



Church of the Most Sacred Heart

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Mass times

Sunday-9.00am, 10.30am
12.00noon, 6.00pm

Monday-Thursdays
10.00am

Fridays – 10.00am and
8.00pm

Saturdays – 10.00am,
6.00pm (Vigil Masses)

Saturday: Sacrament of
Reconciliation:
10.30-11.00am

Exposition of the Blessed
Sacrament:
Mon - Fri: 9.00 – 9.45am

Collections

Envelopes	£	724.01
Loose	£	<u>777.91</u>
Total	£	<u>1501.92</u>

Church livestream

You can join us on our
livestream at Church
Services TV.

<https://www.churchservices.tv/ruislipsacredheart>

Easter Envelopes

These are available from
this weekend in the porch.
Please take an envelope and
return it with your offering
on Easter Sunday or before
then if you are going away.
It is the Easter and
Christmas offerings that
make up the annual salary
of our priests. Many thanks.

Reconciliation Service

The Lenten Reconciliation
Service takes place on
Wednesday 13th April at
7.30pm when we will be
joined by several priests.
This is the main time for
confession before Easter.

Parish Priest: **Fr. Duncan M. Adamson**

Assistant Priest: **Fr. Sebastian Joseph**

Parish Administrator: **Anne O'Connor**

Catechetical Co-ordinator: **Jo Marsh**

Pastoral Youth Worker: **Siobhan Denny**

Parish Safeguarding Rep: **Colin Powell**

Parish Safeguarding Rep: **Yvonne Hillier**

Parish Website: parish.rcdow.org.uk/ruislip

Palm Sunday

Fr. Duncan writes: Today we begin the most important week in the Church's Year, Holy Week. Today, Palm Sunday, we begin this solemn celebration by recalling Christ's triumphal entry into Jerusalem, when the people laid a 'red carpet' of welcome using their coats and palm branches cut from the trees, to welcome Christ as their King. The note of triumph in the waving of the palm branches does not last long. Christ's true kingship reveals itself on and through the Cross. During Holy Week we celebrate Christ's passion, death and resurrection.

On Thursday, we join Christ at the Lord's Supper, the Passover Meal he celebrated with his disciples. We then go with him to pray at the Altar of Repose – the Garden of Gethsemane, from where he is arrested and taken before Pilate. On Friday, we follow the Lord as he makes his way to Calvary for his crucifixion. But we know that this is not the end, because on Saturday evening and Sunday we gather to celebrate the Resurrection. I wish to encourage you to participate in all the special services of this great week, and so unite yourselves with Christ as he journeys through his passion and death to his resurrection on Easter Sunday. Then we can really make this a Holy Week for ourselves and our parish.

Chrism Mass

The Chrism Mass will be celebrated this **Tuesday 12th April** at **12.00noon** in Westminster Cathedral. It is during the Chrism Mass, which our Archbishop celebrates with the bishops and priests of the diocese, that the priests renew their priestly commitment. Also during the Chrism Mass, the Bishop blesses the oils of the Sick and the Catechumens and Consecrates the oil of Chrism. These are the oils that will be used throughout our diocese during the coming year. Please pray for our Archbishop, Cardinal Vincent Nichols, our Auxiliary Bishops and our priests, especially on Tuesday as they gather together to celebrate the Chrism Mass. You would be very welcome to come and join us for the Chrism Mass at the Cathedral. If you want a seat, you need to arrive early! Please note that the Mass in our church is at **9.30am** on Tuesday morning.

Lenten Alms

These are collected throughout Lent. Many thanks for your donations to the Cardinal's Appeal last weekend. The total collected so far is **£958.83**. This year the Cardinal has decided that the money will be used to support, within our Diocese, **people living on the margins live a life of dignity**. If you wish, you can return your envelope in the next few weeks as we will not send the money off until after Easter. There is also a Lenten Alms box under the second station. Please give generously. Thank you.

SVP Food Bank at St Gregory's.

Many thanks for your continued donations and offers of help for the SVP in South Ruislip with their work supporting people in great need. Another mountain of goods went down to South Ruislip this week. They were delighted to receive them. This week there is a continuing need of Pasta, Tinned Vegetables, Tinned Fish, Tinned Meats, Baked Beans, Coffee, Cereals, Flour, Rice Pudding, Custard, Pasta Sauce, Noodles and Jam. When you are shopping next week, could you pick up something from this list to donate. There is a box in the foyer to receive donations. Many thanks.

Deepest Sympathy

We offer our sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of **Maureen Burchell**. Her Funeral Mass will be on **Wednesday 13th April** at **12noon** and her body will be received into the church on **Tuesday 12th April** at **600pm**.

We offer our sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of **Gerrard Graf**. His Funeral Mass will be on **Wednesday 20th April** at **12.00 noon**, followed by committal at Breakspear Crematorium. May they rest in peace.

The parish office is open 10.30am – 12noon
(Mon, Tues, Thurs & Friday)

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Children's Stations of the Cross - Good Friday

This year on Good Friday we can again hold our children's stations of the cross service. If you are attending and your child would like to read a prayer, please let Jo know as soon as possible (jomارش@rcdow.org.uk). We are looking forward to many families joining us.

