



# FROM THE SPIRE



News & updates from our Shrine Churches for our community in Preston, Lancashire, England.

## Welcome in Lancashire Monsignor!

### Solemn Masses:

Sunday, 5th March 10:30am (SW) Tuesday, 7th March Feast of St Thomas Aquinas 6:30pm (SW)



Rest in Peace dear Canon Fragelli

## SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

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### Holy week 2023

Sunday, 2nd April, Palm Sunday

9am Low Mass at English Martyrs' Church;

10:30am Solemn Mass with Procession at Saint Walburge's;

6:30pm Low Mass (SW)

Spy Wednesday 5th April,

6pm Office of Maundy Thursday Tenebrae. SW

Maundy Thursday, 6th April, 6pm Solemn Mass "in Cena Domini", followed by procession to the Altar of Repose, Mandatum, Vespers, stripping of the altars and Adoration. SW

Friday, 7th April, Good Friday,

9am Office of Tenebrae. SW

3pm Mass of the Pre-Sanctified followed by Vespers. SW

6:30pm Stations of the Cross. SW

Saturday, 8th April,

Holy Saturday, 9am Office of Tenebrae. SW

6pm Solemn Easter Vigil. SW

Sunday, 9th April, Easter Sunday

9am Low Mass at English Martyrs' Church.

10:30am Solemn High Mass at Saint Walburge's followed by blessing of Easter eggs and of the Easter lamb.

Polite notice: No 6.30pm Mass on Easter Sunday



# TRANSLATION OF THE EPISTLE AND GOSPEL

## Second Sunday of Lent

Lesson from the first Letter of St. Paul to the Thessalonians

1 Thess. 4:1-7

Brethren: Even as you have learned from us how you ought to walk to please God - as indeed you are walking - we beseech and exhort you in the Lord Jesus to make even greater progress. For you know what precepts I have given to you by the Lord Jesus. For this is the will of God, your sanctification; that you abstain from immorality; that every one of you learn how to possess his vessel in holiness and honor, not in the passion of lust like the Gentiles who do not know God; that no one transgress and overreach his brother in the matter, because the Lord is the avenger of all these things, as we have told you before and have testified. For God has not called us unto uncleanness, but unto holiness, in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Continuation of the Holy Gospel according to Matthew

R. Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

Matt 17:1-9

At that time, Jesus took Peter, James and his brother John, and led them up a high mountain by themselves, and was transfigured before them. And His face shone as the sun, and His garments became white as snow. And behold, there appeared to them Moses and Elias talking together with Him. Then Peter addressed Jesus, saying, Lord, it is good for us to be here. If You will, let us set up three tents here, one for You, one for Moses, and one for Elias. As he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them, and behold, a voice out of the cloud said, This is My beloved Son, in Whom I am well pleased; hear Him. And on hearing it the disciplines fell on their faces and were exceedingly afraid. And Jesus came near and touched them, and said to them, Arise, and do not be afraid. But lifting up their eyes, they saw no one but Jesus only. And as they were coming down from the mountain, Jesus cautioned them, saying, Tell the vision to no one, till the Son of Man has risen from the dead.

### **Confessions during Holy Week 2023:**

**Monday 3rd April: 6-6.45pm.**

**Tuesday 4th April: 6-6.45pm**

**Wednesday 5th: April 5-5.45pm**

**Thursday 6th April: 5-5.45pm**

**Friday 7th April: 6-7pm**

**Saturday 8th April: 11am-12noon  
and on your request.**

### **Our Safeguarding representative:**

**\*\*Mr. Peter Dilworth\*\***

You may contact Peter in person or by  
email: [safeguarding.stwalburge@gmail.com](mailto:safeguarding.stwalburge@gmail.com)

### **Our prayer intentions this week:**

\*For our sick members:

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Trevor Dale, Anita. Mark and Ligaya McKay, Arthur and Maxine Frankland, William.

For Terry Carradice.

For Father Simon Henry and Father O'Sea.

For Canon H. Fragelli RIP, he passed away  
Wednesday 1st March.

\*The residents of Swansea Terrace.

