

A Day with Mary

When: Saturday 23rd April 2022

Where: Our Lady of Mount Carmel & St George, London Road, Enfield, EN2 6DS

9:30am Entry procession of Our Lady. Regina Caeli. Crowning. Sung Litany. Mass in honour of Our Lady. Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Daniel Humphreys. The Five Joyful Mysteries.

11.45am Lunch break *Please bring a packed lunch*

12.45pm Exposition and Procession of the Blessed Sacrament. The Five Luminous Mysteries. Sermon on Our Lady by Fr Serafino Lanzetta. The Five Sorrowful Mysteries. Divine Mercy Chaplet (Sung).

2.50pm Tea break

3.30pm Sermon on Our Lady by Fr Serafino Lanzetta. Via Lucis. Act of Consecration. Benediction. Enrolments in the Brown Scapular and Miraculous Medal.

Finish for **5.00pm**

Throughout the day: Confession and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

The Donkey by GK Chesterton

When fishes flew and forests walked
And figs grew upon thorn,
Some moment when the moon was blood
Then surely I was born.

With monstrous head and sickening cry
And ears like errant wings,
The devil's walking parody
On all four-footed things.

The tattered outlaw of the earth,
Of ancient crooked will;
Starve, scourge, deride me: I am dumb,
I keep my secret still.

Fools! For I also had my hour;
One far fierce hour and sweet:
There was a shout about my ears,
And palms before my feet.
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Mass intention

If you would like a Mass to be celebrated for a specific intention, please contact the Parish Secretary at farmstreetoffice@rcdow.org.uk

Holy Week and Easter Mass Times

Palm Sunday (10th April)

As normal, with the addition of an ecumenical procession with the Grosvenor Chapel before the 11am Mass. Meet at the palm tree in the Mount Street Gardens at 10.45am.

Holy Monday to Spy Wednesday (11th - 13th April)

As normal, with the addition of ecumenical Stations of the Cross in the church at 7pm on Spy Wednesday.

Maundy Thursday (14th April)

No 8am or 1.05pm Mass.
12 noon to 1pm - Confessions
6.30pm - Confessions
7pm - Mass of the Lord's Supper
Watching at the Altar of Repose will follow the Mass until Midnight. Compline said at 11.45pm

Good Friday (15th April)

12 noon to 1pm - Confessions
12 noon - Stations of the Cross
2.30pm - Confessions
3pm - Liturgy of the Passion
6.45pm - Confessions
7pm - Seven Last Words & Veneration of the Relic of the True Cross.
Following veneration, the church will remain open until Midnight for prayers for the people of Ukraine.

Holy Saturday (16th April)

The church will open at 10am.
10am to 12 noon - Confessions
8pm - Confessions
8.30pm - Easter Vigil Mass

Easter Sunday (17th April)

8am - Mass
9.30am - Family Mass with hymns
11am - Sung Latin Mass
12.30pm - Mass
5.30pm - Mass
7pm - Young Adults Mass (18-35)

Easter Monday to Easter Friday (18th -22nd April)

The church opens at 11am and closes at 1.30pm. On Easter Monday and Easter Friday, Mass will be celebrated at 1.05pm. On Easter Tuesday, Easter Wednesday, and Easter Thursday, Mass will not be celebrated, but a lay-led service of the Word and Holy Communion will be celebrated at 1.05pm instead. Confessions will not be heard in the church this week and there will be no Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

Easter Saturday (23rd April)

Return to normal schedule.

NEWSLETTER

JESUIT CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION FARM STREET



Palm Sunday 10th April 2022

PARISH CLERGY

Fr Dominic Robinson SJ, Parish Priest
Fr Nicholas King SJ; Fr Michael Holman SJ

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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday to Friday: 8am, 1.05pm, & 6pm
Saturday: 8am & 6pm
Sunday: 8am, 9.30am (Family), 11am (Latin),
12.30pm, 5.30pm, & 7pm (Young Adult, 18-35)

All Masses can be viewed on our livestreaming page <https://www.farmstreet.org.uk/livestream>

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Monday to Thursday: 12 noon to 1pm

STATIONS OF THE CROSS (LENT)

Friday: 12.15pm to 12.45pm

CONFESSIONS

Monday to Friday: 12 noon - 1pm;
5.45pm - 5.55pm
Saturday: 10am to 12 noon; 5.45pm - 5.55pm
Sunday: Fifteen minutes before every Mass
Also by appointment

CHURCH OPENING HOURS

Monday to Saturday: 7.30am - 6.30pm
Sunday: 7.30am - 7.00pm

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ENTRY

Hosanna to the son of David; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, the King of Israel.
Hosanna in the highest.

RESPONSE

My God, my God, why have you forsaken me.

ACCLAMATION

Christ was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross. But God raised him high and gave him the name which is about all names.

COMMUNION

Father, if this chalice cannot pass without my drinking if, your will be done.



A REFLECTION FOR HOLY WEEK

Holy Week is, above all, a time for contemplating God's love for us; for reflecting on its character, its depth and its extent.

God loves us very much. Always remember that: God loves us very much. How does God love us? With words, certainly, but with much more than words; with actions, yes, and with so many good deeds, but with so much more.

God's love would be unimaginable were it not for Jesus who shows us how much God loves us. Look at him and what do you see? A body exposed on the cross: nails through his hands, nails through his feet, and a spear in his side. His body is broken and his blood poured out for us. In Jesus we see how much God loves us, how irrevocably God has committed himself to us.

