

Catholic Mission Community of the Sacred Heart & St Margaret Mary, Leicester


Fifth Sunday of Lent Year C - Passiontide


Sunday 3rd April 2022



Fifth Week of Lent		Mass Intentions
Saturday 2 nd	3pm Vigil Mass (SMM) 6pm Vigil Mass	Bob Cave, GH Teresa Bourke Chick Walsh, Francisco Brito
Sunday 3 rd Fifth Sunday of Lent	11am Mass (Live-streamed)	Fr Fabian Radcliffe OP, Sean Morton, Anthony Castanha, GH Ricardo Pereira In thanksgiving Niza Nunes
Monday 4 th	10am Mass	Jane Taylor, Fr David Everitt
Tuesday 5 th	10am Mass 12 noon Funeral	Brendan Burke Jim Farrell
Wednesday 6 th	10am Mass	Nellie O'Leary, Bishop James McGuinness
Thursday 7 th <i>St John Baptist de La Salle</i>	10am Mass	Martin Flanagan Int of all our teachers
Friday 8 th	5.30pm Stations of the Cross 6pm Mass	Brian Neale, GH Shabie Dias
Saturday 9 th	3pm Vigil Mass (SMM) 6pm Vigil Mass	Ray, Betty & David Creedon, Deacon John Parker Luiza (Baion) Pereira (Month's Mind) Afonso, Cacilda & Francisco Pereira GH Piedade Rosario
Sunday 10 th Palm Sunday	10.45 am Procession with Palms 11am Mass (Live-streamed)	Jim Farrell, Jane Taylor

Prayers for those who are sick or in hospital: Patrick Maughan, Tina Martin, Joachim 'Jack' Rodrigues, Margaret Murray, Vera McHugh, Corrina Pascale, Josie Campbell, Orla Melbourne, William MacWan, Ann Hinchliffe, Sheila O'Connor, Sheela MacWan, Kathy Barratt, Elaine Thomas, Teresa Knezevich, Pat & Margaret Spicer, John Hare, Fr Tom Toal, Jack Walker, Fr John Daley IC, Storm Coleman, Micky Snelders, Marcelina Rocha. Please let us know if there is anyone who you would like to pray for- you must have their permission first.

 **Recently deceased:**
Jim Farrell Funeral Tuesday 5th April at 12 noon and *Mary Amelia Jeffers* mother of Blondina, Jasmine and Monique who died in Montserrat. Our deepest sympathy to their families. May they rest in peace.

 **Awakening**— a Jesus Youth initiative. Our church will be open all day NEXT Saturday 9th April from 9.30 am for prayer and adoration in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. Concluding at 5.45 pm before the 6pm Vigil Mass. Come and prepare to celebrate our Holy Week journey and pray for peace in our world.

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Parish Priest: Fr John Lally **Assistant Priests:** Fr Emmanuel Abbem* & Fr Prince Kurian MSFS
(*resident at Our Lady of Good Counsel, 15, Peebles Way, Rushey Mead LE4 7ZB. Tel 0116 2661621)

Parish Deacons: Rev Bill Myers, Rev Séamus O'Looskan **Priest in residence:** Fr John Tavares

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N.R.C.D.T. A Registered Charity

(SMM) Saturday 3pm St Margaret's Vigil Mass at St Paul's Polish Church, Wakerley Road, LE5 4WE



Preparation for First Holy Communion next session Sunday 24th April at 10 am followed by 11 am Mass

Preparation for Confirmation next session THIS Tuesday 5th April at 7pm

SH/SMM Collections for 26/27 March

Loose	£319.75
Envelopes	£ 96.42
Standing Orders	<u>£453.00</u>
	£869.17



Second collection: CAFOD Lent Fast Day to date- £768.20.

Envelopes for CAFOD can be given in at anytime during Lent and Holy Week.

Boiler Fund: Further £150 received - total to date £8,478.

Parish Account: Sacred Heart Leicester RCP Account number: 00949284 Sort Code: 30-15-97 Please put a reference when paying into the account eg. Collection, Mass intention, Boiler etc

Not just maintenance but to enable our parish mission:

Cleaning of the Church—We would like to reintroduce a weekly cleaning rota. If you can spare an hour during the week to volunteer to clean then please contact the Parish Office. Rota will begin after Easter.