Ordo	Mass and Confession Times	Offices and Devotions	Mass Intentions
Sunday 5/03 Second Sunday of Lent	9:00 EM 10:30 SW (High Mass) 6:30pm SW Conf: 10-10:30 SW	8:00 Morning Prayer 5:30pm Vespers and Benediction	Canon Cristofoli: Gregorian Masses Ian Richardson Canon Post: St Joseph Intentions Canon Ducret: Charlie and Marene Conner
Monday 6/03 Lenten Feria ( St Perpetua & Felicity)	8:30 SW 12 noon EM Confession: 6pm SW	7:30 Morning Prayer 5:30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Gregorian Masses Ian Richardson Canon Post: St Joseph Intentions Canon Ducret: AID
Tuesday 7/03 St Thomas Aquinas	8:30 SW 12 noon EM 6.30pm SW Solemn mass Confession: 6pm SW	9:15 Morning Prayer 5:30pm Vespers 6:15pm Sacred Heart	Canon Cristofoli: Gregorian Masses Ian Richardson Canon Post: St Joseph Intentions Canon Ducret: AID
Wednesday 8/3 Lenten Feria	8:30 SW 12 noon SW		Canon Cristofoli: Gregorian Masses Ian Richardson Canon Post: St Joseph Intentions Canon Ducret: AID
Thursday 9/3 Lenten Feria ( St Francisca Romana)	8:30 SW 12 noon EM Confession: 6pm SW	7:30 Morning Prayer 9am-7pm Adoration 5:30pm Vespers 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Gregorian Masses Ian Richardson Canon Post: St Joseph Intentions Canon Ducret: AID
Friday 10/3 Lenten Feria ( St Forty Martyrs)	8:30 SW 12 noon EM Confession 6pm SW	7:30 Morning Prayer 5:30pm Vespers <b>6-7pm Via Crucis</b> 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Gregorian Masses Ian Richardson Canon Post: St Joseph Intentions Canon Ducret: AID
Saturday 11/3 Lenten Feria	8:30 SW 12 noon SW Conf: 9:15-9:45 SW	7:30 Morning Prayer 5:30pm Vespers 6-7pm Adoration 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Gregorian Masses Ian Richardson Canon Post: St Joseph Intentions Canon Ducret: AID
Sunday 12/3 Third Sunday of Lent	9:00 EM 10:30 SW 6:30pm SW Conf: 10-10:30 SW	8:00 Morning Prayer 5:30pm Vespers and Benediction	Canon Cristofoli: Gregorian Masses Ian Richardson Canon Post: St Joseph Intentions Canon Ducret: AID

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The Latin Mass Society  
OF ENGLAND & WALES





# Announcements

**Guild Sundays:** Packed lunch at noon; catechism at 1pm; activities at 1:45.  
Next guilds: 12 March and 26 March.

**Stations of the Cross:** Join us for this traditional Lenten devotion every Friday at 6pm!

## **Chartres Pilgrimage 2023 Pentecost Weekend 26-30 May 2023**

Now in its 41 st year, the 2023 pilgrimage of Tradition from Paris to Chartres will take place over Pentecost Weekend, coinciding this year with the Spring Bank Holiday weekend in the UK.

Pilgrims from across the globe trek the 60 miles from Paris to Chartres through the French countryside, over a joyous 3 days of penance, prayer and song. It is truly an uplifting and moving experience to see many thousands of young (and some not so young ) Catholics publicly witness the Faith. But more importantly, it is invigorating source of renewal for one's personal spiritual life. Chaplains from the UK will be on hand to offer confession and spiritual direction. Families can join a special chapter with additional transport provided along the route for those with children. Also note the pilgrimage is not just for Traditionalists. Please consider invite Catholic and non-Catholic friends for an enjoyable and uplifting weekend. More info and pictures can be seen here <https://www.nd-chretiente.com/index-eng.php>

**COST** The cost of the pilgrimage is £310, including transport by coach from London to Paris and back from Chartres, plus overnight hotel accommodation on Friday 26th and Monday 29th May (including dinner).

The UK chapter is ready to accept applications registrations via completion of an online form at:

<https://forms.gle/virwWG1u72uLEZxy6>

For additional information about the UK chapter and travel arrangements please

email [Chartres@duc-in-altum.co.uk](mailto:Chartres@duc-in-altum.co.uk) or visit <http://chartresuk.blogspot.com/>

Northern pilgrims Depending on interest, additional arrangements can also be made for transport from the North departing from Warrington and Preston. (approx. additional cost £50). Please contact the Michael Hall: [m.hall@talk21.com](mailto:m.hall@talk21.com) as soon as possible to register your interest.

## **Lenten Appeal Rwanda 2023**

Lenten Appeal from Fr Placide in Cyangugu Rwanda on behalf of the Rwanda Group Trust, a Preston based registered Catholic Charity. (We have no overheads and every penny raised goes directly to those in real need).

“First of all I greet you. We thank you for the way you continue to take care of the poor in Rwanda. So now we have a big problem in Rwanda. We fear hunger, we have lacked rain, the sun shines a lot, the crops in the field are failing. Covid epidemic means goods in the market are expensive. The ones you help are our children, those who receive food, those needing medical treatment, those who receive housing and many others. We are begging for you again even though we know that the world economy has been disrupted everywhere.”

If you would like further information, or could make a donation to help a Rwandan family visit:

[www.rwandagrouptrust.blogspot.com](http://www.rwandagrouptrust.blogspot.com) or email

[rwandagrouptrust.org@gmail.com](mailto:rwandagrouptrust.org@gmail.com) Telephone

Michael Donlan (Trustee) 07864 990941

Last Week's Collections:

SW £562.98, Bank transfers £340.00 Donations £115.00 Total £1,017.98 EM £91.74

## **To Donate:**

Institute of Christ the King/St Walburge, Charity number: 1144783

To donate to St Walburge's via bank transfer:

Name: ICKSP Sort Code: 40-10-22 Account Number: 52347733

Gift Aid forms and offertory envelopes can be obtained at the Presbytery.