



# Mary Immaculate & St Peter Catholic Church

PARISH UNDER THE CARE OF THE MISSIONARY CONGREGATION OF THE HOLY SPIRIT. *SPIRITANS*

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Palm Sunday

13th  
April  
2025

### Office hours Tues - Fri: 9.30am-12.30pm

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**Mass Times:** Monday - Wednesday at 10am  
Thursday - 7pm, Friday & Saturday at 10am  
Saturday Vigil at 6pm, Sunday at 9.30am, 11am  
and 6pm, Holy Days of Obligation - 7pm  
Adoration - Fridays at 9.30am  
Confession - 10.30am Saturdays or by request.

Fr. Jude is available every Wednesday after 10am Mass or by arrangement (except Mondays)  
Fr. Jean Pascal is available every Thursday from 4.30pm until evening Mass at 7pm. or by arrangement (except Tuesdays)

## PARISH NOTICES

**NEW PARISHIONERS:** We welcome all new Parishioners to our community.

**PALM SUNDAY REFLECTION:** Our observance of Lent culminates in the solemn celebrations of Holy Week when on Palm Sunday we follow Christ from his triumphant entrance into Jerusalem to the foot of the Cross as sorrowful bystanders to His Passion, before rolling back the stone of the empty tomb and the joy of the Resurrection.

**PARISH FINANCES:** Fr. Jude will be speaking at every Mass this weekend about issues that concern us as a family.

**EASTER SERVICES TIMETABLE:** Please collect the 'Timetable of Easter Services' card from the table in the porch.

**THIS WEEKEND'S SECOND COLLECTION - THE SPIRITANS:** Our second collection this week will be for The Spiritans, the order to which our priests belong. The Spiritans of Europe are strongly committed to making a difference in our world, characterized by socio-economic injustice and poverty, through their impactful programs and projects in Africa and Asia.

**FOODBANK SUPPORT:** Please continue to support the Foodbank if you can. To donate money please visit <https://chippingbarnet.foodbank.org.uk/>. To donate food please see the current shortages list on the green trolleys. Thank you.

**CHANGE OF MASS TIME:** Morning Mass on Tuesday 15th April will be at **9am** to allow enough time for anyone who would like to go to the Chrism Mass at Westminster Cathedral enough time to get there.

### THE TERMINALLY ILL ADULTS (END OF LIFE)

**BILL:** Committee Stage of the assisted suicide Bill has ended. It is now weaker and less safe than it was before. 300+ amendments that sought to strengthen safeguards in the Bill and protect vulnerable groups were rejected by Bill supporters, including protection for people with disabilities and domestic abuse victims. **Please collect a red and white postcard, fill out your details and post it to your MP today.** For further information about the bill please visit <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/opposing-assisted-suicide/>.

### LENTEN REFLECTIONS AND STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

The last Wednesday Lenten Reflection sessions at 10.30am will be on 16th April. The evening session is followed by Stations of the Cross at 7pm.

### ST CATHERINE'S SCHOOL 3-YEAR-OLD NURSERY PLACES:

If your child is turning 3 by 31st August 2025 and you would like them to start nursery in September 2025, please submit the application by Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2025. Please direct any queries to Mrs Franzini at [admissions@stcatherines.barnetmail.net](mailto:admissions@stcatherines.barnetmail.net) or call the school office on 0208440 4946.

**GOOD FRIDAY SECOND COLLECTION:** On Good Friday the second collection will be for the Holy Places of Palestine.

**REPOSITORY SHOP:** In the church porch Repository Shop we have a large selection of Easter Cards, First Holy Communion and Confirmation cards and gifts for purchase. All very reasonably priced. Please come and have a look.

**PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES:** This year's Planned Giving envelopes are now ready for those who have requested them. They can be collected from the Church Repository (card shop) after all weekend Masses this weekend. After this, they will only be available for collection from the Parish Office.

LAST WEEK - 6th April Church collection - £ 650.71

Sightsavers - £ 235.83 Thank you for your offerings

THIS WEEK - 13th April - Second collection - The Spiritans

GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION - Holy Places.

**PARISH DATABASE:** The parish database contains current information of Parishioners. It is important that the information held on the database is correct, so please contact the Parish Secretary if your details have changed. New parishioners are asked to collect a census form from the Repository (card shop), once completed please return it to the Parish Office.

**PROTECTING YOUR PRIVACY:** The personal details of yourself and family members will be stored and used by the Parish for internal administrative and organisational purposes of the Parish. They will not be disclosed outside the Parish. Details of how we process your data, and your rights, are on the full Privacy Notice and can be found at: [rcdow.org.uk/diocese/privacy-policy](http://rcdow.org.uk/diocese/privacy-policy).

**ST PETER'S SUMMER BBQ SATURDAY 15th JUNE**  
11.30am– 2.30pm



We are now in need of the following donations to make this event successful;

New Gifts for our Gift Tombola.

