



ST GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL SOUTHWARK

METROPOLITAN CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST GEORGE



PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (Year A)

9 APRIL 2017

Readings: Isaiah 50: 4 – 7. Psalm 21: 8 – 9. 17 – 20. 23 – 24.
Philippians 2: 6 – 11. Matthew 26: 14. 27: 66.

Mass Intentions: 6pm (*Saturday Vigil*): Charles Knight – RIP
8am: Canon Joseph Moore – RIP
10am: Frederick Mathers – RIP
11.30am: People of the Parish
6pm: Alfred Mancini – RIP

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Six days before the Passover,
when the Lord came into the city of Jerusalem,
the children ran to meet him;
in their hands they carried palm branches
and with a loud voice cried out:
Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!

PSALM RESPONSE:

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

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Praise to you, O Christ, king of eternal glory!
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!

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Father, if this chalice cannot pass without my drinking it,
your will be done.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY:

This group is open to all children aged between 4 - 9 years. Parents are asked to ensure their child is signed in each week, by the **parent or carer** who is attending Mass with them, so that we have a correct register should there be an emergency.

This week: Monica, Saba, Ines & Sarah R.

PARISH NOTICES:

Last week's collections:

The total collection for last Sunday was **£1,940**. Thank you.

If you would like to gift-aid your offering, please see one of the Clergy after Mass.

Holy Week & Easter Triduum

Please take a leaflet detailing all of the service times for Holy Week and Easter Week. Service times are different as are the opening and closing times of the cathedral so please make sure you take a copy. Details are also available on the Cathedral website. Please note that there will be times during Holy Week when the Cathedral will close early.

Tea and Coffee

Please note there will be no tea and coffee after Mass this Sunday.

Easter Collection

The collection taken on Easter Sunday is your personal gift to the clergy. Envelopes are available at the back of the cathedral.

SVP Lent Appeal

Thank you to all those who have responded so generously to the SVP Lent Appeal. The SVP will continue to collect toiletries (shampoo, soap, toothpaste, nappies, etc.) which are in short supply and particularly needed, as well as food stuff.

Solemnity of St George

Because St George's Day falls on the Second Sunday of Easter, it has been transferred to Monday 24 April. In addition to the 7.30am and 12.30pm Masses there will be a Solemn Mass at 6.30pm celebrated by Bishop Pat Lynch. This will be followed by a reception in the Amigo Hall to which you are all invited.

St George's Festival

The St George's Festival takes place on Saturday 22 April, starting at the cathedral from 1.30pm. Full details at the back of the cathedral.

Cathedral Choristers' Recruitment

The Cathedral Choirs always welcome boys and girls who love singing, and on Saturday 20 May there will be a Choir Day in the Song Room for all who are interested in joining. Come along any time between 10am and 4pm and show us what you can do with your voice. Enquiries to the Director of Music, Norman Harper by music@stgeorges.org.uk. Full details about the choirs can be found on our website.

Eucharistic Adoration

During Holy Week and Easter week there will be no Eucharistic Adoration. Adoration resumes on Friday 28th April starting at 8am, ending with Evening Prayer and Benediction at 6pm.

Office Times:

Please note that the Parish Office will be closed during Easter week and will reopen on Monday 24 April.

There will be ONE Mass only at 12.30 p.m. between Monday 17 – Friday 21 April. Normal Mass times (7.30am and 12.30pm) will resume on Tuesday 25 April.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Monday 10 April	Baptism Class – Amigo Hall – 7pm
Wednesday 12 April	The Chrism Mass – Cathedral – 11.30am
Thursday 13 April	Maundy Thursday: Mass of the Lord's Supper celebrated by <i>Archbishop Peter</i> – Cathedral – 7.30pm
Friday 14 April	Good Friday: Solemn Liturgy of the Passion celebrated by <i>Archbishop Peter</i> – Cathedral – 3pm
Saturday 15 April	Holy Saturday: Easter Vigil celebrated by <i>Archbishop Peter</i> – Cathedral – 8.30pm
Monday 24 April	Solemnity of St George: Solemn Mass celebrated by <i>Bishop Pat Lynch</i> – 6.30pm. Followed by a reception in the Amigo Hall

MASS & CONFESSION TIMES:

Please see the Holy Week and Easter leaflet at the back of the Cathedral or our website, for Mass and Confession times between today and Monday 24 April

The normal Cathedral timetable below resumes on Tuesday 25 April

Weekday Mass:	Weekend Mass:	Confession:	Exposition:
Monday to Friday: Mass 7.30am, 12.30pm Evening Prayer and Benediction 6pm (Fridays) Holy Days of Obligation: Mass 7.30am, 12.30pm, 6pm	Saturday: Mass 9.30am, 12.30pm, 6pm (First Mass of Sunday) Sunday: Mass 8am, 10am (Family), 11.30am (Solemn), 1pm (Español), 6pm	Monday to Friday: 12-12.20pm Saturday: 11.15am-12.15pm, 5-5.50pm	Friday: 8am-6pm Saturday: 10am-12.15pm <i>Usually takes place in the Day Chapel</i>

THIS SUNDAY'S HYMNS & MUSIC:

There are separate service booklets for the 10am & 11.30am Masses today, where you will find all the hymn texts, congregational responses, as well as translations of choral works.

	10am	11.30am	6pm
Organ Music before Mass	<i>(No organ music in Lent)</i>	<i>(No organ music in Lent)</i>	<i>(Said Mass)</i>
Entrance Hymn	All glory, laud and honour	All glory, laud and honour	
Mass Setting	Missal Tones	Credo I Sanctus XVIII Agnus Dei XVIII	
Offertory	My song is love unknown	Miserere mei - Victoria	
Communion	Stabat Mater (i) - Pergolesi	The royal banners forward go	
Recessional Hymn	Ride on in majesty		
Organ Voluntary	<i>(No organ music in Lent)</i>	<i>(No organ music in Lent)</i>	

A detailed music list for the whole Easter Triduum is available on the Cathedral website.

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