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PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD – 29TH MARCH 2026

St Philip Howard trip to Rome

Ann King writes, please keep in your prayers the year 10 and 11 children of St Philip Howard school who are this weekend visiting the Vatican City. We wish them a safe and fulfilling experience.

CAFOD

Moira Hind writes, a huge thank you for your generous support to CAFOD this Lent. The total for Fast Day donations is £299.80 (plus an additional £25 for Gift Aided donations). The CAFOD cake sales raised an impressive total of £177.65p. Many thanks to all who came and enjoyed the tasty treats!

Labels Sunday

Easter Sunday is the perfect time to greet, and perhaps pray for, a fellow parishioner by name. Please collect a sticker as you arrive next week.

Encountering Jesus in the Gospels

The Diocese writes, on Tuesday evenings between and April and June join the Jesuit Institute online for a short online formation course building the skills and confidence needed to hold and guide groups of those who wish to deepen their relationship with Jesus, in conversation with others, through reflectively praying with gospel texts. More at <https://tinyurl.com/jesuitonline>

Sunrise Resurrection Walk

St James' church write, join us for sunrise to celebrate the resurrection and pray together! Leaving at 6am join us as we walk from St James' to the top of the Nab for prayer at sunrise on Easter morning. All are welcome to join us and it would be wonderful to see brothers and sisters from other churches. We have a few who will drive and meet us, who are not fully fit for the walk. Afterwards at The Vineyard we will share breakfast about 7:20am - 7:30am. Again, you are welcome to join us here, but it would be useful if people let us know by booking [here](https://tinyurl.com/easter26sun) please – <https://tinyurl.com/easter26sun>

Collection for the support of the Holy Places and Christians in the Holy Land

A retiring collection for the Holy Places of Palestine will be taken on Good Friday. The collection offers a tangible way to support those in need: helping families in difficulty, accompanying children toward a hopeful future, providing aid to refugees and displaced persons, supporting the formation of priests and religious, and contributing to the preservation of the Holy Places. We hope that this year's collection be for all an occasion of renewed solidarity, so that hope may shine especially in the hearts of those who need it most.

Confirmation Preparation

Christine Hulley writes, our parishes' confirmation candidates have taken part in Stations of the Cross. Each candidate contributed thoughtfully by announcing the stations and reading the reflections. Please keep our young people in your prayers.



The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for April

For priests in crisis.
Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

Sunday Missals

The Mission Leadership team writes, the Mass sheets with the readings for our Sunday Mass will be offered until Sunday 5th April 2026. Sunday Missals are available at various outlets, but you may wish to order one at your church. ✂

Sunday Missal Order Form

The Missal offered is the 'Sunday Missal: People's Edition' (Hodder and Stoughton, ISBN 9781399822831)
The Missal is now available for £16 including p&p, payable on receipt of the missal.

I would like to order this Sunday Missal, I would like a blue missal and/or a red missal (tick)

Name..... Signature.....

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	ASC= All Saints Church, SMC= St Mary's Church, SMH= St Mary's Hall, SMS= St Mary's School, SPH= St Philip Howard School
Saturday 28th	Lenten Feria 6.00pm ASC Vigil Mass for Palm Sunday - Solemn Entrance from the church doors (Sean Gerard Coomber RIP (C,B&CMcM)) <i>Start of British Summer Time: clocks go forward one hour overnight</i>
Sunday 29th	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord <i>Fairtrade tea and coffee will be served in both churches after Holy Mass today</i> 9.15am SMC Holy Mass - Solemn Procession from SMH (The People of the Parishes) 11.15am ASC Holy Mass - Solemn Procession from the green gates (Eileen Wadsworth RIP – Birthday Memories (MM)) 2.00pm ASC Paschal Triduum Choir Rehearsal 3.00pm SMC Lenten Reconciliation Service with confessions – Four priests available 5.30pm ASC Solemn Vespers for Palm Sunday
Monday 30th	Monday of Holy Week 10.00am ASC Holy Mass (Sister Mary O'Haloran (JW)) 12.45pm ASC Paschal Triduum Musicians Rehearsal <i>Please pray for today's meeting of our Mission Leadership Team</i>
Tuesday 31st	Tuesday of Holy Week <i>Father Martin will offer Holy Mass for Elizabeth Heffron RIP (JM))</i>
Wednesday 1st	Wednesday of Holy Week 11.30am At Saint Barnabas Cathedral, Nottingham, The Chrism Mass 1.00pm At Smithy Fold (Wetherspoons), Meeting of the Friendship Group
Thursday 2nd	Maundy Thursday 7.00pm ASC The Mass of the Lord's Supper (Kathleen O'Kane RIP (O&PB)) Followed by watching before the Blessed Sacrament and Night Prayer at 9pm
Friday 3rd	Friday of the Passion of the Lord – Good Friday <i>A day of fasting and abstinence.</i> <i>There will be a retiring collection for Holy Places of Palestine.</i> 3.00pm SMC Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion 6.00pm ASC Stations of the Cross and Veneration
Saturday 4th	Holy Saturday 8.30pm ASC The Easter Vigil Mass (Philip Hoath RIP – Fifth Anniversary BP)) Followed by refreshments
Sunday 5th	Easter Day of the Resurrection of the Lord <i>Fairtrade tea and coffee will be served in both churches after Holy Mass today</i> 9.15am SMC Holy Mass (Sarah McMullan RIP (O&PB)) 11.15am ASC Holy Mass (The People of the Parishes) 5.30pm ASC Solemn Vespers for Easter Sunday
This week's prayer intentions for Vocations:	Mon: NDCYS and Young People; Tues: The Diocesan Vocations Team; Wed: Vocations to the Priesthood; Thurs: Vocations to Religious Life; Fri: Vocations to the Diaconate; Sat: All Discerners; Sun: Our Schools.
EXTRA-ORDO-NARY Schools' Word of the Week	Passion
	Please join your fellow parishioners in praying our parish prayer daily: "Heavenly Father, bless and prosper our efforts to renew the life of our parishes. Help me to discover the part you want me to play, and give me the courage to trust in the power of the Holy Spirit. Through Christ our Lord. Amen!"
	Please remember in your prayers: Don and Roseline McLeish, Doreen Leech who is unwell, Philomena Brennan who has a long-standing problem, and her husband Martin who is unwell.
	Save the Date: Join Bishop Patrick on the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham on Saturday 20th June.
	All Saints 'Thrifty Fifty' Draw: the winner of the February draw for £100 is Lorraine Doyle. Congratulations.
	The Glossop Rosary continues Monday 30th March with the Sorrowful Mysteries.

