

# PARISH OF SAINT AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO

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## HOLY WEEK (Year B)

Sunday 25th March 2018 - Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

### TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES

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|------------------------|------------------|--|
| Saturday               | 24th Mar.        | 9.30 a.m. <b>Mass (<i>in Latin</i>)</b><br>5.15 p.m. <b>Confessions (<i>until 5.45 p.m.</i>)</b><br>6.00 p.m. <b>Mass (<i>Int. The Parish</i>)</b> |
| <b>Palm Sunday</b>     | <b>25th Mar.</b> | <b>10.30 a.m. Mass (<i>Michelle Evans RIP</i>)</b>   |
| Tuesday                | 27th Mar.        | 7.00 p.m. <b>Mass (<i>Int. Sarah McGivern RIP</i>)</b>   |
| Wednesday              | 28th Mar.        | 8.30 a.m. <b>Mass</b><br>12 noon <b>Chrism Mass (<i>Plymouth Cathedral</i>)</b><br>7.15 p.m. <b>Stations of the Cross</b>                          |
| <b>Maundy Thursday</b> | <b>29th Mar.</b> | <b>7.00 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper</b><br><b>Gethsemane Watch</b><br><b>9.00 p.m. Evening Prayer</b>   |
| <b>Good Friday</b>     | <b>30th Mar.</b> | <b>9.30 a.m. Morning Prayer</b><br><b>3.00 p.m. The Lord's Passion</b><br><b>followed by Confessions</b><br><b>3.00 p.m. Children's Liturgy</b>    |
| <b>Holy Saturday</b>   | <b>31st Mar.</b> | <b>9.30 a.m. Morning Prayer</b><br><b>10.00 a.m. Blessing of Easter Food</b><br><b>8.30 p.m. The Easter Vigil (<i>Int. The Parish</i>)</b>         |
| <b>Easter Sunday</b>   | <b>1st Apr.</b>  | <b>8.30 a.m. Mass</b><br><b>10.30 a.m. Mass (<i>Int. John Ryan RIP</i>)</b>  |

**ORDINARIATE MASSES:** Sunday 5.30 p.m. & Wednesday 6.30 p.m.



### POPE FRANCIS' MARCH INTENTION

**Evangelisation - Formation in Spiritual Discernment;** That the Church may appreciate the urgency of formation in spiritual discernment, both on the personal and communitarian levels.

### MASS INTENTIONS

Sun 25th Mar - Michelle Evans RIP (Ros Evans' intention). Tues 27th Mar - Sarah McGivern RIP (Margaret Sanders' intention). Sun 1st Apr, 10.30am - John Ryan RIP (Sylvia Ryan and family intention).

### HOLY WEEK

Palm Sunday begins our celebration of Holy Week, the most sacred time in the Church's year, when we celebrate the various events of our Lord's passion, death and resurrection. The Resurrection stands at the very heart of our faith and because the events of Holy Week are such an important celebration I would encourage you to attend as many of the liturgies as possible, and ideally all of them. Holy Week is a celebration of the drama through which Christ won our salvation, and each of the liturgies is an important act in that drama: Palm Sunday – the entry in to Jerusalem, the Holy City; Holy Thursday – the Last Supper; Good Friday – the Crucifixion and Death of Christ; the Easter Vigil – The Resurrection and the event which stands at the very heart of Salvation History; and Easter Sunday – a joyous celebration of the Risen Christ. The Easter Vigil in particular is the most important and dramatic liturgy of the Church's year. Let our celebration of the events of Holy Week refresh and renew our faith in the Risen Christ.

*Fr Peter*

***Please note that there is no mass at 6.00pm on Holy Saturday***

### WEEKDAY MASS ON WEDNESDAY

Please note that Mass on Wednesday will be at the earlier time of **8.30am** and there will be no Exposition.

### **CHRISM MASS Wednesday 28th March, 12 noon at Plymouth Cathedral**

All are most welcome to attend the Chrism Mass.

### **GOOD FRIDAY - FAST AND ABSTINENCE**

Good Friday is a day of Fast and Abstinence from meat.

### **GOOD FRIDAY CONFESSIONS**

Confessions will be heard after the Good Friday Service.

### **GOOD FRIDAY - CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

Will parents wishing their children to attend the Good Friday Children's Liturgy please take them straight to St. Monica's room on arrival.

### **HOLY PLACES**

The Good Friday collection always goes to support the people and places of the Holy Land. Christians continue to live under unprecedented pressure in Israel and the Middle East and we are urged more than ever to demonstrate our mercy and generous care for our brothers and sisters in this troubled region.



### **BLESSING OF EASTER FOOD**

On *Holy Saturday, 31st March at 10.00 a.m.* after Morning Prayer, Fr. Peter will bless baskets of Easter food for members of the Polish Community and for any other parishioner who would like this blessing.

