

## THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

*'I'll leave you with this maxim: life should be guided by ideas which do not pass away, being the same today and tomorrow. Despise ideas which change from day to day; ignore them, and do not take them as rules for your actions.'*

- Blessed Antonio Rosmini

### Next Week's Gospel Reading Palm Sunday of The Passion of The Lord

**Luke 22:14 – 23:56**

When the hour came, he took his place at the table, and the apostles with him. He said to them, 'I have eagerly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer; for I tell you, I will not eat it until it is fulfilled in the kingdom of God.' Then he took a cup, and after giving thanks he said, 'Take this and divide it among yourselves; for I tell you that from now on I will not drink of the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God comes.' Then he took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to them, saying, 'This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.' And he did the same with the cup after supper, saying, 'This cup that is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood. But see, the one who betrays me is with me, and his hand is on the table. For the Son of Man is going as it has been determined, but woe to that one by whom he is betrayed!' Then they began to ask one another which one of them it could be who would do this. ...



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## ST MARIE'S RUGBY

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### Week starting 6<sup>th</sup> April 2019 Fifth Sunday of Lent

**Sunday Collections** - Thank you for last Sunday's offertory collection which amounted to £

**Last Weekend's Second Collection** for CAFOD raised £ , to help all those affected by the recent terrible emergency in Mozambique, Zimbabwe and Malawi caused by Cyclone Idai. Thank you.

**Gift Aid** - The envelopes for the new tax year can now be used. Anyone interested in joining the Gift Aid Scheme can contact the Parish Administrator, Michael Borg on 811732 or email at [michaelwba18@gmail.com](mailto:michaelwba18@gmail.com).

**Eucharistic Adoration On Mondays** will close at 7pm on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April and will resume on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May.

**Lenten Talks** – The final video talk from Bishop Robert Barron with evening Prayer in the Church will be held this Wednesday (10<sup>th</sup>) at 6pm. The title is '*Reason and Faith*'. All welcome!

**Confession**- date for parish confession before is Easter is on Thursday the 11<sup>th</sup> of April at 7.00 pm in the Church. There will be deanery priests available to hear the confession. It is a wonderful time of grace.

**24 Hour Adoration** will begin on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> April at 10.00 and conclude on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> April at 09.30. Rota sheets are now on display in the Main Porch.

**Easter Church Clean** - will take place on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> April after 10am Mass. Volunteers very welcome.

**Passover Meal** – Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> April at 6pm. Tickets available after Mass. £10 per head.

**Two volunteers are needed** for the Offertory Procession at the Easter Vigil Mass on Holy Saturday (8pm). Please ring or text June Hargadon on 07817 075083.

**Organ Repair** – The organ will be taken down for major repairs in the coming months. The job assigned to Walkers who originally built our organ in 1952 for Ratcliffe college. They plan to begin the Job on the 29<sup>th</sup> of April. We hope this restoration work will be completed by June.

**Hibbert's Kitchen Sunday Lunch** – The next date will be 28<sup>th</sup> April from 12:30pm-2pm. To book your place, please call 07596265871. All welcome. £10 per person for two courses. Fully licenced bar.

**UCM Mass** - Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April at 7pm. This will be followed by a meeting in the Coach house. We intend to plan our Charity fund raising this evening. The President's choice for 2019 is *Dementia Research*.

**New Altar Cloths**- we bought new set of altar cloths for all our main and side altars, costing £300. If anyone wishes to sponsor them, please let Fr. Tom know. Thank you.

**Altar Servers Cottas**- We need to buy new cottas for our altar servers and if anyone would like to support us and our altar servers you are welcome. The expense is around the £350. If you are able to help let Fr. Tom know. Thank you.

**St. Marie's Messenger**- any articles, pictures etc. for our next edition of the messenger are welcome. Please send it to our e-mail- [st.mariesmessenger@gmail.com](mailto:st.mariesmessenger@gmail.com).

**A Very Warm Welcome to St. Marie's!**

*Have you joined us for the first time?*

**Please complete a card from the main porch and hand it to the clergy & introduce yourself.**

Come and meet other parishioners for coffee or tea in the Parish Halls after weekday or Sunday morning Mass

**NB Please remember to inform the Parish Office if you move house or change your contact details.**

**Parish Office opens from 09.10am – 12.40pm, Wednesday to Friday**

**IN THE PARISH continued...**

**Revive Lent Lunch 12noon – 1pm** The final lunch will take place at United Reformed Church, Hillmorton Road on 10<sup>th</sup> April. A donation of £3 is requested, which will be distributed between Christian Aid and CAFOD. Thank you to all who have supported the lunches so far.

