The Catholic Parish of
St. John Henry Newman
The churches of the English Martyrs & St. Monica

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EASTER SUNDAY - 4th APRIL 2021

Sunday B, Weekday 1, Psalter Week1

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη Ἀληθῶς ἀνέστη

Christ is risen! He is risen indeed!

		English Martyrs' Church (EM) St. Monica's Church (SM)
Tues **9.30am**	**6**	**EASTER TUESDAY** Mass - EM
Wed **9.30am**	**7**	**EASTER WEDNESDAY** Mass - SM
Thurs **9.30am**	**8**	**EASTER THURSDAY** Mass - EM
Fri **9.30am**	**9**	**EASTER FRIDAY** Mass - SM
Sat **10.00am** **11.00am** **5.30pm**	**10**	**EASTER SATURDAY** Confession - in the Sacristy - EM Mass - EM Vigil Mass - SM
Sun **9.30.am** **11.30am**	**11**	**2nd SUNDAY of EASTER** Mass - SM - Live-streamed Mass - SM

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME CORNER

VIDEO CATECHESIS WITH FR. KIEREN

https://youtu.be/4bxv_wpG2nQ (parents to watch - subject is reconciliation)

Shrove Tuesday Catechesis with Fr. K: https://youtu.be/wetfHiMlgtc

Ash Wednesday Catechesis with Fr. K: https://youtu.be/ZUoaN0-67Mw

Second Week in Lent with Fr. K: //www.youtube/axeVFniUKL8

Third Week in Lent with Fr. K: https://youtu.be/js1YRO9tapk

Mothering Sunday with Fr. K: https://youtu.be/4IbdGMYKnvk

Fifth Week in Lent with Fr. K: https://youtu.be/OJaAayJM8uQ

Palm Sunday and Holy Week: https://youtu.be/TVDGecTTZUU

Easter Sunday with Fr. K: https://youtu.be/AXc9_9eShh4

Sacrament of Reconciliation

1. Tuesday 11th May, OLOR cohort (6.30pm) - St. Monica's church
2. Wednesday 12th May, EM cohort (6.30pm) - English Martyrs' church
3. Thursday 13th May, SM cohort (6.30pm) - St. Monica's church

The dates for 1st Holy Communion are as follows:

1. 3rd July - Noon - (English Martyrs' cohort)
2. 10th July - Noon - (Our Lady of the Rosary cohort)
3. 17th July - Noon - (St. Monica's cohort)

Masses & Prayers

Lately Dead

Requiescat in pace

Les Wilkins

Easter Intentions

Kevin & Kathleen Prendergast, the Prendergast family, Brendan Prendergast, James Prendergast, Kate Prendergast, James and Mary Sheehy, the Sheehy family, the Griffen family, Mary Teresa Kelly, Fr. Tim Gunn, for the Poor Souls

Intention

all NHS workers, a private intention,

Anniversaries Masses

Mary Hartey, Fr. Tom Scully, George Webster, Eugene McLoughlin

Sick

Maureen O'Connor, Judith Lee, Marie Burns, Bridget Caunce, Nicholas Behan, Michael Donnelly, David Brock, Michelle Clegg, Mary Hughes, Sylvia King, Maureen Whalley, Kath Royle, Anne Tumbelty, Kathleen Connors, Maureen McCarthy, Sandra Brady, Nuala O'Dwyer, Jean Nelson, Bridget Rigby, Jeanette Meakin, Josephine Riley, Stan Reid, Jean Black, Kevin Walsh, John Hartey, Theresa Patrick, Kevin Walsh, Ann Nothard

Sanctuary Candles

GETTING MARRIED IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

In order to get married in the Catholic Church 6 months notice must be given.

If you have been married outside the Church and would like to have the civil marriage convalidated, please contact Fr. Kieren for further information.

*Please pray for **Kate & Aaron** and **Isobel & Thomas** who will share the sacrament of Marriage in April, **Rachael & Danny** who will share the sacrament in May.*

"And that is what marriage is! Hand in hand, always and for the rest of your lives".

Pope Francis

BOOKING AT NEXT SUNDAY MASS there will be no need to pre-book for Mass next weekend (ONLY). The stewards will work on a first come - first served basis!! Back to normal the week after!!

