


The Parishes of Sacred Heart & St Margaret Mary, & Our Lady of Good Counsel, Leicester

Palm Sunday Year A

Sunday 2nd April 2023



Date	Time & Event	Church	Mass Intentions - Holy Week
Saturday 1st	6.30pm Vigil Mass	Our Lady's	RIP Eileen & Jim Delaney, In Thanksgiving to OLGC & it's Priests, In Thanksgiving, For all Parish Volunteers
	6.30pm Vigil Mass	Sacred Heart	RIP Claire & Stuart Balmer. GH Diane Morris, GH Henry Ford. For all Parish Volunteers
Sunday 2nd Palm Sunday The Passion of The Lord	10.15am Mass	Our Lady's	GH Veronica Benita Rozario, For all Parish Volunteers
	11am Mass (Live-streamed)	Sacred Heart	RIP Mr & Mrs Denisio Fernandes & Fam, Ellen Stiff & Janet Neal, Fr Fabian Radcliffe OP. GH Niza Guedes & Family, Custodio & Belinda Dias, For all Parish Volunteers
Monday 3rd	10am Mass with Lent Stations	St Paul's Polish Church	Joint Mass - Polish & St Margaret's Communities
Tuesday 4th	9am Holy Hour	Sacred Heart	MM Francisco Mendonca, RIP Pam Howe.
	10am Mass	Our Lady's	GH Andre Nunes, Vandena Budaloo, Siyana Maria Jadavji GH Grace
Wed 5th	No Masses in the parishes today		Chrism Mass at St Barnabas Cathedral 11.30am. N Circus Street, Nottingham NG15AE
Thurs 6th Maunder Thursday. The Lord's Supper	8pm Mass	Our Lady's	RIP Jose & Tereza Rebelo
	8pm Mass	Sacred Heart	RIP Maria Caetana Fernandes, Francisco Cardoza,
Friday 7th Good Friday The Passion of The Lord	3pm Solemn Liturgy	Our Lady's	
	3pm Solemn Liturgy	Sacred Heart	
Saturday 8th Holy Saturday The Easter Vigil	8pm Vigil Mass	Our Lady's	RIP Nicolau & Nascimento Rodrigues, Mario & Anthony Rodrigues, Yvonne Steele Rodrigues. GH Osvaldo & Henrietta Miranda, Anthony Rosario
	8pm Vigil Mass	Sacred Heart	
Sunday 9th Easter Day The Resurrection of The Lord	10.15am Mass	Our Lady's	RIP Francis Cardoz, GH Norah & Nathaniel Miranda
	11am Mass (Live-streamed)	Sacred Heart	RIP Jimmie, Shiela & James Mannix & Jean Phillips, Anthony Castanha,

SMM– St Margaret's Community Monday Mass at St Paul's Polish Church, Wakerley Rd LE5 4WE followed by refreshments. **Note: No Mass at SMM on Monday 10th April.**

There will be changes to Masses the week of 10th April. Check next week's newsletter.

Collection on Good Friday for The Holy Places of Palestine.

Sanctuary Lamp Intentions
SH Family of Claire & Stuart Balmer
OLGC GH of Pope Francis

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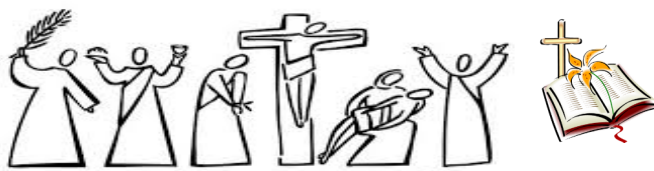
Parish Deacon: Rev Séamus O'Looskan **Priests in residence:** Fr Joseph Mugara & Fr John Tavares

SH Safeguarding Representative: Ms Margaret McGrath 07513 725549 NRC DT A Registered Charity

Live-stream from SH Sunday 11 am Mass on Facebook & YouTube & other services as announced

(SMM) St Margaret's Monday Mass at St Paul's Polish Church, Wakerley Road, LE5 4WE





Holy Week

Holy Week Times 2023

at Our Lady's & Sacred Heart

Maundy Thurs Mass 8pm, followed by
Watching until Midnight SH & 11pm OL

Good Friday 3pm Solemn Liturgy

Easter Vigil Masses 8pm

Easter Sunday Masses 10.15am OL & 11am SH

Sacred Heart 50/50 draws

Draw 2 Oct-Dec 22

Draw 1 July-Sept 22

22 Roy Keller £100

137 John Mannix £100

15 Fatima Mendonca £75

176 Hanorah Barker £75

94 T Lynch £50

95 Ann Hoey £50

4 Antonio Machado £15

88 Lorna Monteiro £15

53 S Mulrenan £10

66 Deacon Seamus £10

The Sacred Heart 50/50 Club is available for parishioners

Draw 3 Jan-Mar 23

across our Parishes to join. Pay

23 Ann Lloyd £100

£5 per month by standing

51 Angela Connolly £75

order into the SH account and

4 Antonio Machado £50

be entered into a draw every

19 Matildes DeBrito £15

three months. We will make

70 Judy Rogers £10

the forms for this available at

the back of our churches after

Easter.

Winners please contact the office.

Thank You

Volunteers Gatherings at Sacred Heart & Our Lady's

Thank you to those who attended our volunteers gatherings at both of our parishes. May God bless our mission and enkindle in us the passion and commitment to make our Holy Family Parish Cluster a thriving community working together for the ongoing mission of the church in our area and in our world.

Prayer Groups in the Parish

Jesus Youth meet on Mondays 6.30pm in the SH Parish Hall

Good Shepherd Prayer Group meet on Tuesdays 6-7.30pm in the Early Learners Centre, 78 Uppingham Road. Except on the last Tuesday of each month when the meeting will be at Sacred Heart Church. All welcome.

SH Collections for 25th/26th March

Loose	£533.98
Envelopes	£132.00
Standing Orders	<u>£510.00</u>
	£1175.98

OLGC Collections for 25th/26th March

Loose	£288.34
Envelopes	£122.00
Standing Orders	<u>£98.00</u>
	£508.34

HOLY WEEK READERS

Thank you to all those who have volunteered to carry out this important ministry. We now have readers for all of our Holy Week celebrations apart from one gap at Sacred Heart on Easter Sunday morning. If you can read at this Mass, please let us know.

We need your help!

Let's make our churches sparkle for our Easter celebrations. Please come along to both churches on Holy Saturday at 10am and grab a brush, a mop, a cloth or a duster and work together to prepare our churches for the most important time in our Christian calendar.

Attention all Altar Servers!

Altar Server Practises for our Easter Services at both parishes are at:
11am on Maundy Thursday & 11am on Easter Saturday
Please come along.

There is no celebration of The Way of The Cross for the Sri Lankan Community on Palm Sunday.

Night Vigil

"Could you not stay awake with me for an hour? Stay awake and pray, so that you may not fall into temptation." Matthew 26: 40-41

Good Friday 7th April
12:00am – 5:00am

At Sacred Heart Church.



Inviting you all to join us for a time of reflection as we journey with the Lord through his time of passion.



Our Big Lent Walk for CAFOD raised £1700!

This far exceeded our fundraising target. Thank you to all who took part and all who sponsored us.

CAFOD Lent Fast Days raised £1002.41.

The Comboni Missionaries collection at Our Lady's raised £507.38.

A little late but our Christmas Raffle raised £920.

Thank you all for your generosity.

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