**The Gift of Years Rugby** are looking to recruit some more chaplains and volunteers to serve in residential care homes in Rugby. You are invited to come to a Celebration Supper - Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> April 7.00pm at St. Marie's Hibbert's Hall Dunchurch Road. The training course to become part of The Gift of Years Team is on 8 Tuesday evenings 14<sup>th</sup> May – 2<sup>nd</sup> July 7.00pm. To book your place at the supper or to apply for the training course please contact Lindsay Pelloquin. Tel: 07842993847 or email [giftofyearsrugby@outlook.com](mailto:giftofyearsrugby@outlook.com).

**Winter Shelter** - We finished on Monday having had a very positive 4 months spending our Monday evenings/nights with some very pleasant and appreciative homeless guests. My sincere thanks to all those parishioners who supported us either practically at the Shelter or through donations of food and money, without your support it would have been difficult.

We do need to raise another £1,000 to pay for new smoke alarms before we open again in December, if anyone would be willing to host a coffee morning or some small fund raising event to speed this up, we would be so grateful. With thanks - Kathy Smith

**Date for your Diary** - Parish Day of Reflection will be on Saturday, 4th May at Ratcliffe College and will be led by Father Chris Fuse, the Provincial Superior. Everyone extremely welcome, shared table and shared transport. Theme and timings to follow.

**Healing Mass for the Sick** - will take place on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May at 11:00 am to start with the rosary and followed by Mass. This is an opportunity for all those who are sick in the parish to be present. We might need to arrange lifts for those who can not come own their own. All the sick will be anointed at the Mass. There will be Tea/ Coffee after the Mass in the Hall.

**Children's Liturgy on Sunday** - looking for volunteers to run the children's liturgy on Sunday morning. If anybody would like to help please contact Louise Mallott or Fr. Tom. Thank you.

**MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

**6<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> April 2019**

**SATURDAY 6<sup>th</sup> APRIL – Vigil for Fifth Sunday of Lent**

**Confessions** 5.30 to 5.55 p.m.

**Mass** at 6.00 p.m. for Moira Kiernan R.I.P.

**SUNDAY 7<sup>th</sup> APRIL – Fifth Sunday of Lent**

**Confessions** from 9.30 a.m. - 9.55 a.m.

**Mass** at 10 a.m. for Alfred Cooke R.I.P.

**Polish Mass** at 12.30 p.m.

**Baptism** at 11:15am of Ellie Joyce Scott and Isabelle Utrera

**Mass** at 6.00 p.m. for Timothy O'Driscoll

**MONDAY 8<sup>th</sup> APRIL**

**Mass** at 10 a.m. for Danny Friel Snr R.I.P.

**Adoration** 8 a.m. – 7 p.m. in the church. (Morning Prayer at 8:50a.m.)

**Mass** at 7.00 p.m. for Owen Duffy R.I.P.

**TUESDAY 9<sup>th</sup> APRIL**

**Mass** at 10a.m. for the Private Intentions of Miroslav & Zuzana

Children's Confession 4 pm to 5 pm

**Polish Confessions** 5:30-7pm

**WEDNESDAY 10<sup>th</sup> APRIL**

**Mass** at 10.00 a.m. for Mary Perks R.I.P.

**Requiem** at 11am for Elizabeth O'Driscoll R.I.P.

School confession 1.30 pm

**Lenten Reflection in Church** – 6-7.30pm

**THURSDAY 11<sup>th</sup> APRIL**

**Mass** at 10 a.m. for Owen Duffy R.I.P.

School confession 1.30 pm

**Confessions Before Easter** 7pm

**Choir Practice** - 7:45 p.m. in Church.

**FRIDAY 12<sup>th</sup> APRIL**

**Mass** at 10 a.m. for the Sick

Stations of the Cross 11 am school

School Confession 1.30 pm

**Stations of the Cross** 7 p.m.

**SATURDAY 13<sup>th</sup> APRIL**

**Mass** at 9:30 a.m. for All Parishioners

**24 Hours of Adoration** begins after Morning Mass

**Confessions** 10 to 11 a.m.

**† PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO ARE SICK: †**

Tom Donnelly, Derek Larkin, Sharon Colleran, Rachel Mears, Baby Freddie Fereday, Elsie Johnson, Piotr Fior, William Hearne, Sofia Roman Garcia, Hattie Taylor, Pat Mulvey, Pippy Bilsland, Lenny & Marie Niner, Val Muir, Peter Derek Duerden, Ann Tyagi, Michael Kendall

**† RECENTLY DIED †**

Elizabeth O'Driscoll

**† FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES FALL AROUND THIS TIME: †**

Alfred Cooke, Owen Duffy, Eileen McCormack, Margaret Fairey, Michael Hynes, Rona Clynes, Margaret Young, Teodor Solowij, Alma Prymaka, Eileen Hamill, Christopher Beards, Margaret Barnwell.

We welcome into our Christian Community Ellie Joyce Scott and Isabelle Utrera who are being Baptised this Sunday.