



FROM THE SPIRE

News & updates from our Shrine Church of Saint Walburge in Preston, Lancashire.



Passion Sunday

Holy Week 2025 at St Walburge's

Presbytery Office

Hours:

Monday, Tuesday,
Thursday,
Friday and Saturday
9:30-12 and 2-5

Saint Benedict's Cultural Centre

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Sunday 13th April: Palm Sunday

8.30am: Low Mass
10.30am: Blessing of Palms, Procession and Solemn High Mass
5.30pm: Vespers & Benediction
6.30pm: Low Mass

Spy Wednesday 16th April

5.30pm: Office of Tenebrae (anticipated)

Thursday 17th April: Maundy Thursday

5pm: Washing of the feet, followed by Solemn High Mass, procession to the Altar of Repose, Vespers, Stripping of the Altars & all-night Adoration

Friday 18th April: Good Friday

8:30am: Office of Tenebrae
3pm: Mass of the Pre-Sanctified followed by Vespers
6.30pm: Stations of the Cross

Saturday 19th April: Holy Saturday

8.30am: Office of Tenebrae
6pm: Solemn Easter Vigil & Baptism

Sunday 20th April, Easter Sunday

8.30am: Low Mass
10.30am: Solemn High Mass followed by blessing of Easter eggs and of the Easter lamb
5.30pm: Vespers & Benediction & 6.30pm Low Mass

Confessions:

Monday 14th April: 6.00-6.45pm
Tuesday 15th April: 6.00-6.45pm
Wednesday 16th April: 9.30-10.30
Thursday 17th April: 4.15-4.45pm
Friday 18th April: 2.00-2.45pm and 6.30-7.15pm
Saturday 19th April : 11.00-12.00



TRANSLATION OF THE EPISTLE AND GOSPEL

Passion Sunday

Epistle - Heb 9:11-15.

Brethren: When Christ appeared as high priest of the good things to come, He entered once for all through the greater and more perfect tabernacle, not made by hands - that is, not of this creation, - nor again by virtue of blood of goats and calves, but by virtue of His own blood, into the Holies, having obtained eternal redemption. For if the blood of goats and bulls and the sprinkled ashes of a heifer sanctify the unclean unto the cleansing of the flesh, how much more will the Blood of Christ, Who through the Holy Spirit offered Himself unblemished unto God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God? And this is why He is mediator of a new covenant, that whereas a death has taken place for redemption from the transgressions committed under the former covenant, they who have been called may receive eternal inheritance according to the promise, in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Gospel - John 8:46-59.

At that time, Jesus said to the crowds of the Jews: Which of you can convict Me of sin? If I speak the truth, why do you not believe Me? He who is of God hears the words of God. The reason why you do not hear is that you are not of God. The Jews therefore in answer said to Him, Are we not right in saying that You are a Samaritan, and have a devil? Jesus answered, I have not a devil, but I honor My Father, and you dishonor Me. Yet, I do not seek My own glory; there is One Who seeks and Who judges. Amen, amen, I say to you, if anyone keep My word, he will never see death. The Jews therefore said, Now we know that You have a devil. Abraham is dead, and the prophets, and You say, 'If anyone keep My word he will never taste death.' Are You greater than our father Abraham, who is dead? And the prophets are dead. Whom do You make Yourself? Jesus answered, If I glorify Myself, My glory is nothing. It is My Father Who glorifies Me, of Whom you say that He is your God. And you do not know Him, but I know Him. And if I say that I do not know Him, I shall be like you, a liar. But I know Him, and I keep His word. Abraham your father rejoiced that he was to see My day. He saw it and was glad. The Jews therefore said to Him, You are not yet fifty years old, and have You seen Abraham? Jesus said to them, Amen, amen, I say to you, before Abraham came to be, I am. They therefore took up stones to cast at Him; but Jesus hid Himself, and went out from the temple.

Prayer Intentions

*Please keep in your prayers Arthur and Maxine Frankland, Bob and Jane Latin, Anita, Denis and Margaret Smith, Dennis Brophy, Terry Carradice, Livia Almeida, Christopher Moloney, Rosemary Hough, Michael Cross, Ewa, Alexander, the residents of Swansea Terrace Care Home.

Let's keep praying for the Holy Father.

