

MASS TEXT

Sunday Cycle A :: Weekday Cycle 2
 Divine Office:
 Vol. 2 Week 2 with season

FIRST READING: Isaiah 50:4-7

PSALM 22:

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

SECOND READING: Phil. 2:6-11

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Praise to you O Christ,
 King of eternal glory (x2)

Christ was humbler yet,
 even to accepting death,
 death on a cross.

But God raised him high
 and gave him the name
 which is above all names.

Praise to you O Christ,
 King of eternal glory (x2)

GOSPEL: Matthew 26:14-27:66

*Preface of Palm Sunday
 Eucharistic Prayer: II*

**Sunday 20th April is
 EASTER SUNDAY (A)**

OT Reading:

Acts 10:34. 37-43

Psalm: Ps. 117

NT Reading: Colossians 3:1-4

Gospel: John 20:1-9

+ HOLY WEEK +

MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK

10am Morning Mass in St Teresa's
 7.30pm Ecumenical Service
 in St Andrew's Church, Dfs.

TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK

10am Morning Mass in St Teresa's
 7.30pm Chrism Mass, St Margaret's
 Cathedral, Ayr. Coach departs
 St Teresa's at 5pm.

WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK

10am Morning Mass in Holy Trinity

MAUNDY THURSDAY

10am Morning Prayer in St Teresa's,
 Holy Trinity and St Luke's

Confession in HT afterwards till 11am.

6pm Mass of the Lord's Supper
 in Holy Trinity, Lockerbie

8pm Mass of the Lord's Supper
 in St Teresa's, Dumfries

Quiet prayer at the Altar of Repose (in Hall)

Confession in small Hall till 10.15pm.

10.20pm Night Prayer and Benediction

GOOD FRIDAY

8am Morning Prayer in St Teresa's
Confession afterwards in St Teresa's till 8.45am.

10am Morning Prayer in St Teresa's &
 Holy Trinity (9.45am in St Luke's)

12 noon The Liturgy of the Passion
 in Holy Trinity, Lockerbie

Special Collection for the Holy Places

3pm The Liturgy of the Passion
 in St Teresa's, Dumfries

Special Collection for the Holy Places

Confession afterwards till 5pm.

7pm Stations of the Cross in St Teresa's,
 Holy Trinity and St Luke's

Confession in St Luke's afterwards till 8.30pm.

HOLY SATURDAY

10am Morning Prayer in St Teresa's,
 Holy Trinity and St Luke's

Confession afterwards in St Teresa's till 11am

9pm Vigil of the Lord
 in St Teresa's, Dumfries

EASTER SUNDAY

8.30am Mass in St Luke's, Moffat

10am Mass in Holy Trinity

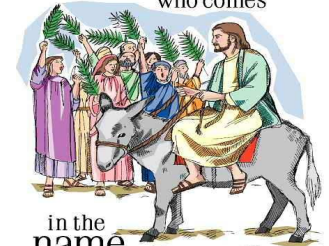
11.30am Mass in St Teresa's, Dumfries

Confession times are indicated in purple.

PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION 13th April 2014

St Teresa's Parish Community

"Blessed is the king
 who comes



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Our parish deacon is: Deacon Willie Hiddleston

A parish of the RC Diocese of Galloway. Charity Number: SC 010576.

The sick and housebound would appreciate a copy of the bulletin -
 if you can please pop one through their door. Thank you.

SUNDAY MASSES:

11.30am here at St Teresa's

Sunday Mass also takes place as follows:

Saturday vigil: 6pm St Luke's, Moffat and 6pm in St Andrew's, Dumfries;
 Sundays: 9.30am in Holy Trinity, Lockerbie; 10am St Andrew's, Dumfries;
 12 noon St Columba's, Annan.

SERVICES THIS WEEK

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

The Rosary:

Please refer to the full
 Holy Week schedule
 on the back page of this bulletin.

The Ladies Guild: Meet on Tuesdays at 7.30pm in the Hall.

The Parish Hall: To book the hall please contact Mrs Peggy Marshall on 261373

WEEKLY COLLECTION: £851.02 Thank you for your weekly support.

Baptisms can be booked by contacting Fr Jim directly

Weddings normally require six months notice-please contact Fr Jim.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS COMING WEEK:

Sunday: George Marshall RIP (12th Ann.); Mon: Special Int (for Marilyn McEwen);
 Tues: Gerry Allison (RecDec); Holy Thursday: Eric Clark (RecDec).