There is even more. Could there be more? He walks with us on the journey of life and he walks with us on that journey to its furthest limits. The name of his love is mercy and compassion. Such that ...

When you are undergoing your agony in the garden, not knowing what to do for the best, remember, Jesus has been there and is there with you.

When you are betrayed by those closest to you, remember again, Jesus has been there and is there with you.

When you are falsely accused ... when you are called for love's sake, to carry your cross ... when you take the risk to reach out a hand in forgiveness to those who hurt you ... remember, Jesus has been there and is there with you.

When you suffer in any way for standing up for what is right, when you are lonely and when you are humiliated. Jesus has been there and is there with you.

Yes, always remember, God loves you very much.

"How can I repay the Lord for his goodness to me?", asks the psalmist. The one who walks with us on the journey of our lives asks us to walk with our brothers and sisters on the journey of their lives also. The one who is compassionate to us in our need asks us to be

compassionate to our brothers and sisters in theirs: the victims of the horrors of the war in Ukraine, the homeless; refugees and those now living in exile; prisoners; those who mourn; those suffering from addictions; those struggling to care for a family in our own towns; those persecuted for their faith and for doing good, and so many more.

As we walk with them, we'll make real to the world what so many around us dare not accept as true - that indeed God loves us so much that he gave his only Son, that we should not perish but have everlasting life.

Grant, Lord, that your unimaginable love may find in me some love to meet it.
May I love the love: the love that always loves me.

And let my love's delight be ever to love you,
and what you love,
and who you love,
just as you love,
now and for always, life without end. Amen.

Fr Michael Holman SJ

Liturgical Calendar

Sun: Palm Sunday
Mon: Monday of Holy Week
Tue: Tuesday of Holy Week
Wed: Spy Wednesday
Thu: Maundy Thursday
Fri: Good Friday (Fast & abstinence)
Sat: Holy Saturday
Sun: Easter Sunday

Daily Bible Readings

Sun: Isaiah 50:4-7; Philippians 2:6-11; Luke 22:14-23:56
Mon: Isaiah 42:1-7; John 12:1-11
Tue: Isaiah 49:1-6; John 13:21-38
Wed: Isaiah 50:4-9; Matthew 26:14-25
Thu: Exodus 12:1-14; I Corinthians 11:23-26; John 13:1-5
Fri: Isaiah 52:13-53:12; Hebrews 4:14-5:9; John 18:1-19:42
Sat: Genesis 1:1-2:2; Genesis 22:1-18; Exodus 14:1-15:1; Isaiah 54:5-14; Isaiah 55:1-11; Baruch 3:9-4:4; Ezekiel 36:16-28; Romans 6:3-11; Luke 24:1-12
Sun: Acts 10:34-43; Colossians 3:1-4; John 20:1-9

Sunday Refreshments

Refreshments are served in the Arrupe Hall after the 9.30am, 11am, and 5.30pm Sunday Masses (second and fourth Sunday only for 5.30pm). All are welcome to join us for tea and fellowship.

Parish Prayer List

We pray for those in the parish who are sick: Debra Minty Baker, Carmine di Cesare, Marie Carroll Copestake, Michael Gill, Chrissie Harkink-Mobbs, Chris Hicks, and Alan Stewart. *The LORD sustains him on his sickbed; in his illness you restore him to full health. Psalm 41:3*

Prayer for Ukraine

Heavenly Father, Your will for your people is peace, not war. Pour out on our world, especially Ukraine, your Spirit of compassion and solidarity. Convert the hearts of the aggressor to the way of peace. Be with all those who endure the consequences of war, especially the widow, the orphan, the refugee and the peacemaker. Grant all those who believe in you the strength and desire to be close to those who suffer. Bind us all into the peace of your Kingdom. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.
Fr Damian Howard SJ,
Provincial for the Jesuits in Britain

Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of the Holy Family of London

Our brothers and sisters at the neighbouring Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral have expressed how much they appreciate the messages of support and solidarity that they have received during this traumatic time of war. We have been asked to extend an invitation to all our parishioners to drop in to the Ukrainian Cathedral to pray and show support for the people of Ukraine. Details of opening times can be found on the Ukrainian Eparchy website <https://www.ucc-gb.com/>

Help Ukraine

LGBT+ Catholics Westminster is fundraising for #HelpUkraine with the sale of Slavonic, hand-painted, decorative Easter-eggs. These are available in the Arrupe Hall during after-Mass refreshments after the 5.30pm Mass today. Please come and join us there.

Ecumenical Stations of the Cross

On Spy Wednesday (13th April), we will be praying the Stations of the Cross with our friends from the Grosvenor Chapel, St George Hanover Square, and the Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral. All are invited to participate with us in this ecumenical act of prayer for Holy Week. Meet at Farm Street Church at 7pm.

The Pope's Monthly Prayer Intention

In the month of April, we pray for health care workers who serve the sick and elderly, especially in the poorest countries; may they be adequately supported by governments and local communities.

9.30am Mass Hymns

Entrance	229	All glory, laud and honour
Offertory	982	O Jesus Christ, remember
Communion	898	Make me a channel of your peace
Recessional	230	Ride on! Ride on in majesty

11am Mass Music

Blessing of palms	Pueri hebæorum	Victoria
Mass	Mass in A minor	Imogen Holst
Motets	Christus factus est	Anerio
	Improperium	Perti

London Jesuit Centre

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