Please in your charity, pray for the soul of Peter Greenwood who passed away on 2nd March 2025 and also for his wife, Elizabeth who passed away on 4th October 1997.

RIP

Pope's intention for April - for the use of the new technologies Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person and will help us face the crises of our times.

Ordo	Daily Schedule:		Mass Intentions
<p align="center">Sunday 6/IV Passion Sunday</p>	<p align="center">8am Confessions 8.30am Low Mass 10am Confessions 10.30am Solemn High Mass</p>	<p align="center">5.30pm Vespers & Benediction 6.30pm Low Mass (no Confessions)</p>	<p align="center">Canon Cristofoli: Novena GZ Canon Poucin: Tina Russell</p>
<p align="center">Monday 7/IV Feria of Lent</p>	<p align="center">7.30am Lauds & Meditation 8.30am Low Mass</p>	<p align="center">5.30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration and Confessions 7pm Compline</p>	<p align="center">Canon Cristofoli: Novena GZ Canon Poucin: Private intention</p>
<p align="center">Tuesday 8/IV Feria of Lent</p>	<p align="center">7.30am Lauds & Meditation 8.30am Low Mass</p>	<p align="center">5.30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration and Confessions 7pm Compline</p>	<p align="center">Canon Cristofoli: Novena GZ Canon Poucin: For a grace of reconciliation</p>
<p align="center">Wednesday 9/IV Feria of Lent</p>	<p align="center">8.30am Low Mass</p>	<p align="center">Church closed from 10am</p>	<p align="center">Canon Cristofoli: Novena GZ Canon Poucin: For a grace of reconciliation</p>
<p align="center">Thursday 10/IV Feria of Lent</p>	<p align="center">7.30am Lauds & Meditation 8.30am Sung Mass</p>	<p align="center">5.30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration and Confessions 7pm Compline</p>	<p align="center">Canon Cristofoli: Thierry Canon Poucin: For a grace of reconciliation</p>
<p align="center">Friday 11/IV Our Lady of Sorrows</p>	<p align="center">7.30am Lauds & Meditation 8.30am Sung Mass</p>	<p align="center">5.30pm Vespers 6.00pm Stations of the Cross and Confessions 19:00pm Compline</p>	<p align="center">Canon Cristofoli: Leon RIP Canon Poucin: For a grace of reconciliation</p>
<p align="center">Saturday 12/IV Feria of Lent</p>	<p align="center">7.30am Lauds & Meditation 8.30am Low Mass 9:15 Confessions</p>	<p align="center">5.30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration (<i>No confessions</i>) 7pm Compline</p>	<p align="center">Canon Cristofoli: Leon RIP Canon Poucin: For a grace of reconciliation</p>
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Announcements

Every Thursday: All-Day Adoration The Blessed Sacrament is exposed from 9.15am and remain on the altar until evening Benediction at 6.45pm. **Come let us worship!**

Every Friday during Lent, 6pm: Stations of the Cross and veneration of the relic of the True Cross.

Monday 14th April 7.30pm: Gregorian Chant Class at St Benedict's. Contact & info: Canon Poucin.

Piety Shop: Easter cards and St Andrew missals are now in stock!

New Collection envelopes for the next financial year: Forms available at the back of church, to be handed to Canon Poucin. Or consider a regular bank transfer so that it's easier for everyone?

Gift Aid - Offertory envelopes

*****Any envelope users who have not yet received their new box of envelopes, please contact one of your Canons.*****

We still have a few spare boxes of envelopes if anyone wishes to make their weekly offering in this manner. Envelope request forms can be found in the church porch; please complete one and return it to the presbytery. Thank you.

Our Safeguarding Representative: Mr. Peter Dilworth--postmaster@dilworth49.plus.com

Last week's collection: £ 657.67 - Bank Transfers £ 1447.00 - Donations £ 300.00

Octavius Stations of the Cross: £164.60 - Ceilidh profit £1321.25

Thank You very much for your continuous generosity!

Holy Year 2025 - Pilgrimage to Rome with the Institute

If you are interested to travel and stay with the French Province organisation please contact:
jubile2025@odeia.fr

Thursday 8th May 2pm Pontifical Mass in St Maria Maggiore.

Friday 9th May 5.30pm Procession to Saint Peter and Benediction in St Peter's Basilica of the Vatican.

Saturday 10th May 4pm Holy Mass in St Paul outside the walls.

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