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Sunday, 20th April 2025

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD – YEAR C

1100hrs Mass Intention: *The People of the Bishopric*

Preface I of Easter

Eucharistic Prayer I

Entrance Hymn: 238

Offertory Hymn: 271

Communion Hymn: 268

Recessional Hymn: 267

Kyrie: 520

Gloria: 998

Sanctus: 570

Acclamation: 571 (C)

Great Amen: 572

Agnus Dei: 591

WELCOME EVERYONE

For our celebration today you will require a Mass Sheet, a hymn book and a copy of any Mass Settings that we are using, all of which are available from the Welcome Team.

Children over four years old are invited to go to their liturgy with the Catechetical Team following the introduction to the Mass and return at the offertory. The vestry is available for those with children who need a place to play. Activity bags, containing appropriate books and other materials, hanging on the chairs at the back of church may be borrowed to keep children engaged during Mass. Please replace them after use and before leaving the building.

MINISTRIES TODAY

Welcome Team: Mr T Booth; Mrs S Levett

Readers: Mrs S Cole; Mrs O Beattie

Extraordinary Ministers: Ms A Williams; Mrs P Ward

Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs Y Spreadborough

THIS WEEK

The Cathedral is open every working day from 1000hrs - 1600hrs

Mon 21st Apr: Monday in the Octave of Easter (**Bank Holiday**)

Tue 22nd Apr: Tuesday in the Octave of Easter

Wed 23rd Apr: Wednesday in the Octave of Easter

1145hrs – Midday Prayer (Psalter Week I)

1200hrs – Holy Mass (Zoom available)

Raymond Seys RIP

Thu 24th Apr: Thursday in the Octave of Easter

Fri 25th Apr: Friday in the Octave of Easter

1400hrs – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

1545hrs – Holy Communion outside of Mass

NEXT SUNDAY

Welcome Team: Mrs P Ward; Mrs R Rossiter

Readers: Mr B McMahon; Mrs N Francis-Crerar

Extraordinary Ministers: Mrs P Ward; Mrs C Pritchard

Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs R Nash

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please keep the members of our Armed Forces, especially those on operational duties at this time, their families and all support staff, together with health professionals, the emergency services, voluntary workers, relief agencies, retail the sick and the isolated, and the most vulnerable in society, in your personal intercessions.

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Booking is now open for the Pilgrimage from 15th to 19th May and a special Cathedral community form is available on request.

LIVESTREAMING LITURGIES

Sunday's Mass Zoom details – ID: 880 7030 8872

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88070308872?pwd=txqCOFXNsfeQg25yZgRJV5ai7M81G.1> Passcode: 208973

Wednesday's Mass Zoom details – ID: 832 3982 8459

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83239828459?pwd=ukIfRoEZRkbAhD7BZVu0VJ9v89kk9e.1> Passcode: 059255

IN THANKSGIVING

We owe a debt of gratitude to all those members of our community who responded to the call to dedicate time and effort to our preparations for, and celebrations in, Holy Week. A special mention to those who cleaned and polished, those who fetched and carried, those who arranged flowers, those who volunteered for parts in the liturgies, those who sang in the choir and made music, those who served on the altar and those who made visitors feel welcome. After Mass today there is a festive glass of Champagne available for everyone (in addition to the usual refreshments) on the understanding that you're age-appropriate and not drink-driving, as well as chocolate bunnies, as long as you're not allergic to them!

PUBLIC WITNESS

Wintershall Theatre Company and Christian Art have joined forces to produce a short film entitled 'The Stations of the Cross: Pray with us' and depicting the fourteen scenes from Christ's Passion. It may viewed via: www.youtube.com/watch?v=RHCORHpQBdQ

COMMUNITY COMMITMENT

Sign-up lists for Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, are available for completing at the back of church .

CHARITABLE FUNDRAISING

Tickets will be on sale, and prizes on view, for our latest raffle next Sunday, 27th April, with the draw taking place on Sunday, 11th May.

MUSICAL TALENT

The Surrey Voices and Chameleon Arts Orchestra will offer a free concert in the Cathedral at 1900hrs on Saturday, 10th May.

AND FINALLY ...

... the joyful news that Christ is risen does not change the contemporary world; still before us lie work, discipline, sacrifice. The fact of Easter, however, is what gives us the spiritual power to do the work, accept the discipline, and make the sacrifice.

*Wishing you and your loved ones every blessing
for a happy and holy Easter*

Fr Nick