mass-times-events>.
- ✠ **Craft Group:** knitting, patchwork, dressmaking, lace making and embroidery. Beginners welcome. Contact: Dorothy McCarthy 07767752671. Next meeting [Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> May](#).
- ✠ **Summer Gala Dinner:** [Saturday, 14<sup>th</sup> June](#) at Wallasey Golf Club, Bayswater Rd CH45 8LA. 7pm arrival for 7.30pm sit down meal. Two courses £27.50. (Formal attire, jacket and tie, no jeans) Please fill in a menu booking form with the menu choices, your name and contact details along with payment either cash or cheque made payable to Wallasey Golf Club to Anne in the Piety shop by the 1<sup>st</sup> of June or contact [Anne.Barry345@gmail.com](mailto:Anne.Barry345@gmail.com) Any donations of drinks suitable for raffle prizes would be greatly appreciated. Please hand any donations into the shop. Thank you!

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✠ **For Life Matters and helplines:** see <https://lifecharity.org.uk> for prolife helpline <https://www.goodcounselnet.co.uk> and for abortion recovery see <https://www.rachelsvineyard.org.uk>

✠ **Opposition to assisted suicide bill!** Please note that the Primate of England and Wales, Vincent Cardinal Nichols, via a pastoral letter has encouraged all Catholics to contact their MPs to oppose this anti-life legislation. The third reading in Parliament will likely take place in the near future. For more information see: <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/cardinal-assisted-suicide-pastoral-letter/>



### Prayers For The Sick: *Please keep in your prayers*

Eamonn, Sandra, Anne, Patricia, Joan, Vera, Lesley, Chris, Andrew, Madeleine, Sarah, John, Kathleen, Olivia, Lynne, Angela, Helen, Stuart, Jacqueline, Lindsey, Edward, Tracy, Mary, Peter Joseph, Janet, Elizabeth

Ordo	Mass	Mass intentions		Devotions	Confessions
		Canon Montjean	Canon Post		
Offer a Mass for your intentions using the Mass Offering envelope (narthex). Write name (living or deceased) or intention. Enclose donation. Place envelope in collection box or give to a Canon. The earliest available date for a Mass at the moment is: 27 <sup>th</sup> June				Confessions can also be arranged privately by texting a Canon (see front page)	
Sunday April 20 <sup>th</sup> Easter Sunday <i>White</i>	8.30am Low Mass 10.30am Sung Mass	Mildred Abbott	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Jacques</li><li>• Lauritta</li><li>Connor RIP</li></ul>	5.30pm Solemn Vespers, Rosary & Benediction, followed by Compline	9.30am–10.15am
Monday April 21 <sup>st</sup> Easter Monday <i>White</i>	6.30pm Low Mass	Dorothy Davies RIP	Peter Nielsen RIP	*No Vespers or Adoration*	
Tuesday April 22 <sup>nd</sup> Easter Tuesday <i>White</i>	6.30pm Low Mass	Prisca Lopez Aviles RIP	Gerry & Sarah Stephenson and family	*No Vespers or Adoration*	
Wed April 23 <sup>rd</sup> Easter Wednesday <i>White</i>	6.30pm Low Mass	Nicola Carr birthday	Esther and John Henry Robson	*No Vespers or Adoration*	
Thurs April 24 <sup>th</sup> Easter Thursday <i>White</i>	6.30pm Low Mass	Mother of Mercy group intentions	Carmel Doran	*No Vespers or Adoration*	
Friday April 25 <sup>th</sup> Easter Friday <i>White</i>	6.30pm Low Mass	Patricia Garrett RIP	Carmel Doran	*No Vespers or Adoration*	
Saturday April 26 <sup>th</sup> Easter Saturday <i>White</i>	10am Low Mass	Mgr Wach	Poor Souls	9.00am Adoration & Benediction 6.30pm Vespers 7pm Compline	9am–9.40am
Sunday April 27 <sup>th</sup> Low Sunday <i>White</i>	8.30am Low Mass 10.30am Sung Mass	Hugh Boyle RIP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Divine Mercy intentions</li><li>• Jacques</li></ul>	5.30pm Solemn Vespers, Rosary & Benediction, followed by Compline	9.30am–10.15am

### Easter Sunday Music Programme

Mass I

Credo I

Offertory: Trumpet

Communion: Panis Angelicus (solo & cello)

\*Cantate Domino (Rinck)

Recessional: Thine be the Glory (554)

My Jesus, give me the grace to be very faithful to the examination of conscience. Every day, I will come before You and look at You and see what I should be. And I will look at myself and see what I am not. Please, give me the light to know my faults and the courage to overcome them."