OUR LOCAL DIOCESAN HIGH SCHOOL is looking to recruit 4 new teachers to its team. If you are interested please follow the link. https://st-antonys.com/staff/vacancies/

LOCKDOWN UPDATE following the Road Map we hope that the following can take place soon:

- It is intended that, from 12th April, weddings may rise to 15 including bride and groom., baptisms will rise to 15.
- It is intended that, from 17th May, baptisms may resume with gatherings of 30.
- It is intended that, from 17th May the number for weddings would also be 30.
- Requiem Masses permitted with 30 mourners. There is no date as yet for this to increase.
- Graveside liturgies: Limited to 30 mourners encouraged to socially distance.

WALKING THE WAY The Parish Primary schools have joined together to create an Easter Trail for families to enjoy over the easter period. The window trail will run 29th March – 12th April and details of all the windows on the trail along with a crossword sheet to complete as you go round can be found at http://easter.littlelists.com/ The families have enjoyed colouring in their window displays and hope you enjoy the trail.

FIRST RECONCILIATION please note (in Sacramental Programme Corner) that the dates for the celebration of the sacrament of Confession for the children on the Sacrament Programme have now been confirmed. Further practical information will be added to the YouTube channel and the FB group page after Easter.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES FOR THE NEW TAX YEAR due to the pandemic and current lockdown restrictions new boxes can be collected from St. Monica's church this weekend. If you would like to collect your boxes from English Martyrs' church please ring the Parish Office and collection will be arranged. Many thanks for your continued support to the Parish. Fr. K

POTENTIAL FOUNDATION GOVERNORS as a Parish we are blessed with three wonderful Primary Schools . I'm always on the look out to identify future foundations governors. If you might be interested in the future please contact Fr. Kieren. To learn more about the role click on the following link: https://www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk/education/school-governors/

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION Many thanks to all who have returned the forms. After Easter I will release the dates of 4 Catechesis sessions and the date of celebration. Hopefully the subjects covered will be (1) The meaning of Life/Living life to the full (2). Unlocking the Holy Spirit (3). What's in a name? (4.) Being a Disciple. Many thanks to those who have already mentioned that they would like to volunteer as a catechist, but if anybody is interested please contact me ASAP. Fr. K

Can I take this opportunity, to thank all those who have made the celebration of the Triduum possible. The Stewards, Musicians, Readers, Servers, Flower Team … there are many of you … Thank you!

I hope and pray that our Parish family embraces this Easter season, and know and encounter the Risen Lord, who is the meaning and source of all life.

God Bless you all. Fr. K

ALTAR SERVER RECRUITMENT as a Parish we are very lucky to have a wonderful team of Altar Servers. Obviously and sadly, due to the pandemic the activity of the servers has been limited. However, now there seems to be some light at the end of the tunnel, I would like to begin to recruit for new members to our team. If you have made your Holy Communion and would be interested in joining, please contact Fr. K.

CURRENT ALTAR SERVERS I'm hoping to soon invite you back to share and celebrate your ministry. If you are a little worried about coming back this video might help: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mUkd7NT12Kc

DISCERNMENT WEEKEND for men aged 30 to 55 The Beda College in Rome is running a discernment weekend for men between the ages of 30 and 55 from Friday 3rd September to Sunday 5th September 2021. It takes place at St Beuno's Spirituality Centre in North Wales. The weekend is to reach men who are not already in touch with their diocese and is a first step for those who may be exploring the possibility of priestly vocation in later life. Information and registration forms are at: https://www.pathwaystogod.org/courses-events-retreats/discernment-weekend-older-men-1

THE **GREEN** & **RED** North Mayo Heritage Centre - Genealogy. Do you have ancestors or relatives with Mayo connections? If you would like to find out more about your Mayo roots, the North Mayo Heritage Centre can help. Contact 00 353 9631809, write to us at Enniscoe, Castlehill, Ballina, Co. Mayo, F26FR94 or email northmayo@gmail.com.

