

# OUR LADY & THE APOSTLES

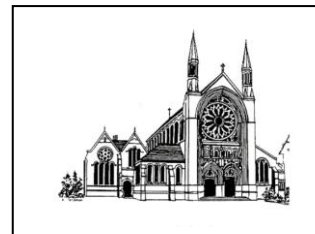
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Bienvenue *Hoan Nghên* Croesawu **Welcome** *salve* Selamat Datang *Svagam* Mərhaba  
Sannu Dazawa *Shalom* *Fáilte Roimh Chách* Maligayang Pagdating *Witamy* Svaagat He *Benvenuto*

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2019

## EASTER SUNDAY MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

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DATE	FEAST	TIME	INTENTION
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup> Apr	<b>Easter Sunday</b>	<b>Sat. 20<sup>th</sup> Apr 8.30pm</b> <b>Easter Vigil and First Mass of Easter</b>	John Hales Snr. (ann)
		<b>8.00am</b> 10.00am	Keith Garnett Our Parish Family
Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup> Apr	Monday of the Easter Octave	7.00pm	John Varley (ann)
Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup> Apr	Tuesday of the Easter Octave	12.15pm	Lilian Costello RIP
Wed 24 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Wednesday of the Easter Octave	12.15pm	Jimmy Long
Thurs 25 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Thursday of the Easter Octave	8.30am (at Evron)	John Frain RIP
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Friday of the Easter Octave	12.15pm	Ann Allen (ann)
Sat 27 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Saturday of the Easter Octave	9.30am 10am to 10.30am 7.00pm	Bridget Crowley <b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b> Our Parish Family
Sun 28 <sup>th</sup> Apr	<b>Second Sunday of Easter</b>	10.00am	Special Intention

### Please Pray For:

#### The Sick

Fr. Pat Munroe, Eileen Gurney, John Wynne, Edith Harper, Glynis Frame, Vincent Tracey, Donna Wright, Mary Ellen Kelly, Keith Garnett, Ronald Fury, John O'Shea, Sheila Friel, Lisa McCann, Veronica Gallagher, Aine O'Callaghan, Mary Murphy, Catherine Tracey, Kathleen Bond, Jordan Harris, Matthew Donegani, Alana Walsh, Gerda Clark, Jean Egginton, Margaret Hales, Mary Glindon, Sean O'Callaghan, Tommy Summers and Gertrude Ashton.

#### Anniversaries

John Hales, Patrick Lawrence O'Donovan, Lisa Jane Mansfield, Vincent Morris, Mary O'Shea, Brian Cox, Fr. John Gannon, Marie Maguire, Barbara Ann Currie, Gertrude Glendinning, Rev. Fr. Patrick Mulcahy, Florence Burrows, Joan Lillis, Emma Murphy, Anne Jenkinson, Annie Wolstencroft, Maureen Swinden, Edmund Roche, Andrew Kelly and William Joseph White. May they all rest in peace.

### Parish Diary 21<sup>st</sup> April to 28<sup>th</sup> April, 2019

DATE	EVENT	TIME	DETAILS
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup> Apr	Mini Easter Egg hunt and flower planting.	After 10am Mass	Everyone welcome!
Thurs 25 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Prayer Group meet	8.00pm	In the Presbytery
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Ian and Cath's Family Group	7.15pm	In the Presbytery for a Bunny Drive, Easter Quiz and Bingo.
Sat 27 <sup>th</sup> Apr	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b>	After 9.30am Mass 6.30pm to 6.50pm	Also on request.
Sun 28 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Car Wash	During 10am Mass	Fundraising for the garden area.
Sun 28 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Baptism Preparation Course 16	After 10am Mass	In Church, session 1 of 3

## Sanctuary Lamp Dedication



As we look at the Sanctuary Lamp and turn our focus to our Blessed Lord in the tabernacle, let us remember especially **all Migrants and Immigrants** in our prayers this month. Dear Lord, hear our prayers for them. Amen.

