

Newsletter for EASTER 2019

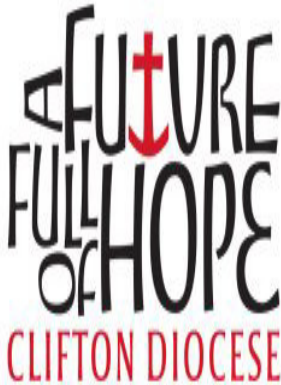
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SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION

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21st April 2019

Readings: Acts 10:34, 37-43; Colossians 3:1-4 Gospel: 'He must rise from the dead' (John 20: 1-9)



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Easter Mass Times

21st April	Sunday	Sunday of the Resurrection
8.00am	St Gregory	People of the Parish
8.15am	Sacred Hearts	Intentions Cassidy Geegan & Birmingham Families
9.00am	St Thomas More	J J Slevin RIP
9.30am	St Gregory	Audrey Almeida RIP
10.30am	Sacred Hearts	Philip Search RIP
11.00am	St Thomas More	For the Intentions of
11.15am	St Gregory	Fr David McDonald
4.15pm	Sacred Hearts	Mass in Polish
NO 6.00pm MASS AT ST GREGORY'S		
22nd	Monday	Monday within the Octave of Easter
9.30am	St Gregory	Private Intention
23rd	Tuesday	Tuesday within the Octave of Easter
9.30am	St Gregory	The Maycock Family RIP
7.00pm	Sacred Hearts	Health & Welfare of Jim & Mary Stevenson
24th	Wednesday	Wednesday within the Octave of Easter
9.15am	Sacred Hearts	Mrs Dorrie Henderson
9.30am	St Gregory	Tony, Bridget & Richard Costelloe RIP
25th	Thursday	Thursday within the Octave of Easter
NO 9.30AM MASS AT ST GREGORY'S		
9.15am	Sacred Hearts	Gill Labrum RIP
11.00am	St Gregory	Requiem for Paul Pearce RIP
NO 6.30PM MASS AT ST THOMAS MORE		
26th	Friday	Friday within the Octave of Easter
9.15am	Sacred Hearts	Successful operation & recovery (MM)
9.30am	St Gregory	School Mass
12.30pm	St Gregory	Wedding of Layla Farag & Louis Carr
27th	Saturday	Saturday within the Octave of Easter
9.15am	Sacred Hearts	NO MORNING MASS OR CONFESSIONS
9.30am	St Gregory	George Henry John RIP

28th	Sunday	Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)
5.00pm (Sat)	St Thomas More	Francie Young RIP
5.30pm (Sat)	Sacred Hearts	Di Paola Family RIP
8.00am	St Gregory	Lilian Bishop RIP
8.15am	Sacred Hearts	Michael Mullahy RIP
9.30am	St Gregory	Audrey Brooks RIP
10.30am	Sacred Hearts	People of the Parish
11.15am	St Gregory	Mass in Polish
4.15pm	Sacred Hearts	
6.00pm	St Gregory	
29th	Monday	Feast of Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin, Doctor of the Church, Patron of Europe
9.30am	St Gregory	The O'Hanlon Family RIP
10.30am	Sacred Hearts	Requiem for Lilian Bishop RIP
30th	Tuesday	Solemnity of Saint George, Martyr, Patron of England
9.30am	St Gregory	St Edward's School Mass
10.00am	Sacred Hearts	Weekday of Easter
1st	Wednesday	NO 9.300 MASS AT ST GREGORY'S
10.00am	Sacred Hearts	Catholic Women's League
12noon	St Gregory	Funeral Service for John Morgan RIP
7.00pm	St Gregory	Latin Mass
2nd	Thursday	Memorial of Saint Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor of the Church
9.15am	Sacred Hearts	Neil Herlihy RIP
9.30am	St Gregory	K.K. John RIP
3rd	Friday	Feast of Saints Philip & James, Apostles
9.15am	Sacred Hearts	Health & Welfare of Mona Daly
9.30am	St Gregory	Catherine Parry
4th	Saturday	Feast of The English Martyrs
9.15am	Sacred Hearts	Justice & Peace and Tom Flanagan
9.30am	St Gregory	Wedding of Natasha Mocko & Alex Corfield
12noon	St Gregory	

Finance

Last week's offertory collection came to £1074.36 (SG); £220.64 (STM); Bingo £160.0 (STM); Jericho £195.00. Thank you for your generosity & continued support.

EASTER OFFERING

Traditionally the Easter Collection, along with that at Christmas, are the only collections given to the Priest during the year and is an important way in which the parishes support the unsalaried priests of the diocese. Envelopes are on the tables at the back of Church.

2019/2020 Offertory Envelopes

The gift aid and non gift aid envelopes for 2019/2020 are ready for collection from the table at the back of SG's and the newspaper table at STM's. Thank you to all of you who give your offertory donations by gift aid; the tax relief we receive makes a huge difference to our parish finances. For every £1 donated we receive 25p back from Inland Revenue, and if you are a UK tax payer and do not already give your offertory donations by gift aid, please consider doing so and contact Ann Greenwood in the parish office.

Easter Music

The 11.15am Mass this Easter will take us to 18th Century Vienna with the "Little Organ Mass" of Franz Joseph Haydn (1732-1809) and an anthem "Dextera Domini" (The right hand of the Lord has triumphed) by his younger brother, Johann Michael Haydn (1737-1806). Organ music for the day will include the Bach Fantasy in A minor prior to the Mass and the popular Toccata from the Fifth Symphony of Charles-Marie Widor at the conclusion.

School Mass

We welcome all children and staff from St Gregory's School, to the 9.30am Mass on Friday, 26th April. Please remember them in your prayers.

Christian Arts Festival

An evening of music and stories awaits on Saturday, 27th April at 7.30pm, St Gregory the Great when Fire Springs Storytellers present, A Fair Field Full of Folk, as part of the Christian Arts Festival. See flyers for details. Tickets £10.50, book online christianartsfestival.org

Parish Office Easter Closure

Please note the Parish Office is now closed for the Easter break, and will re-open on Monday, 29th April at 10.00am.

Mass Times

Mass time Schedule is correct at time of going to press.



Where we are: Our Environment

Pope Francis' invitation in 'Laudato Si', asks us "to work with generosity and tenderness in protecting this world which God has entrusted to us". What might God be calling St Gregory's as a parish, and us individually to do now in response to the Holy Father's invitation? If you would like to join other parishioners in responding to this question, come to a meeting on Thursday, 25th April at 7pm in the Old Priory. Light refreshments will be provided.

St Gregory's School

We have recently upgraded our Interactive Whiteboards at school. Therefore have a number of Smartboards with projectors available for £50 per set. If you are interested in purchasing a Smartboard with projector, please contact Mrs Salcombe, School Business Manager at school on 01242 513659 option 2, or email sbm@st-gregorygreat.gloucs.sch.uk These will be sold on a first come, first served basis, and need to be removed from school before the 15th May.

Foster Carers in Gloucestershire

If you think you could help and support in any way, please see notice on board, or take a flyer from the table close to the entrance.

Our Prayers are asked for:-

Sick: We pray for all the sick of our parishes.

Deceased: Eileen Gleeson RIP.

Anniversaries: Thomas Wooding, Audrey Almeida, Margaret Snowden, Mary Farrell, Chris Kelly, Sir Herbert Livingston Duthie, Edna Groom, Daniel Barr, Patricia Simms, Eric Gautrey, Leonard Warwick, Michael Mullahy, Bridie Chaplin, Peter Haslock, Marie Flippance, Bryan May.