We remember all those who are sick at home, in hospital or in care that they may
 gain strength in their own suffering from the suffering of the Lord.

PALM SUNDAY PARISH YOUTH EVENT. We are holding an event here today for our youth and friends to celebrate World Youth Day. We are meeting at 1.30pm in the parish hall and if the weather is good we'll head down to Sandyhills for activities before heading back for pizza etc finishing at 6pm. (please wear appropriate clothing/footwear-if weather is bad we'll use the Parish Hall). Please pick-up a parental consent form at the youth notice-board on the right hand side of the church as you leave or download one from the parish website (homepage). No charge for the event which will be led by Fr Jim, Mrs Suzanne Stoppard and Miss Louise Cullen who look forward to seeing you all. We hope our young people will participate in this event for World Youth Day.

CHRISM MASS. This annual event at which the Bishop blesses the oils to be used in the celebration of the Sacraments in the coming year and receives the renewal of their priestly vows from the priests of the diocese takes place at 7.30pm Mass this coming Tuesday (15th April) in St Margaret's Cathedral, Ayr. Please sign-up today on the list in the church porch for the free coach which will depart from the church at 5pm and will pick-up on the way for parishioners on the A76 (Thornhill, Sanquhar, Kirkconnel etc) if required. Please indicate the pick-up point if not here at the church.

FLOWERS FOR ALTAR OF REPOSE. Red flowers will be used to decorate the Altar of Repose on Holy Thursday evening. Donations of red flowers (of all shades) may be handed in to the Sacristy after the morning prayer on Holy Thursday morning or to hall in the evening (no later than 7.45pm please).

BLESSING OF EASTER FOOD. This traditional Polish/Eastern blessing of food from the Easter table will take place in the church on Holy Saturday morning at 10.30am. All are welcome to bring along a basket of food to be blessed for use in the family home or among the poor at Eastertime.

PARISH CHOIR. The choir will meet in the Church on Wednesday evening from 7pm till 8.30pm. Members, old and new are very welcome.

THE ABABA PROJECT COLLECTION. Thank you for last week's contribution to the Ethiopian mission fund of £364.34.

MEMORIAL COLLECTION. The memorial collection in memory of our late parishioner and friend, Eric Clark, raised £336.00 for the Ababa Project. Our sincere thanks to Anne and the family for thinking of the parish mission at such a sad time for them all.

HOLY THURSDAY BEST FOOT FORWARD. Fr Jim would like to hear from 12 volunteers to have their feet washed at this annual ceremony during Holy Thursday Mass at 8pm.

LENTEN LUNCHESES. Thank you to all those who supported the Lenten lunches. A report and summary of the funds raised will be given soon.

SCIAF BOXES. SCIAF Lenten boxes can be left in front of the altar or handed into the Sacristy any time now. Thank you.

SAFEGUARDING. Our Parish Safeguarding Co-ordinators (PSC) John Lawson and Paula Cochrane will be available after 11.30am Mass on 27 April, 4th and 11th May in the small hall to assist all current parish volunteers in upgrading their status to the new PVG scheme. It should take no longer than 20 minutes or so. Please gather the documentation together that you will find on a letter you will soon receive and make a point of going along to meet with them on one of these dates. Thank you once again for your understanding and co-operation in this very important matter.

MINISTRY ROTA FOR HOLY WEEK. All those involved in the liturgical ministries for Holy Week can see the rota now at the back of church or the Sacristy and of course on-line.

200 WINNERS. This month's lucky winners are: John Lowrie (062) and Jean Moran (048). Congratulations!

GROW IN FAITH COURSE (RCIA). The next gathering of the adult faith development group will take place from 7.30pm till 9pm in Holy Trinity Church Hall, Lockerbie on Thursday 1st May. If you would like a lift there cars will leave St Teresa's church car-park at 7pm, to book a seat call Deacon Willie on 264424 or Paula (Cochrane) on 249034. Please come along any time you can and support this joint effort-all welcome.

SCRIPTURE GROUP. All are welcome to join this group in St Conal's, Kirkconnel on Wednesday evenings from 7pm till 8.30pm to reflect and pray on the Sunday scripture readings and support one another through intercessory prayer and enjoy a cuppa together. All welcome.

THE AA SUPPORT GROUP. This group meets every Friday evening in the Baptistry room in the church at 7.30pm.