## News and Notices

**Fr. Pat Munroe:** At last, it looks like Fr. Pat's stay in hospital may be drawing to a close. No date is set for his discharge yet, but the news is very positive. We will continue to keep him in our prayers through his recovery journey.

**Parish Pastoral Council Meeting:** At our recent meeting our main discussion was around our social outreach as a parish. The recent Cambodia evening was well attended and was a great success. Following the evening several fund raising ideas have come forward: a relative of a parishioner has offered a social evening with a band and a buffet. The Sunday Coffee Morning will organise a coffee morning 3 times a year. We are opening a Cambodia Link Account where people can make regular donations if they wish. We have agreed a long term project to build a small chapel/place of worship for the community at the Jesus Farm. The cost is estimated at between \$20-25,000. Other smaller items may be donated around Christmas time. Locally we are looking to support the work of the Olive Branch (see note below). Our other main item of discussion was a "Thank you" to the Sisters of Evron as they move out of the parish in May after so many years of faithful witness. A Mass is planned in Church led by Bishop Brian on **Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May** followed by a reception in the Parish Centre. We also agreed to try and progress the building of ramps from Church into the Guild Room.

Thank you for your generous contribution of **£269.63** towards the cost of Easter Flowers.

**CAFOD Boxes:** please return your pyramid CAFOD money boxes with your Lent offerings to the basket at the back of church. If you didn't use a money box, but have collected some money for CAFOD during Lent, please put it in the collection in an envelope marked CAFOD, or use one of the CAFOD printed envelopes at the back of church.

**The Olive Branch:** after discussions with them, areas have been found where we can be of further help. (1) praying for them and their work; (2) with donations as they receive no funding; (3) in addition to the food for their food bank, gifts of men's clean clothing and men's toiletries would assist them in their help of the homeless. Watch this space for further advice on how we can do this.

The new rotas for **Ministers of the Word** and **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion** are available for collection from the Sacristy.

The latest edition of the **Catholic Voice** is available in church today. Please bring a copy home with you.

## For your Diary

Calling all children! **Mini Easter egg hunt and flower planting** in the garden after the 10am Mass TODAY.

**Ian and Cath's Family Group** is meeting in the Presbytery on **Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April** from 7.15pm for a Bunny Drive and Easter Quiz with the usual game of bingo.

On **Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> April**, the Children's Gardening Family Group is doing a **Car Wash** during 10am Mass to raise funds for the garden area. Please let them know before Mass if you would like your car to be cleaned.



The next **Baptism Preparation Course** begins on **Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> April** after the 10am Mass.

**Alpha** starts in St. Peter's Parish Centre, Hazel Grove on **Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May**. More details on the poster on the notice boards.

**Parish Spring Social:** will be held after 10am Mass one Sunday in May. The confirmed date will be announced at the weekend Masses. Please put it on your calendars!

There will be a **Healing Mission** led by The Little Way Healing Ministries for all the parishes in our LMA from **30<sup>th</sup> May to 2<sup>nd</sup> June**. Please put the dates in your diary and see the poster on the notice board. More details will follow.

**Holy Land Pilgrimages:** "Follow Me" on a journey in the footsteps of Jesus as we seek to grow in holiness. Bishop Mark will lead two pilgrimages to the Holy Land from **21<sup>st</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> October, 2019**. The cost is £1695 or a specially subsidised price for young people between the ages of 16-25 of £995. Brochures for the main Pilgrimage or Youth Pilgrimage can be downloaded from the Diocesan Website [www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org](http://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org) or speak to Fr. David.

## Parish Finance 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup> April

Thank you for your continuing generosity.

<b>Collections</b>	£744.60	<b>CAFOD</b>	£9.50	<b>Building Fund</b>	£3.81
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**Easter Offerings:** the Offertory next weekend is your traditional offering to Fr. David.