



# ST GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL SOUTHWARK

METROPOLITAN CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST GEORGE



## FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (YEAR C) - 'LAETARE'

31 MARCH 2019

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**Readings:** Joshua 5: 9 – 12. Psalm 33: 2 – 7.  
2 Corinthians 5: 17 – 21. Luke 15: 1 – 3. 11 – 32.

**Mass Intentions:** 6pm (*Saturday Vigil*): Mrs Mary Ryan – RIP  
8am: People of the Parish  
10am: Adrian Field – RIP  
11.30am: Intentions of Patrick Duffy  
6pm: Intentions of Mabel Adegbenro

### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Rejoice, Jerusalem, and all who love her.  
Be joyful, all who were in mourning;  
exult and be satisfied at her consoling breast.

### PSALM RESPONSE:

Taste and see that the Lord is good.

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory!  
I will leave this place and go to my Father and say:  
'Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you.'  
Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory!

### COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

You must rejoice, my son,  
for your brother was dead and has come to life;  
he was lost and is found.

## **CHILDREN'S LITURGY:**

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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: Jenny, Anne, Georgina & Roggie

## **PARISH NOTICES:**

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### **Last week's collections:**

First collection last week was **£1,529**. Thank you.

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

### **CAFOD Emergency Cyclone Appeal**

There will be a retiring collection after all Masses this weekend to support CAFOD's work in Mozambique, Zimbabwe and Malawi following the devastation caused by cyclone Idai in.

### **Today is Laetare Sunday**

Laetare comes from the Latin 'rejoice' and marks the half-way point of Lent. The joy of celebrating Easter is in sight and the austerity of Lent is lifted for a day symbolised by the rose coloured vestments that are used.

### **Altar Servers**

Please sign-up in the sacristy this week for the Holy Week liturgies you at wish to serve. Please note that there is a general meeting for **ALL** existing Altar Servers on Saturday 13th April from 11am-12.30pm in the Amigo Hall. Any questions, please see Fr Daniel.

### **Lent Course - Bishop Robert Baron's Course on The Mass**

Commencing this Monday 18th March in the Amigo Hall Upstairs at 6.45 pm and continuing for 5 weeks we will be delivering

Bishop Robert Baron's course on The Mass. This course will present in an interesting and exciting way what the Mass is all about, where it comes from in our salvation history and why it is so important to us and our faith. Going forward you will come to appreciate how magnificent the celebration of the Mass really is and what a great gift it is to us all. If you require further details, please email:

[frpaul@stgeorges.org.uk](mailto:frpaul@stgeorges.org.uk)

### **Lenten Concert in St George's**

By the Purcell Singers on Saturday 6 April at 7.30pm Featuring Allegri Miserere, Leighton *Crucifixus*, and Barber *Agnus Dei*, and works by Poulenc and Palestrina. Tickets £15, £12 concession

### **Cathedral Choirs**

The Cathedral Choirs are recruiting young singers aged between 7 and 17. If your son or daughter would like to be involved please contact Jonathan Schranz, the Cathedral Director of Music, on [jonathans@stgeorges.org.uk](mailto:jonathans@stgeorges.org.uk) to arrange an audition.

## Lenten Talks

A series of talks relevant to Lent are taking place in the parish of The Holy Ghost, Balham, 7pm for 7.30pm start.

All welcome:

- Almsgiving: Tuesday 2 April
- The Passion: Tuesday 9 April

## Readers Please Note

The format of the Prayers of the Faithful have changed and there is now only one copy used at all Masses.

## Evening Mass & Stations of the Cross

During Lent there will be an additional Mass at 6pm each weekday evening and Stations of the Cross every Sunday evening at 5pm.

## Eucharistic Adoration

Adoration takes place on Friday from 8am until 5.45pm and on Saturday from 10am until 12.15pm.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

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Sunday 31 March	Fourth Sunday of Lent, Year C ( <i>Laetare Sunday</i> )
Saturday 6 April	Concert: Purcell Singers – Cathedral – 7.30pm
Sunday 7 April	Fifth Sunday of Lent, Year C
Saturday 13 April	Altar Servers Meeting – Amigo Hall – 11am-12.30pm
Sunday 14 April	Palm Sunday of the Passion of Our Lord

## MASS & CONFESSION TIMES:

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### Weekday Mass:

Monday to Friday:

Mass 7.30am, 12.30pm, 6pm (*in Lent*)  
Evening Prayer 5.30pm (Fridays)

Holy Days of Obligation:

Mass 7.30am, 12.30pm, 6pm

### Weekend Mass:

Saturday:

Mass 9.30am, 12.30pm,  
6pm (First Mass of Sunday)

Sunday:

Mass 8am, 10am (Family),  
11.30am (Solemn),  
1pm (Español), 6pm

### Confession:

Monday to Friday:

12-12.20pm

Saturday:

11.15am-12.15pm,  
5-5.50pm

## THIS SUNDAY'S HYMNS & MUSIC:

	10am	11.30am	6pm
Entrance Hymn	<b>253</b> Gather us in	<i>Antiphon: Laetare</i> <b>215</b> God is love	(Said Mass)
Mass Setting	Missal tones (Congregational)	Mass in G (K) - Schubert <b>Missa VIII 'de Angelis' (S A)</b> <b>Credo I (on sheet)</b>	
Offertory Hymn	<b>659</b> Sing we of the blessed mother	<i>Antiphon: Laudate Dominum</i> <b>659</b> Sing we of the blessed mother	
Communion Motet	Tantum ergo - de Séverac	<i>Antiphon: Ierusalem</i> Out of the deep - Tomkins	
Recessional Hymn	<b>40</b> Amazing Grace	<b>398</b> Love divine	
Organ Voluntary	Prelude in E minor BWV 533i - J.S. Bach	Prelude in B minor BWV 544i - J.S. Bach	

A full music list for this month is available on the Cathedral website.

### Translation of the motet at 10am Family Mass:

*Therefore so great a Sacrament, let us fall down and worship, and let the old law give way to a new rite, and let faith stand forward to make good the defects of sense. To the Father and the Son be praise and joy, health, honour and virtue and blessing, and to him proceeding from both be equal praise. Amen.*  
– Pange lingua verses 5 & 6, ascribed to St Thomas Aquinas.

### Text of the motet at 11.30am Solemn Mass:

*Out of the deep have I called to thee, O Lord. Lord, hear my voice. O let thine ears consider well the voice of my complaint.* – Psalm 130

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