CARITAS JOB VACANCIES Social Workers 3, 4 or 5 days per week. **Term time only** (39 working weeks, 13 non working weeks) SCP19-26, Qualification Bar at SCP24 You will work directly with children and young people, their parents, carers and schools in order to further the child's welfare and provide the interventions necessary to enable them to use their learning opportunities to the full. Closing date: Tuesday, 6 April 2021 at 10:00am. Interview: Tuesday, 13 April 2021. Due to the pandemic interviews will be conducted via Zoom

Bank Counsellors You will work with pupils referred to the Caritas Schools' Service on a variety of issues, providing a non-judgemental, caring and confidential environment for them to work through their problems and difficulties.

For further information on either posts please visit the website: www.caritassalford.org.uk

GOING INTO HOSPITAL? If you or a loved one have to go into hospital, and wish a chaplain to visit, please note that due to data protection, **a member of the FAMILY must request A CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN** via the nurse station. Sadly not all hospitals offer the same provision. Unfortunately due to visiting restrictions the Parish Priest is unable to visit during the pandemic.

APF RED MISSION BOXES If you have a "Red Box" that needs emptying, you can drop them off at St. Monica's Church on the Weekends of 13/14th March - 24/25th April - Please leave in the porch. Alternatively, they can be brought to the Presbytery at English Martyrs' between 12th March - 23rd April on a FRIDAY morning only. Please ensure that your box is clearly marked with your details, so that it can be returned to you.

Sung Vespers at Salford Cathedral Since the beginning of Lent and continuing each week, our Cathedral Choral Scholars will lead us in communal prayer as we sing the Office of Vespers each Tuesday and Thursday evening at 5pm. Those watching online can participate safely and fully from home by visiting the homepage of the cathedral website. www.salfordcathedral.co.uk

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The Code of Canon Law states:
"Parents are obliged to see to it that infants are baptised within the first weeks after birth"
(867)

This canon, although not always practical for many reasons, reminds us of the importance and urgency of the sacrament of Baptism. **As a Parish within the Diocese of Salford we follow the Diocesan Baptism Policy.** In order for a baby/child (under the age of 7) to be baptised, the Catholic family, (resident in the Parish of St. John Henry Newman) if not already practising their faith, must begin to attend Sunday Mass for a minimum of at least 6 weeks before a baptism date can be discussed.

To discuss this further please contact Fr. Kieren or speak to him after Sunday Mass. After confirmation of a date for Baptism, a Preparation meeting must be arranged.

TO BOOK TO ATTEND SUNDAY MASS IN THE PARISH OF ST. JOHN HENRY NEWMAN

Please email or phone the Parish Office. The deadline is Wednesday afternoon. Please do not ring Amanda or book for Mass outside office hours (front of the newsletter).

If you make a booking you will only get a response if you have NOT been successful.

All offertory donations should be placed in the baskets.

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MARY SEPULCHRE EARTHQUAKE
ANGEL STONE ROBE
SNOW JESUS RISEN
AWE JOY GREETINGS

"At Easter, God finally reveals His glory: He takes away the last veil and astonishes us as never before. We discover, in fact, that God's glory is all love: pure love, mad and unthinkable, beyond every limit and measure…True glory is the glory of love, because it is the only one that gives life to the world. Certainly this glory is the opposite of worldly glory, which comes when one is admired, praised, acclaimed. The glory of God, on the other hand, is paradoxical: no applause, no audience. At the centre there is not the ego, but the other". Pope Francis 2019

PARISH CENTRE
Planning an event in the Summer ?

Available for all your family & social events.

For bookings of Parish Centre or Hall contact Filippa Martin 07866583870 or via email: martin_filippa@yahoo.co.uk or www.urmston_parish_centre.com

OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS - DIOCESE OF SALFORD

English Martyrs
Wycliffe Road, Urmston.
Head teacher: Mrs Carole Partington
(0161) 748 7257

Our Lady of the Rosary
Davyhulme Road, Urmston.
Head teacher: Miss S. Molloy
(0161)748 4626

St. Monica's
Woodsend Road South, Flixton
Head teacher: Mrs. Louise Davies
(0161) 748 3353

St. Antony's Catholic School
Bradfield Road, Urmston
Head teacher: Mrs. F. Wright
(0161) 911 8001

NEWSLETTER all items for the newsletter must be sent to Fr. K (via email) before 9.00am Thursday morning or sent to Amanda before 12.00pm Wednesday afternoon.