Music at Sacred Heart Dolrich & Daryl would like to invite anyone wishing to sing or play an instrument to help us express worship at our weekend masses & Holy Week.

Contact: Daryl on 07702401198.

Parish Finance Group next meeting Thursday 12th May 7pm

Dates for the diary

Mass & Procession in honour of Our Lady Friday 13th May 6pm

Feast of the Ascension Thursday 26th May

Masses at 10 am and 7 pm

Diocesan Pilgrimage to the shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham

Saturday 11th June. Details of the coach will be announced soon

Corpus Christi Procession Sunday 19th June after the 11am Mass

Saturday 18th June Celebration of reconciliation with our First Holy Communion families 10.30 am

Friday 24th June Feast of the Sacred Heart 7pm followed by BBQ, food and dancing

Sunday 26th June 11 am Celebration Mass followed by a Farewell celebration for Fr John Lally

Friday 29th September Confirmation Mass 7pm (SH)

Monday 3rd October Confirmation Mass 7pm (at Our Lady's)

Raising money for CAFOD There are collection points at Sacred Heart and at St Margaret's for the following- when we have enough they will be sent to Recycling for Good Causes, and the contribution will be donated to CAFOD. Contact is Christina Mottram: we accept- Jewellery & Watches (in any material even if damaged or broken) Currency – Any coins or banknotes, UK & foreign (even if out of circulation) Mobile Phones, cameras (old film, digital and video) Stamps (Loose, single, albums, first day covers, presentation packs, collections) Gadgets (Sat-Navs, Ipods, MP3 players, games consoles, games & accessories).

Readers for Holy Week - please email your availability for reading during Holy Week and Easter to John Young on johnyoung58@virginmedia.com

Altar Servers —please sign the list in the sacristy. Practices on Holy Thursday 14th at 11 am and Holy Saturday 16th at 11 am

Easter lily - if you would like to donate a lily in memory of a loved one, for our Easter flowers then please fill in the form and leave £2 in the basket provided by Our Lady's statue

Walk for Lent: Are you ready to change your life and transform someone else's this Lent? Challenge yourself to walk 200k this Lent and help stamp out hunger, one step at a time. A group have took on this task in the Parish— they would love others to join in walking or to sponsor them Visit - <https://walk.cafod.org.uk/fundraising/sacred-heart-leicester-walk-for-lent>

Spark Retreat - Spark Retreat for Young People- a Jesus Youth initiative Friday 9th –Sunday 11th April. Registration fee £30 (sponsorship available for parish young people over 15 preparing for Confirmation) Contact Shelina 07868483568 or Maziano 07737158224 or click on this link to register <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1yg86lCg46zYaFuCSijmq0cvHM5IA50BBqwZZXkBzhs8/edit?usp=drivesdk>

We welcome those who will journey on retreat here next weekend in the Scout Hut from our parish and Peterborough— may our young people be caught by the Spark of faith in their lives.

Pilgrim Cross - Midland Leg - we welcome pilgrims next weekend to our parish who will be staying in our Parish Hall and Clubroom. They are 25 pilgrims from around the country who will, during Holy Week walk 120 miles carrying a large wooden cross, reaching Walsingham on Good Friday. This has happened every year since the end of World War II except these Pandemic years. Each evening they stay in a different Church or Village Hall. When reaching Walsingham they will celebrate the Easter Triduum services together. Normally they would begin walking on Saturday, but due to a hall not being available they will instead undertake a walking interfaith pilgrimage here in Leicester visiting a Hindu Temple, a Mosque and a Gudwara in the streets around our church. We hope they feel welcome with us.

Our prayers go with all our Muslim friends and neighbours who begin this weekend the month of Ramadan.



Welcome in Baptism to Kahari Smith



Palm Sunday

Saturday 9th April Vigil Masses at 3pm (SMM) & 6pm
Sunday 10th Procession with Palms at 10.45 am followed by Mass in Church at 11 am

Monday in Holy Week 11th Penance Service 7 pm

Holy Thursday 14th Mass of the Last Supper 8pm followed by watching till Midnight

Good Friday 15th Solemn Liturgy of the Passion 3pm

Holy Saturday 16th 8pm Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday 17th Mass at 11 am