



**Parish of St. Gregory The Great**  
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*Fr. Paul writes:*

*Please make sure you take a copy of the Holy Week and Easter Services home with you today. Holy Week is just two weeks away and now it the time to be aware of all the different services and celebrations and to decide to make space for them in your life! This year is called a special Year of Mercy by Pope Francis and so there will be extra opportunities for everyone to avail themselves of the Sacrament of Confession. On Thursday and Friday of Holy Week there will be a visiting priest !*

*On Holy Thursday we are very privileged to be having our newly ordained Bishop John Wilson presiding at The Mass of The Lord's Supper (8pm). Bishop John will be also with us for the Sacrament of Confirmation on Friday 19th May. I hope a good number will turn out to welcome him on his first visit on Holy Thursday. He will be doing The Washing of the Feet . So now is your opportunity to volunteer. (There is a list in the porch for you to sign!).*

*There are two ecumenical events in Holy Week - on Palm Sunday at 6pm in St. Mary's, The Fairway and on Good Friday at 11am in St Martin's, Ruislip High Street. It's very good to join with our fellow Christians in celebrating the Great Holy Week.*

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**SECONDARY SCHOOL TRANSFER 2017**

*If your child is presently in Year 5 of Primary School you will be making choices later on this year regarding a place in a Secondary School of him/her in September 2017. If you are seeking a place in a Catholic or Christian School you will need a reference called a "Certificate of Catholic Practice" from a priest known to you. Parents wishing me to sign such a certificate should collect a letter explaining the procedure personally from me after Mass and return it personally to me next weekend.*

**NOTICES**

**Baptism Preparation**

Monday 14th March 8pm in the Church hall. Please telephone Gillian at the Presbytery as these meetings are by appointment only.

**"Lilies of Remembrance"**

Please take a slip of paper and write the names of loved ones to be remembered. Please also consider taking an envelope for your donation to help with the cost of the lilies. There will be a "Mass of Remembrance" to remember all our loved ones on Easter Monday 28th March at 10.00 am. Please return slips at your earliest convenience.

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham - Saturday 9th July**

If you would like to join with the Diocese on this pilgrimage to Walsingham please sign the sheet in the porch today. Cost is £15 per person, please let us have cash or cheque payable to "St. Gregory's" at your earliest convenience. Numbers are limited.

**Knitting Group - Wool Needed**

The knitting group has had a great start in our efforts to knit/crochet hats, scarves and blankets for our brothers and sisters who live in poverty and sub zero temperatures. It would help us greatly, if you would be willing to donate to our group, any unwanted balls of wool lurking in your cupboards. In this way you too could be involved in this parish project. If you have any, kindly drop them in to the Presbytery during office hours.

**Sainsburys Active Kids Vouchers**

There is a box in the porch for you to place any vouchers so that they may be passed on to St. Swithun Wells' School.

**28th February 2016**

**MASS TIMES**

**Saturday**

Vigil Mass: 5.30 pm

**Sunday**

10.00 am and 6.00 pm

**Monday**

10.00 am

**Tuesday**

10.00 am

**Wednesday**

10.00 am

**Thursday**

NO MASS HERE

**Friday**

10.00 am

**Saturday**

10.00 am

**Exposition of the Blessed**

**Sacrament Saturday**

**10.30 am - 11.30 am**

**Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)**

**Saturdays: After the morning & evening Mass or by appointment**



**COLLECTIONS**

**Envelopes** £ 818.47  
**Loose Plate** £ 388.54  
**Standing Orders** £ 500.00  
**Total** £1707.01  
**Cafod Family Fast** £1492.53

**Parish Registration**

If you have recently joined the parish or not completed a Registration Card in the last two years please do so and return it to the presbytery. These cards are available in the porch or from the Parish Office. Our parish records are referred to for applications for sacramental preparation and school application

**Red Sanctuary Lamps**

If you would like to have these dedicated to the memory of a loved one please contact Gillian in the parish office. There is a suggested donation of £10.  
 Hymn Books £5.

