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Palm Sunday Year B – 24th March 2024

SERVICES & MASS INTENTIONS						
Sun	24 th	Palm Sunday	St O	9.30am	People of the Parish	ls 50: 4-7, Phil 2: 6-11
			St M	11.00am	Anna and Fred Bradley (FM)	Mark 14: 1-10
Mon	25 th	Mon in Holy Week	St M	10.00am	Amelia Di Mascio (TDiM)	Is 42: 1-7, John 12: 1-11
Tue	26 th	Tues in Holy Week			No Mass	
Wed	27 th	Weds in Holy Week	St O	10.00am	Priest's Intention	ls 50: 4-9, Matt 26: 14-25
THE EASTER TRIDUUM						
Thu	28 th	Holy Thursday	St O	7.00pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper	See Service Booklet
Fri	29 th	Good Friday	St M	3.00pm	Celebration of the Passion	See Service Booklet
Sat	30 th	Holy Saturday	St M	7.00pm	The Easter Vigil	See Service Booklet
Sun	31 st	Easter Sunday	St O	9.30am	Maureen & Gordon Hogg (BH)	Acts 10: 34-43, Col 3: 1-4
			St M	11.00am	Allan Muir (VM)	John 20: 1-9
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Available on Request St Mary's (St M) Blessed Sacrament Chapel: Open Daily 7.30am to 7.30pm						

We remember those who have asked for our prayers in March: Dave Child, Wanda Parker-Lockwood, Maureen Ruddick, Martin Goodwin, Eileen Whalen, Pat Scott, Grace Robson, O Robson, Lisa Stimpson, Mary Smith, Peter Goodwin, Betty Briggs, Catherine & Ricci Hudson-Storey, Sheila Clarke, Win Brown, Paul Coogan, Rose & Tim Madden, Jacky Armstrong, Les Flintham, S Butler.

Anniversaries: Anna Bradley, Dorothy Robinson, Maureen Harvey, Maureen Manning, Winifred Wells, Matthew Greely, Mark Barnet, John Cox, Alan Hails.

Once More we are supporting the Masasi Community in Central Africa by purchasing our palms from them.

Retiring Collection TODAY helps to support the Catholic Community in the Holy Land, which is experiencing great hardships at this time. (Holy Places).

The Easter Triduum: This comprises three services that form <u>one continuous liturgy</u> from Holy Thursday through to Holy Saturday. The Church asks that parishioners participate in <u>all three parts</u> of the one service. Why not come along and share in the experience of the *Triduum* this year?

Watching at the Altar of Repose in St Oswin's will take place after Mass on <u>Holy Thursday evening until</u> <u>9.00pm</u>, and will conclude with night prayer.

Stations of the Cross will be celebrated on <u>Good</u> Friday at 10.00am at St Oswin's. **Parish Pizza & Quiz evening** will be held on <u>Friday</u> <u>26th April 6.30pm</u> in St Mary's church hall. Adults £5, children £1. (*Please bring your own drinks*). Tickets available today. Any prizes for the raffle gratefully received

New Gift Aid Envelopes can be collected as you leave church from today. *If you no longer have a tax liability, please advise Michael Cassidy, the chair of parish finance.*

The Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: Unfortunately, due to lack of numbers, it is not possible to organize a group booking. Parishioners are always free to make a booking themselves via the diocesan website.

APF Red Mission Boxes: The Spring quarter is now due. Please bring your box and leave at the back of church and collect the following Sunday or contact your collector. *Thank you.*

Please return your CAFOD Family Fast Day Envelopes as soon as possible.

Lenten Alms for St Cuthbert's Care: You can find out how best to support this charity by visiting <u>www.stcuthbertscare.org.uk</u> A collection plate is available at the back of church for your donations.

Bishop Stephen will celebrate the Chrism Mass at the Cathedral at 11.00am on Holy Thursday. All welcome.

Palm Sunday Gospel for Personal Reflection

Mark 11:1-10

As presented by St Mark the demonstration takes place outside the city, 'close by the Mount of Olives', and brings to the surface the tragic misunderstanding between the 'people', who believe in the near coming of the kingdom of their father David, and Jesus alone among his own.

When they were approaching Jerusalem, in sight of Bethpage and Bethany, close by the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two of his disciples and said to them, 'Go off to the village facing you, and as soon as you enter it you will find a tethered colt that no one has yet ridden. Untie it and bring it here. If anyone says to you, 'What are you doing?' say, 'The Master needs it and will send it back here directly.' They went off and found a colt tethered near a door in the open street. As they untied it, some men standing there said, 'What are you doing untying that colt?' They gave the answer Jesus had told them, and the men let them go. Then they took the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on its back, and he sat on it. Many people spread their cloaks on the road, others greenery which they had cut in the fields. And those who went in front and those who followed were all shouting, 'Hosanna! Blessings on him who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessings on the coming kingdom of our father David! Hosanna in the highest heavens!'



Question of the week

(for Further Personal Reflection on these Readings)

We are called to die to ourselves in love for others. How do you live that in your own life?

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