Bottles for our Bottle Tombola.



New or undamaged toys and games for our Toy Tombola.



Sweets to fill up the jars for our sweet hoopla (no chocolates please)

Raffle prizes and vouchers.

**Please no Bric-a-Brac, books or used toys**

Donations can be left in the green bins in the Church Porch.

**STALL HOLDERS REQUIRED FOR SUMMER BBQ for the following stalls;**

Pimms stall  
Sweetie Hoopla  
Balloon Game  
Children's game  
Relief Stallholders



**FAMILY BINGO !!!**

Saturday 26th April - 7pm in the Parish Hall

Come along and join in this fun-filled family event.

The kids love it. Bring your own nibbles.

Cash prizes to be won !!!

**The bar will be open.**



**MASS INTENTIONS**

**SATURDAY 12th April - Lent feria**

10.00am - *Rebecca Mary and Ibrahim - Successful Marriage and God's protection.*

6.00pm - *Mary Norton - RIP RD*

**SUNDAY 13th April - Palm Sunday**

9.30am - *James Conlon - RIP/ Birthday*

11.00am - *Nicholas Jackson Amayo - RIP 1st Anniversary*

6.00pm - *Those enduring religious persecution*

**MONDAY 14th April - Monday of Holy Week**

10.00am - *Sr. Anna Maria King - RIP Anniversary*

**TUESDAY 15th April - Tuesday of Holy Week**

**9.00am** - *Joanna & Kasia - Birthday Blessings*

12.00pm - *Christm Mass at the Cathedral*

**WEDNESDAY 16th April - Wednesday of holy Week**

10.00am - *Special Intention*

10.30am - *Lenten Reflection*

6.30pm - *Lenten Reflection*

7.00pm - *Stations of The Cross*

**THURSDAY 17th April - Maundy Thursday**

8.00pm - *The Nefiodow Family- Intentions*

**FRIDAY 18th April - Good Friday**

**NO MORNING MASS**

11.15am - *Stations of the Cross for Children*

3.00pm - *Stations of the Cross and Good Friday Liturgy*

**SATURDAY 19th April - Holy Saturday**

**NO MORNING MASS**

8.00pm - *Cecilia Mondragon - RIP Anniversary*

**SUNDAY 20th April - Easter Sunday**

9.30am - *John Commons - RIP Anniversary*

11.00am - *Pat Cosgrove - RIP*

**NO EVENING MASS**



**Parish Summer Sea Side Coach trip**  
to Walton on the Naze, Saturday 9th August

Only £15 per person!!



Register your interest now by emailing the Parish Office.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:**

Caterina Fusco, Rose-Ann Phillip, Frances Lobo,  
Christine Screene, Jacqueline & Roger Jameer,  
Danny Lusby, Stephen Giffin, Eileen Shea and Julia Riordan

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED:**

Paddy Madigan Mrs Shirley Cox and Steve Goad.

**ANNIVERSARIES THAT OCCUR IN APRIL:**

Joao Alves, Joe Bowe, Andrew Brosnan, Barbara Burke,  
John Commons, Matthew Comer, William Condon,  
Michael Donelan, Henry & Brigid Elliott, Rose Farley,  
Dominic Ferrari, Mary Furey, Lily Goggin, Jim Graham,  
Jim Griffin, Brian Hooker, Philip Kairu, Denis Kelly, Annie Martin,  
Vivienne Martin, Margaret McAuliffe, Nora & Owen McBrien,  
Ian McDonough, Eileen McGrory, Michael O'Mara,  
Ambrose Oghenejode, Randi Rognaldsen, Nancy Stone,  
Vincent Then, Mary Thisanayagam, Kathleen Tozer,  
Martin Walsh & Huw Walters.

**May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.**

PALM SUNDAY	6pm	9.30am	11am	6pm
Ex.ordinary Ministers	Malcolm Cussell	Ann Horn	Sam Ratnasamy	Harold Williams
Ex.ordinary Ministers	Ann Brady	Michael Mathias	Ese Akhere	Jane Goring
Ex.ordinary Ministers	John Thornton	Katharine Howson	Paul Ruocco	Ugona Olisa
Minister of The Word	Carmen Edwards	Children's Liturgy	Ochuko Otiotio	Charles Igboke
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EASTER SUNDAY	8pm Vigil	9.30am	11am	6pm
Ex.ordinary Ministers	Michael Mathias	Ann Horn	Ugona Olisa	No Evening Mass
Ex.ordinary Ministers	Sam Ratnasamy	Diana Nefiodow	Sam Ratnasamy	
Ex.ordinary Ministers	Ese Akhere	Katherine Howson	TBA	
Minister/s of The Word	See Rota	Children's Liturgy	Peter McMahon	