

#### Diocese of Westminster

#### Our Lady, Queen of Apostles

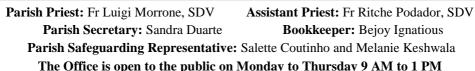
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## 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2023 – PALM SUNDAY







# **HOLY WEEK**

2 TO 9 APRIL 2023

PALM SUNDAY 2 APRII

MAUNDY THURSDAY 6 APRIL

> GOOD FRIDAY 7 APRIL

**HOLY SATURDAY** 8 APRIL

**EASTER SUNDAY** 9 APRIL



#### \*\*\* NOTICES \*\*\*

**COLLECTION:** Last Sunday's Collection was £1085.40 (Loose Plate £741.90- Envelopes £343.50).

May God bless you and reward your generosity!

**SECOND COLLECTION:** This weekend there will be a second collection towards the Easter Flowers.

**CONTACTLESS DONATION:** We have finally received a new contactless machine for offertory donations, this can be found in the porch by the main entrance of the Church.

**ALTAR SERVERS FUNDRAISING:** Thank you to everyone that contributed by donating, selling and buying in the cake sale last weekend. The funds raised will go towards new cinctures as well as a day out. If you would like to make an extra donation, you can do so by contacting the parish office or you can speak to Fr Luigi or Fr Ritche.

**HOLY WEEK:** Next week we are celebrating Holy Week, the most important week in our liturgical calendar. Please familiarise yourself with the times of the celebrations. This Sunday the front of the Church will be closed off to all cars as we are having our entrance procession for Palm Sunday at the 9:30 am and at the 11:30 am Mass.

**EASTER FLOWERS:** If you have a garden and have long ivy or camellia tree shrubs, we would be grateful if you could donate some of their branches to us so our flower arrangers could use them for Easter Sunday. If you can contribute, please bring it to the parish office by Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April. If no one is in the house, please leave it by the door and we will take care of it as soon as possible.

**VOCATION DISCERNMENT:** On Wednesday 17 May, there will be an open evening at St James, Spanish Place, for any men interested in learning about or discerning a vocation to priesthood. The regular evening Mass will be at 6.00pm, followed by a gathering downstairs in the Social Centre for a short presentation and informal conversations and refreshments. Do come and join us if you can. The nearest tube stations are Bond Street and Baker Street.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023: This is the last chance to join Westminster Youth Ministry for two weeks in Porto, Fatima and Lisbon from 25 July to 9 August 2023 to celebrate World Youth Day with Pope Francis and 2 million other young people. Thanks to the support of the Cardinal's Appeal, the reduced cost for the pilgrimage is £1,500 inclusive of transport, accommodation, WYD Pass, insurance and some meals. There are last few places remaining at this price and applications will close on 14 April 2023. For more information and booking forms email Phoebe Prendergast at <a href="mailto:phoebeprendergast@rcdow.org.uk">phoebeprendergast@rcdow.org.uk</a> or Holly Cook at <a href="mailto:hollycook@rcdow.org.uk">hollycook@rcdow.org.uk</a> or call us on 020 3757 2516

**JOB OPORTUNITY:** The Rosary Catholic Primary School is looking to appoint a School Meals Supervisor Assistant (SMSA) and a KS2 Class Teacher. If you, or someone you know, would like more details please see the notice boards at the back of the church or contact Mrs Ewa Dulko, admin@rosary.hounslow.sch.uk or via telephone 020 8570 4942.

#### ---- PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS ----

Divine Jesus, Son of the eternal Father and Mary Immaculate, grant many of the faithful true generosity in following your call and bestow on them the grace of your Holy Spirit to persevere in overcoming all obstacles to their vocations. Give the church in this Diocese and throughout the world many holy priests and fervent religious. Through the intercession of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary, Saint Justin, all the Angels and all Saints, we humbly ask you to hear our prayers and multiply the ministries by which we may serve one another in faith and love.

#### CHURCH DONATIONS AND COLLECTION

Have you considered giving your donation to the Parish via bank transfer (single donations) or via Standing Order? If you wish to do so, you can use the following details:

Account Name: WRCDT Heston Sort Code: 40-05-20 Account Number: 11094912

Please add your Surname and First Name as a reference, to help our bookkeeper.

If you wish to Gift-Aid your donation, forms are available at the back of the Church or on the website. Gift-aid is available to all UK taxpayer and comes at no extra cost to you.