### **PARISH BREAKFAST**

There will be a celebration breakfast on Easter Day between the 8.30am and 10.30 am Masses. All are very welcome

### **MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION AND READERS**

If you have signed up to minister during the Easter Triduum please check the rotas which are now on the notice board in the porch. Thank you.

### **EASTER OFFERINGS**

The Easter Offerings go direct to the Parish Priest. If you pay tax and are considering gift aiding your donation, offerings need to be £10.00 or over (please put your donation in one of the blue 'Gift Aid' envelopes available in the Narthex). Those of you who regularly use envelopes may use the 'Easter Offering' envelope included in the pack you use for your weekly collection. If you are giving your donation by cheque, please make it payable to 'PRCDTR St Austell Parish'. Thank you

### **OPEN CHURCH FOR PRAYER AND REFLECTION**

The Church will be open from 10.00am until 2.00pm this coming Tuesday in Holy Week. Come for a time of quiet reflection and prayer, light a candle and stay for a cup of tea or coffee. Soup and roll lunches will also be available.

### **NEW STATUE OF MARY**

A number of parishioners have asked over recent years for a statue of Our Lady in the courtyard garden at the back of the church. It was agreed that money would be raised via donations for this. In fact, before there was an opportunity to make this known to the parish generally, enough donations have been received for a statue to be purchased and it is hoped to have it in place for May, the month of Our Lady, when it will be blessed. Many thanks to those individuals and groups who contributed to this, including the Companions of St. Monica, the Ordinariate Group, as well as a group outside of the parish who generously contributed but who wish to remain anonymous.

### **ROSARY ON THE COAST**

Following highly successful national events in Poland and Ireland, *Sunday 29th April at 3.00pm* has been chosen as a launch date for 'Rosary on the Coast' in the British Isles. This is a day of Pilgrimage and Prayer for the re-flourishing of our Faith, for the grace to build a culture of Life, and for true Peace to reign in the hearts of all peoples and nations. As a parish, we are planning to hold a public praying of the Rosary event on Charlestown harbour. Fr. Robbie Low is organising an event in Fowey (details to be confirmed) If you wish to organise your own 'Rosary on the Coast' event somewhere on the coast in the parish, please let the Parish Office know and we will publicise it.

### **MAGNIFICAT**

The Easter edition of Magnificat is now available in the Narthex, price £2. The April edition is also available, price £2.99. Please place your purchase money in the wall safe in the Porch. Thank you.

### **BUCKFAST ABBEY - MILLENNIUM MASS, 24th May 2018**

It is with pleasure that we are able to announce that four more tickets have become available. Mary de Wolf, Dorothy O'Shea, Joyce Keevil and Margaret Clark will be joining Fr Peter, Anne Hempleman and Maureen Vincent to represent St Augustine's at this memorable and historic celebration the foundation of the monastic community at Buckfast 1000 years ago.

### **NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE & CONGRESS (Adoremus)**

#### ***'I am the Bread of Life' in Liverpool, 7th-9th September 2018***

There are still two places available to represent St Augustine's as delegates at the Catholic Bishop's Conference of England and Wales first Eucharistic Congress since 1908. If you would like to represent the parish please let Fr Peter this weekend. The cost of a place is £40 per delegate per day. A financial contribution from the parish towards the cost of the weekend will be available if needed.

### **COLLECTIONS Thank you**

*The parish collection total below does not include Standing Orders which average at £327 per week. Cheques should be made payable to: PRC DTR St. Austell Parish.*  
Parish Collection: £530.41; Candles: £34.81; Coffee: £11.60.

### **SICK AND HOUSEBOUND**

Please remember in your prayers those in the parish who are sick or housebound especially *Pauline Abdey, Fred Abraham, Sylvia Austin, Maura Bennett, Brendan Bowe, Teiaia Bradbury, James & Margaret Clapp, Mary Coupe, Trevona Delaney, Mary Dineen, Sue Dugmore, Helen Gibson, Pat Giles, Elaine Gladwin, Florence Godolphin, Teresita Hill, Cynthia Longthorp, Elizabeth McKie, Carmen Matthews, Sarah Mitchell, Valerie Parkinson, June Parsons, Edwina Porter-Duncan, Tony Shortall, Amanda Stickney, Katie Symes, Paddy Wellington, Pauline Whitford, Sally Wilson.*

### **COGITAMENTA**

"Someone must acknowledge Christ's royalty. The question for me to answer today, as I receive and carry my palm cross is: Am I going to be the one, or am I going to leave it to others? It is my King riding there, riding on to die for me!"

*Mother St Paul - Totus Tuus Family and Catholic Homeschool*

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