**SANCTUARY LAMPS**

This week's dedication is for: Laurence O'Dwyer (RIP)

**Mass Intentions for 6th March to 13th March 2016**

<b>This SUNDAY</b> <b>6th March 2016</b> <b>4th Sunday of Lent Year C</b> <b>Mothering Sunday</b>	<b>5.30 pm</b> <b>10.00 am</b> <b>6.00 pm</b>	Mickey & George O'Connell (RIP) + Presentation of Bibles to Confirmation Candidates Jim McGinley (RIP) Sameer & Aomer Haboosh (RIP)
<b>Monday 7th March</b>	<b>9.45 am</b> <b>10.00 am</b> <b>1.00 pm</b>	Morning Prayer Mady Sullivan (RIP) Stations of the Cross
<b>Tuesday 8th March</b>	<b>9.45 am</b> <b>10.00 am</b>	Morning Prayer Jim McGinley (RIP)
<b>Wednesday 9th March</b>	<b>9.45 am</b> <b>10.00 am</b>	Morning Prayer Jim McGinley (RIP)
<b>Thursday 10th March</b> <b>NO MASS HERE TODAY</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	<b>Mass at The Sacred Heart Church, Ruislip</b>
<b>Friday 11th March</b>	<b>9.45 am</b> <b>10.00 am</b> <b>7.00 pm</b>	Morning Prayer Nora Harrington (RIP) Stations of the Cross - To be lead by our Parish Readers
<b>Saturday 12th March</b>	<b>9.45 am</b> <b>10.00 am</b> <b>10.30-11.30am</b>	Morning Prayer Gloria David (RIP) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
<b>NEXT WEEKEND</b> <b>13th March 2016</b> <b>5th Sunday of Lent Year C</b>	<b>5.30 pm (Sat)</b> <b>10.00 am</b> <b>6.00 pm</b>	Tommy Wilson (RIP) Yvonne Smith (RIP) Madge Bennett (RIP)

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:-**

Tony Johnson, Liam Warren, Pauline Davey, Micah McKennon, Bridie Murren, Mary Temple, Thelma Buckingham, Nicola Teune, Michael Clough, Denise Busby, Mary McCann, Sylvia Bryant, Bridget Finch, Hedi David, Angie Webster, Michael Mangan, Mary Wallace, Brendan Conroy, Kevin Ryan, Hannah Westwood, Betty Hewitt, Theresa Brent, Tom Hennessy, Anne-Marie Henry, Donal O'Sullivan, Barbara Hayes,  
Fr. Mike Tegeder. *(Please tell us when people can be taken off this list).*

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY AND THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME, WE ALSO REMEMBER AT THIS TIME:-**

Barbara Smith, Mickey & George O'Connell, Jim McGinley, Sameer & Aomer Haboosh, Mady Sullivan, Nora Harrington, Gloria David, Laurence O'Dwyer.

**DIARY FOR THIS WEEK:****Saturday 5th March**

5.30 pm Children's Liturgy  
6.30 pm Refreshments in hall after Mass

**Sunday 6th March**

10.00 am Children's Liturgy  
11.00 am Refreshments in hall after Mass

**Monday 7th March**

1.00 pm Stations of the Cross  
1.30 pm Monday Club  
5.00 pm Walk With Me  
6.30 pm Confirmation Class  
7.30 pm The Joy of the Gospel  
St. Mary's Church, The Fairway  
8.00 pm SVP Meeting - Church Hall

**Wednesday 9th March**

1.30 pm Knitting Get Together - Hall

**Friday 11th March**

10.30 am Parents & Toddlers  
7.00 pm Stations of the Cross

**LOOKING AHEAD:-****Next Saturday 12th March**

8.30 am Church Cleaning  
9.00 am 1st Communion Class  
5.30 pm Children's Liturgy

**Sunday 13th March**

10.00 am Children's Liturgy  
11.00 am Refreshments in hall after Mass

**Monday 14th March**

1.00 pm Stations of the Cross  
1.30 pm Monday Club  
5.00 pm Walk With Me  
6.30 pm Confirmation Class  
7.30 pm Joy of the Gospel - St. Mary's Church  
8.00 pm Baptism Preparation - Church Hall

**Wednesday 16th March**

1.30 pm Knitting Get Together - Hall

**Friday 18th March**

10.30 am Parents & Toddlers  
7.00 pm Stations of the Cross