## our lady queen of apostles Holy Week 2023



SUNDAY 2 APRIL - PALM SUNDAY (SAT. 1/04 7 PM), 8 AM, 9.30 AM\*, 11.30 AM\*, 5.30 PM \*MASS WITH SOLEMN ENTRANCE

MONDAY 3 APRIL
9 AM EXPOSITION AND ADORATION
9.30 AM AND 7 PM MASS

TUESDAY 4 APRIL
CHRISM MASS AT WESTMINSTER CATHEDRAL AT 12 NOON
7 PM RECONCILIATION SERVICE

WEDNESDAY 5 APRIL
9 AM EXPOSITION AND ADORATION
9.30 AM AND 7 PM MASS

THURSDAY 6 APRIL - MAUNDY THURSDAY
7.30 PM MASS OF THE LAST SUPPER
ADORATION TO THE ALTAR OF REPOSE UNTIL 12 AM

FRIDAY 7APRIL - GOOD FRIDAY

8 AM MORNING PRAYERS AND OFFICE OF READINGS

3 PM PASSION OF THE LORD AND ADORATION OF THE CROSS

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

7 PM STATIONS OF THE CROSS

SATURDAY 8 APRIL - HOLY SATURDAY

8.30 PM DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

9 PM EASTER VIGIL
FOLLOWED BY LIGHT REFRESHMENTS IN THE HALL

SUNDAY 9 APRIL - EASTER SUNDAY 8, 9.30 AND 11.30 AM DIVINE MERCY NOVENA AFTER EACH MASS

> MONDAY 10 APRIL - EASTER MONDAY 9.30 AM MASS ONLY

MARCH 2023	TIME	MASS INTENTION
Saturday 1st	7 pm Vigil Mass	Jean Thiare and Colette Dioh RIP
Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	8 am Mass	
PALM SUNDAY	9:30 am Family Mass	Gabriel & Noemia Fernandes intentions & well being
	11:30 am Mass	Joseph Rozario RIP
	5:30 pm Mass	Natalie Gawlak RIP
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	9 am	Prayer of the Rosary
	9:30 am Mass	Rose & Jack Tighe, Pat & John Powell RIP
	7 pm Mass	
Tuesday 4th	9:30 am	NO MASS
	12noon	Chrism Mass at Westminster Cathedral
	7 pm	PENITENTIAL SERVICE
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup>	9 am	Prayer of the Rosary
	9:30 am Mass	Birthday of Anny Fernandes
	7 pm Mass (Novena)	
Thursday 6th	9:30 am Mass	NO MASS
MAUNDY	7.30 pm Mass	Priests who served in Heston
THURSDAY		Adoration to the Altar of Repose until 12am
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup>	8 am	Morning Prayers and Office of Reading
GOOD FRIDAY	3 pm	Passion of The Lord and Adoration of the Cross
	7 pm	Stations of the Cross
Saturday 8th	8.30 pm	Divine Mercy Novena
HOLY SATURDAY	9 pm Easter Vigil Mass	People of Heston
Sunday 9th	8 am Mass	Volanco Fernandes & Walter Bento RIP
EASTER	9:30 am Family Mass	People of Heston
SUNDAY	11:30 am Mass	Soul of Lelis Fernandes & Virginia De Souza
	5:30 pm Mass	NO MASS

Let us pray for the sick people of our Parish: Catherine Jennings, Peter Wade, Ann Duckmanton and Grace Gauci.

Let us pray for Noel Dowd and Annie Mackay who recently passed away and for those whose anniversaries occur around this time

Melania Czarnecka, Phyllis Martin, Robert Charles Bolton, Neil Pearson, Cymbeline Rose, Daniel McCarthy, Saily Lamu and Ellen Morgan

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them; may they rest in peace. Amen.

### **DATES OF UPCOMING EVENTS**

1 APRIL: Altar Servers Church Cleaning at 11:30 am

2 APRIL: Confirmation Class 10:30 am

4 APRIL: Reconciliation Service at 7 pm

2 TO 9 APRIL HOLY WEEK (CHECK MASS AND SERVICE TIMES)

**7 TO 15 APRIL:** Divine Mercy Novena

Altar Servers Training: Will resume after Easter
\*\*\* SATURDAY 15 JULY SUMMER FAIR \*\*\*