Jubilee Social Club

The next Jubilee Social Club meeting is on **Thursday 21st April 10:30-1:30pm** in Hesdin Hall for a light lunch (£5). Please add your names to the sheet in the church foyer. We look forward to seeing you, all are welcome!

Jubilee Trust

The Jubilee Trustees would like to thank everyone who supported our recent Ceilidh Night. The evening made a profit of **£847** which will be split between Michael Sobell House and CAAS. Special thanks to Darren, Andy, Dave, Garry, Geraldine, Eithne as well as our young helpers on the night. Thanks also to those who donated items for raffle or auction, these made a big difference to our profits on the night. The Trustees have also recently donated £500 to the DEC appeal for Ukraine.

First Friday Lunches

We have held our first two lunches in March and April and would love to see a few more people joining us in BEC Suite for a three course home cooked lunch for £7.50. All profits from these lunches go to the Jubilee Trust Fund which go to help those in need. The next lunch will be on **Fri 6th May** save the date. We need two or three more helpers from about **1.30 - 3pm** to help with clearing up. If you can help please speak to Ann-Maria (**07941 589445**).

Planned Giving Boxes

Thank you to all those who have collected their new boxes of planned giving envelopes. If you have not collected your box, they are available again this weekend. Please check your details carefully as you collect your envelopes and email Anne in the office if there are discrepancies. I wish to thank all those who use either planned giving envelopes or standing orders to make their contribution to the running of our parish. Forms are available in the porch to request a box of envelopes, set up a standing order or register for Gift Aid. Many thanks

Rainbows at Sacred Church

We have an active Rainbow unit in the parish, for girls aged 5-7, that meets on **Tuesday** from **5-6pm** during term time. We need new adult volunteers to keep the unit running. If you are able to help out, then please email us at: 4thruislipwindmillrainbows@gmail.com or message Nicola on **07801 949147**. If you would like to add your daughter to our waiting list, then please register your interest through the Girlguiding website, choosing 4th Ruislip Windmill Rainbows. <https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/information-for-parents/register-your-daughter/>
As we have a long waiting list, we recommend registering well before your daughter is 5 years old.

Mass Intentions for the week: 9th – 17th April 2022

Saturday 9th April	10.00 Michael Finn, R.I.P. 18.00 Mary Keehan, R.I.P.
	HOLY WEEK
Sunday 10th April <i>Palm Sunday</i>	09.00 Nellie Connell, R.I.P 10.30 Tom Kelly, R.I.P. (Ann.) 10.30 For You the People (<i>Children's Mass in the Hall</i>) 12.00 Theresa Morgan, R.I.P. 16.00 Stations of the Cross 18.00 Mingel Gabrel Quadros & Tertuliana Mendese Quadros, R.I.P
Monday 11th April	10.00 Joe Conlon, R.I.P. (Ann.) Edmund, Charles & Violet Killington, R.I.P.
Tuesday 12th April	09.30 Nicola Williamson R.I.P. Bridie Ryan R.I.P. & Maurice Cooper R.I.P. Paddy Maher, R.I.P. 18.00 Reception of the Body: Maureen Burchell, R.I.P.
Wednesday 13th April	10.00 Eric & Edna Francis, R.I.P. & Arthur Hawkes, R.I.P. Sonny Gomez, R.I.P. (Ann.) 12.00 Funeral Mass: Maureen Burchell, R.I.P. 19.30 Penitential Service with several priests of the Deanery
	THE PASCHAL TRIDUUM
Thursday 14th April <i>Maundy Thursday</i>	20.00 Special Intentions (<i>folk</i>) Mass of the Lords Supper
Friday 15th April <i>Good Friday</i>	09.30 Children's Station of the Cross 15.00 Celebration of the Passion of the Lord 19.30 Stations of the Cross & Veneration of the True Relic
Saturday 16th April <i>Holy Saturday</i>	12.00 Blessing of food for Polish families 20.30 Easter Vigil - For you the People (<i>choir</i>)
Sunday 17th April <i>Easter Sunday</i>	09.00 Catherine Lee, R.I.P. (Ann.) 10.30 Patrick O'Rourke, R.I.P. (<i>folk</i>) 10.30 Timmy McDonagh, R.I.P. (<i>Children's Mass in the Hall</i>) 12.00 Christine Green, R.I.P. (Ann.) NO EVENING MASS

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:

Marjorie Shaw, Bernadette Campbell, Susan Acton, Bernadeta Herrera, Simon Mott, Richard Verrall, Livia Emmanuel, Pauline Walsh, Claire Wilmsurst, Edward Vivier, Janet Smith, Sheila Morrison, Andrew Wilson, Barbara Steadman, Theresa Jefferson, Kevin Horner, Eileen O'Higgins, Rosetta Roach, Edward Barrett, Gerry Jarrett, Barbara Elliott, Tom de Souza, Ron Leonard, Emily Cross, Sarah Vincent, Joyce Turner, Michael Mannion, Lily McCarrick, Marjorie Sojka, Petal Connell and Baby Charlie S.

AND FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME:

Tom Kelly, Joe Conlon, Sonny Gomez, Laurentine Jean-Jacques,
Eric Francis, Kevin Cutts & Joe Carthy.

God Bless
Fr. Duncan & Fr. Sebastian