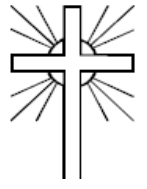


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# FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT 2022

## LAETARE SUNDAY

SUNDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2022

### **A Prayer for Ukraine**

*God of peace and justice,  
we pray for the people of Ukraine today.  
We pray for peace and the laying down of  
weapons.*

*We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that  
your Spirit of comfort may draw near to them.  
We pray for those with power over war and over  
peace, for wisdom, discernment and  
compassion to guide their decisions. Amen.*

**An online workshop** for anyone interested in knowing more about, or developing the Church's welcome for Ukrainian Refugees is being held this coming Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> March, at 2.00pm-3.30pm. To register for the event, visit [bit.ly/ParishesofWelcome](https://bit.ly/ParishesofWelcome) or email [caritas@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:caritas@dioceseofnottingham.uk)

### **A Prayer for the Fourth Sunday of Lent:**

Loving Lord and Heavenly Father, thank You for the joy and peace that we have in trusting You. Right now, we lift up our brothers and sisters in Christ who are going through difficult times or feeling alone or discouraged. We pray that Your love fills their hearts, and that Your peace floods their inner being. Help each one to enter into a deeper dependence upon You and come to a closer communion with the Father. We pray that Your peace which passes all understanding, would guard their hearts and that they would find their joy in You, knowing that the joy of the Lord is their strength. We ask this in Jesus' name, Amen.

### **Fasting and Feasting Prayer**

Fast from giving up;  
Feast on enthusiasm.  
Fast from the shadows of sorrow;  
Feast on trust in God.  
Fast from focusing on problems;  
Feast on unceasing prayer.  
Fast from anxiety;  
Feast on faith.

**This year in the UK, the Muslim holy month of Ramadan** will begin in the evening of Saturday April 2<sup>nd</sup> and will end on May 1<sup>st</sup>. It would be a good and virtuous thing for us to express to our Muslim friends, colleagues and neighbours our appreciation of their example of fasting from dawn to sunset each day, and to wish them either a *Generous Ramadan* (if we know they are fasting) or a *Happy Ramadan* (whether they are keeping the fast or not). Little things can go a long way to stand against those who would turn sincere religious differences into an occasion for hostility and division.

### **First Holy Communion and Confirmation**

Please pray for the groups of our young people who have begun their journeys towards receiving the sacraments of First Holy Communion and of Confirmation. The Confirmation candidates will once again be joining in various church ministries as part of their preparation.

### **News from the Diocese:**

**Talking Philosophy: a Carmelite Perspective**, meets again as a Zoom Group, which is Open to All, on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> April, from 7.45 pm and finishing at 10.00pm. For more information contact Deacon James Hunter OCSA at: [james.hunter200@btinternet.com](mailto:james.hunter200@btinternet.com)

**SPUC pro-life chain:** A peaceful witness to remember the nearly ten million unborn babies killed by abortion since the implementation of the Abortion Act in April 1967. Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> April, 10am until midday. Venue: Trent Bridge, Nottingham (meet at the Brewhouse and Kitchen, at 9.50am). For more information, go to: [www.40daysforlife.com/Nottingham](http://www.40daysforlife.com/Nottingham) or contact John on [40daysforlifennotts@gmail.com](mailto:40daysforlifennotts@gmail.com).

### **GLOSSOP ROSARY –**

We are continuing the Rosary on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> March with the Mysteries of Light.

**All Saints Heating Fund** - The recent donations to the All Saints Heating Fund amounted to £125. Many thanks for your generosity.

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**The Week Ahead** (ASC = All Saints Church, SMH = St Mary's Hall, SMC = St Mary's Church)

**Parish Mass Book: This weekend's Readings: p.169, Gloria p. 9, Creed p.12**

<b>Saturday 26<sup>th</sup></b> 6.00pm,	Lenten Feria <b>ASC Holy Mass</b> (The People of the Parishes)
<b>Sunday 27<sup>th</sup></b> 9.15am, 11.15am,	<b>Fourth Sunday of Lent – Laetare Sunday</b> <b>SMC Holy Mass</b> (Christine Hulley – Happy Retirement (DL)) <b>ASC Holy Mass</b> (Patrick Shanahan RIP (GS))
<b>Monday 28<sup>th</sup></b> 10.00am,	Lenten Feria <b>ASC Holy Mass</b> (George and Barbara Wright RIP – George's 30 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary (AW))
<b>Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup></b>	Lenten Feria <i>Fr Martin will offer Holy Mass today, Mass Intention to be announced</i>
<b>Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup></b> 10.00am,	Lenten Feria <b>ASC Holy Mass</b> (The Gadd and Shanahan families RIP (GS)) <i>Please pray for today's meeting of the Pastoral Council</i>
<b>Thursday 31<sup>st</sup></b> <b>9.00am,</b>	Lenten Feria <b>SMC Holy Mass</b> (Special Intention (CB)) <i>Please pray for today's Day of Recollection for Priests</i>
<b>Friday 1<sup>st</sup></b> 10.00am, <b>3.00pm,</b> <b>5.30pm,</b> 7.00pm,	Lenten Feria <b>SMC Holy Mass</b> (The Holy Souls) <b>St Charles Hadfield, SK13 1PX</b> Stations of the Cross <b>ASC Stations of the Cross</b> <b>SMH Prayer Group</b>
<b>Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup></b> 10.00-10.30am 6.00pm,	Lenten Feria <b>ASC Confessions</b> , <i>Please come dressed for the weather as you may need to wait outside</i> <b>ASC Holy Mass</b> (The wellbeing of Ann Walsh (CW))
<b>Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup></b> 9.15am, 11.15am,	<b>Fifth Sunday of Lent – Passion Sunday</b> <b>SMC Holy Mass</b> (Patrick Shanahan RIP (GS)) <b>ASC Holy Mass</b> (The People of the Parishes)

**News from the Parishes:**

**EASTER TRIDUUM SERVICES –**

**Holy Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> April:** ASC 7pm, Mass of the Lord's Supper      ASC 9.30pm, Night Prayer.  
**Good Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April:** SMC 3pm, Solemn Liturgy      ASC 7pm, Stations of the Cross  
**Holy Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> April:** ASC 8.45pm, Easter Vigil Mass,  
Celebration after the Vigil Mass, 'bring your own bottle'.

**Chrism Mass, Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> April –** We may be organising a coach to this event at St Barnabas' Cathedral in Nottingham. Anyone interested in going can speak to Fr Martin or a member of the PPC to register their interest, and suggest how much they would be able to pay for the coach transport.

**St Mary's Tea and Coffee Rota –** We are planning to start having a cuppa after Mass at the back of St Mary's again. If you are willing to go on the rota, please speak to Anne Fielding or Christine Hulley. We can start as soon as we get volunteers.

**Easter Lilies –** We will be decorating our churches again this Easter with lilies; if you would like to remember a loved one with a lily this Easter, please put £1 in the basket at the back of your church.

**All Saints Draw –** The winner of the £100 draw for February was Judith Wright, number 46.