




MASS TIMES: 1st APRIL - 8th APRIL



DATE	MASS TIME	DEDICATION	MASS INTENTIONS	PARISH DIARY
Sunday 1 st April	9.00am 11.00am 5.00pm	Passion Sunday	Sean Gavin RIP	4.00pm Stations of the Cross (Church)
Monday 2 nd April	NO MASS			7.30pm Fr. Anthony at Confirmation meeting at Christ the King (CtK) 8.30pm SVP meeting, D.B. Room
Tuesday 3 rd April	NO MASS	St. Richard		11am Chrim Mass , Portsmouth Cath. 7.30pm Children's Liturgy mtg. DB Rm. 7.30pm <u>Fr. Anthony</u> : CtK penit. service
Wed. 4 th April	9.45am	St. Isidore	Thanksgiving for Ezekwe family for Ify's 21 st Birthday	2pm Wednesday Club (last before Easter) 8pm Choir practice for 9am Mass
Thurs. 5 th April	8.00pm	Holy Thursday	Deceased members of Durnin & Harvey families	3pm : Rehearsal for children's service 8pm : Mass of the Last Supper
Friday 6 th April	11.00am 3.00pm	Good Friday		Children's Good Friday Service Solemn celebration of the Lord's Passion
Sat. 7 th	9.00pm	Holy Saturday	For family and friends of the parish	The Easter Vigil
Sunday 8 th April	9.00am 11.00am	Easter Sunday	For family and friends of the parish	NO EVENING MASS 

*** NO CHILDREN'S LITURGY during Easter school holidays! ***

*** NO BEAVERS / CUBS / SCOUTS during Easter school holidays! ***



Please keep in your prayers all those whose anniversaries occur about this time:
Mabel Blake (1985), Edward Wajczyns (1973), John Newton (2003), and Maria Colella (1989).



➔ **THIS WEEK:**

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GOOD FRIDAY WALK OF WITNESS, 6th April: This year instead of there being several locally organised walks around the area, **Regenerate** are organising one Walk through the centre of Reading. They are hoping to see 2007 people on the walk and request that walkers wear something red if possible. The Walk assembles in **Forbury Gardens at 10am** and walks in silence down Broad Street. Please join it if you can

Stewards wanted for Good Friday Walk of Witness: please volunteer to admin@bfoc.org or Tel. 941 5557. Stewards need to report at the Forbury at 9.45am. Thank you

Easter Sunday - Forbury Gardens, 8.00am: Come and celebrate Christ's Resurrection at the restored band stand in Forbury Gardens. Half an hour of celebration worship with musicians from Lower Earley Salvation Army. A perfect way to start the day - time to worship in a garden on Easter morning, whatever the weather. Please join in!

➔ **OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST:**

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Faith: is it important to you? An opportunity to meet with other people for whom faith is key: **Interfaith Conference** at Woodley Baptist Centre, Hurricane Way, Mon. 16th April, 7pm. See programme & more details in Advent Room

Spend a night under the stars to help Reading homeless! **Reading Single Homeless Project** annual **Sleep Out** is on **Friday 20th April** at Madejski Stadium. Registration fee is £5; please try to raise ~£100 through sponsorship. See registration forms in Advent Rm. or phone Paul: 950 7657

Job vacancy - Blessed Hugh Faringdon School: Part-Time School Secretary required. Closing date 20th April. See bright pink poster in Advent Room for further details, or e-mail head.hughfaringdon@reading.gov.uk for applic. form

Job opportunities — Christian Community Action, Whitley & Oxford Road: 2 positions vacant as Shop & Support Centre Supervisors, at Northumberland Road/Oxford Road, for this Christian charity. See blue poster in Advent Room

Friends of Bamenda: the Portsmouth Diocesan Bamenda Committee would like to create a network of communication between Cameroonian individuals and families. If you know any Cameroonians, please pass on to them one of the **bright yellow leaflets** in Advent Room and encourage them to complete and return one to the address given. This could facilitate the deepening of links of friendship. Thank you

CAFOD *livesimply* pilgrimage: Sunday 20th May, walking up to the Carmelite Priory at Boars' Hill for picnic lunch & prayers. Poster in Advent Room. All are welcome to join & think about how to live simply & in solidarity with the poor

Follow Me: Living God's Word "Loud & Clear" conference 16th - 19th July 2007 Exeter University. Poster, Advent Room

This week **Parish Office is open Tuesday - Thursday 9.00am-2.00pm.**
Parish Office will be **CLOSED** from **Fri. 6th to Mon. 16th April INCLUSIVE** — NO business as usual!