St Francis de Sales  
(<https://salesianliterature.wixsite.com>)

Try an examination based on either the 10 Commandments, 7 Capital Sins or Faith, Hope and Charity:

<https://mycatholic.life/catholic-prayers/examination-of-conscience/>  
Children: <https://www.ncregister.com/info/confession-guide-for-children>

# PROPERS FOR EASTER SUNDAY

## INTROIT *Psalm 138. 18, 5-6*

I arose and am still with Thee, alleluia: Thou hast laid Thine hand upon me, alleluia: Thy knowledge is become wonderful, alleluia, alleluia. Ps. Lord, Thou hast searched me and known Me: Thou knowest my sitting down and my rising up. V. Glory be to the Father.

COLLECT O God, who on this day through Thine only-begotten Son hast overcome death and opened unto us the gate of everlasting life; do Thou follow with Thine aid the desires which Thou dost put into our minds and by Thy continual help bring the same to good effect. Through the same Lord.

## EPISTLE *1 Corinthians 5, 7-8*

Brethren, purge out the old leaven, that you may be a new paste, as you are unleavened: for Christ our Pasch is sacrificed. Therefore let us feast, not with the old leaven, nor with the leaven of malice and wickedness, but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

## GRADUAL *Psalm 117. 24,1*

This is the day which the Lord hath made: let us rejoice and be glad in it. V. Give praise unto the Lord, for He is good: for His mercy endureth for ever.

## ALLELUIA *Corinthians 5. 7*

Alleluia, alleluia. V. Christ our Pasch is sacrificed.

## SEQUENCE

*Christians, to the Paschal Victim offer sacrifice and praise.*

*The sheep are ransomed by the Lamb; and Christ, the undefiled, hath sinners to his Father reconciled.*

*Death with life contended: combat strangely ended! Life's own Champion, slain, yet lives to reign.*

*Tell us, Mary: say what thou didst see upon the way.*

*The tomb the Living did enclose; I saw Christ's glory as He rose!*

*The angels there attesting; shroud with grave-clothes resting.*

*Christ, my hope, has risen: He goes before you into Galilee.*

*That Christ is truly risen from the dead we know. Victorious King, Thy mercy show! Amen. Alleluia.*

## GOSPEL *Mark 16. 1-7*

At that time, Mary Magdalen, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought sweet spices, that coming they might anoint Jesus. And very early in the morning, the first day of the week, they came to the sepulchre, the sun being now risen. And they said one to another: Who shall roll us back the stone from the door of the sepulchre? And looking, they saw the stone rolled back. For it was very great. And entering into the sepulchre, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, clothed with a white robe, and they were astonished. Who saith to them: Be not affrighted; ye seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified: He is risen,

He is not here; behold the place where they laid Him. But go, tell His disciples, and Peter, that He goeth before you into Galilee: there you shall see Him, as He told you.

## OFFERTORY *Psalm 75. 9-10*

The earth trembled and was still when God arose in judgment, alleluia.

## SECRET

Accept, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the prayers of Thy people with the oblation of sacrifice; that what we have begun by these Paschal mysteries, may by Thy operation, profit us for a healing remedy unto ever lasting life. Through our Lord.

## PREFACE FOR EASTER

It is truly meet and just, right and availing unto salvation, that at all times, but more especially on this day we should extol Thy glory, O Lord, when Christ our Pasch was sacrificed. For He is the true Lamb that hath taken away the sins of the world. Who by dying hath overcome our death, and by rising again hath restored our life. And therefore with Angels and Archangels, with Thrones and Dominations, and with all the heavenly hosts, we sing a hymn to Thy glory, saying without ceasing:

COMMUNICANTES: *In communion with, and keeping the most holy day of the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ according to the flesh; venerating also in the first place the memory of the glorious ever Virgin Mary ...*

HANC IGITUR: *We therefore beseech Thee, O Lord, graciously to accept this oblation of our service, as also of Thy whole family, which we make unto Thee on behalf of these whom Thou hast vouchsafed to bring to a new birth by water and the Holy Ghost, granting them remission of all their sins: and*

## COMMUNION *1 Corinthians 5. 7-8*

Christ our Pasch is immolated, alleluia: therefore let us feast with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

## POSTCOMMUNION

Pour forth upon us, O Lord, the Spirit of Thy love, that by Thy loving kindness Thou mayest make to be of one mind, those whom Thou hast fed with these Paschal sacraments. Through our Lord.