



CORPUS CHRISTI, TRING

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION

FIRST READING: ACTS 10.34 37-43, RESPONSORIAL PSALM – 117:1-2,16-17, 22-23, SECOND READING:
COLOSSIANS - £:1-4, GOSPEL – JOHN 20:1-9

CHRIST HAS RISEN! ALLELUIA!

Dear Parishioners,

I would like to begin by wishing you all A Happy Easter as we celebrate the Resurrection of Our Saviour Jesus Christ. Over the last few days we have travelled with our Lord through some of the momentous events of His earthly life.

On Holy Thursday we recall Our Lord showing us how we should serve one another and He did this by the example of washing the feet of His disciples, who were horrified that their Lord and Master would get on His hands and knees to wash the dust and dirt from their feet.

As Christians we are called to serve and it is a service not of grudging duty but a service of love which is freely given. We also witnessed our Lord instituting the Priesthood and when the Supper was ended giving us his Body & Blood in the Holy Eucharist for the first time.

On Good Friday we saw the depth of God's love for fallen humanity when Christ, after being unjustly condemned to death, embraced the Cross and took upon Himself the injustice, the cruelty, the hatred, and the sins of man's violent history of mankind. Each of us came forward to kiss those wounds of love which the nails had made in Our Lord's body, each carrying his or her burden of sin. It is on Good Friday that we truly experience the depth of God's love for us and we see beyond the tortured figure of Christ to a symbol that represents pure love.

At the Easter Vigil and Sunday morning, along with the Church throughout the world, the most important day in the Church's year is celebrated, after three days in the tomb Christ raises Body & Soul from the dead. This was not a symbolic event but reality. Not to believe in the physical resurrection of Our Lord's body from the dead is to cease to be a Christian. For without the Resurrection, Christ and His teaching would be pointless.

The Feast of Easter is so important that it is given an Octave, which means that we celebrate Easter Day for 8 consecutive days. As Catholics we understand what it means to celebrate, this is not just done in Church but in our homes.

Wishing you and your families a Joyful and Holy Celebration of this great Solemnity.

May the Risen Lord Bless you and continue to deepen your faith in His Resurrection which we celebrate today.

With my love and prayers.

Father Sean.

MASS INTENTIONS – APRIL

Easter Saturday 8 th	Vigil – 8.00 pm –	Cecilia Byrne
Easter Sunday 9 th	9.00 am – 10.30 am -	People of the Parish Maurice McGrath R.I.P.
Easter Monday 10 th	10.00 am -	Jenson Rodrigues Birthday INT
Tuesday 11 th	10.00 am	Denis McCarthy Anni
Wednesday 12 th	10.00 am	Neil & Natalie Anderson – Wedding Anniversary
Friday 14 th	6.00 pm	Nora Procter R.I.P
Saturday 15 th	5.00 pm	Fr. Sean INT
Sunday 1 th	9.00 am 10.30 am	Nora Procter R.I.P.

BENEDICTION AND CONFESSIONS AT 4.00 PM ON SATURDAYS BEFORE MASS.

SICK LIST

The Sick and the Housebound in our parish –

We pray especially for: Winifred Winstone, Elizabeth Le Juge de Segrais, Dhoon Casstells, Patrick Rice, Alison Marshall, Laurence Sherwood, Phyllis Edwards, Michael Glencross, Paul Donnelly, Andrew Reilly, Matthew Fernandez, Colin & Kathleen Humphreys, Margaret Tucker, Catherine Clifford

ANNIVERSARIES

We pray for Steve Wright recently deceased and all grieving families.

If you wish to add a name to our sick list or the deceased list, please let Annabelle know

KIERAN'S FUNERAL MONDAY APRIL 17th

Funeral Mass: Date: Monday 17/04/2023, 12.00 pm

Burial: 1.00 pm Tring Cemetery

Wake: Corpus Christi Hall – 2.00 pm

Danny, Kieran's son, has given us the website below to donate for Kieran's funeral and RSVP for the Wake after the funeral.

<https://www.dignityfunerals.co.uk/funeral-notice/06-03-2023-kieran-james-tucker/>

<https://rsvp.studio/kieran-tuckers-funeral/>

<https://rsvp.studio/plus-one/kieran-tuckers-funeral/>

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TRIDIUM

Maundy Thursday - 7.30

Readers: Wendy Everitt & Gerry Moloney
Eucharistic Minister:

Good Friday:

Reader 1: Narrator - Juliet Tchaikovsky
Reader 2: David Leadbeater
Eucharistic Minister: Jenny Brown

Easter Vigil: Saturday 8th

Reader 1: Tricia Apps
Reader 2: Amelia Phillips
Reader 3: Gerry Moloney
Reader 4: David Leadbeater
Reader 5: Angela Phillips
Eucharistic Minister: Mary Todd

Easter Sunday: Sunday 9th

9.00 am Readers: Lucy Hutt & Wendy Everitt
10.30 am – Readers: Tricia Apps & Janet Graves
Eucharistic Minister: Heather Houston.

CHRISTUS RESURREXIT!

Late afternoon.
Crucifixion complete.
Body removed,
anointed, wrapped
in linen cloth.
Friends to collect.
Three days later. Early
morning. Hillside garden.
Woman searching for tomb
bumps into gardener.
He speaks. She listens.
Not knowing he is her Lord
risen from the dead.
Risen from the dead?
Risen from the dead!
At once, Peter understood.
John the Beloved, believed.
Ran to see for himself.
Peter followed, falteringly
towards rock-hewn cave.
Greeted by Angels.
He is Risen!
He is Risen!
He is Risen!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia
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PARISH SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES (PSRS) –

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CHURCH OFFERINGS

If you are a weekly plate giver, would you please consider setting up a Standing Order.

Our bank details are as follows. Please do include your name as your reference. Thank you for your continued generosity and support to our parish, it is greatly appreciated.

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Standing Order Forms are at the back of the Church, if setting one up please remember to tick the Gift Aid box.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Children's liturgy will be held in the hall during the Sunday 9 am Mass. The children listen to a reading, have a discussion and do a related craft activity. We go from the church to the hall before the start of mass and return for the offertory. Suitable for ages up to eight years old. Thank you, Ide Powell.

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to book a Mass intention, please call the parish, e-mail, or see Annabelle. The Diocesan suggested offering is £10. Many thanks.
Mass envelopes are at the back of the church, please make sure your phone number is on the envelope. Many thanks.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

16th April Sausage Sunday after the 9.00 am and 10.30 am Masses

22nd April Sew & Natter Group – 2.00 pm to 4.30 pm

28th April – Walking Group – details of the walk will be given nearer the date.

29th April: Catholic Community Spring Dance with The Barn Rat Band.

St Leonards Parish Hall, Nr. Tring, HP23 6NW
1.00 pm start – A poster is attached with the newsletter.
Tickets Adult £15, Concession £10 & Family £35
For tickets e-mail: georgetyldesley@hotmail.co.uk

Articles for the Newsletter - Please send any pieces for the Newsletter by Wednesday to tring@rcdow.org.uk
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