



# NEWSLETTER

## THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

### WE REMEMBER ALL THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY:

Philip Sanders, Joy Bellekom.

### WE REMEMBER ALL THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES

**OCCUR AT THIS TIME:** James Davies, Sam & Emily Hays, Martin Halligan, Mrs Watts, Camilla Alexander, Michael Fitzgerald, Marguerite Wakefield, Edward Gay, Stanley Trott, Mary Crowther, John Steer, Alice Wrigley, Beatrice Duxberry, Eileen McNichol, Tony Raucki, Laurence Byrne, Linda Taylor, Raymond Charleston, Derek Gubb, Anton Hreszuk.

### AND THOSE WHO ARE SICK & HOUSEBOUND:

Paolo Tumaini, Anna Hradril, Penny Watson, Michael O'Connell, , Paul Thorpe, Maureen Hughes,

Margaret Smith, Anna Bingham, Mary Hutchings, Margaritha Gibson, Anne King, Graham King, Hazel Grimoldby, Sylvia Richardson, Jan Rimmer, Mavis Parsons, Marie Mackay, Trevor Nelson, Richard Fairfax, Roger Dore, Florencia Duga, Sandra Jones, Christopher Browne, Monica Spalding, Eveleen O'Farrell, Jane Tolfree, Angela Roberts, Carmel Allan, Sean Carroll, Martin Connolly, Bernadette Fiddaman, Joseph Hughes, Imogen Jenkins, Paul Jones, Riza Carol Khan, Monica Macauley, Esther Page, Lochlan Quinlan, Jane Randall, Sr Raymond SSJA, Michael Sigsworth, Vic Smith, Norman Surridge, Vera Terry, Mary Wallace.

### MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK:

Sat	13 <sup>th</sup>	5:30pm	St John Fisher	Third Sunday of Easter	Irene and Robert Helm RIP
Sun	14 <sup>th</sup>	8:00am	St George	Third Sunday of Easter	David Farrell RIP
Sun	14 <sup>th</sup>	9:15am	St George	Third Sunday of Easter	Roy Strickland RIP
Sun	14 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am	St Teresa	Third Sunday of Easter	Deceased Members of the Mcintosh Family
Mon	15 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am	St George	Weekday of Easter	CMBF
Tues	16 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am	St George	Weekday of Easter	Deceased Members of the Walker & Baron Families
Wed	17 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am	St George	Weekday of Easter	Andrew Walker RIP
Thurs	18 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am	St John Fisher	Weekday of Easter	Claude Page RIP
Thurs	18 <sup>th</sup>	12:30pm	St George	Weekday of Easter	Glorianita and Manuel Demegillo RIP
Fri	19 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	St Teresa	Memorial of St Alphege	Molly O'Brien RIP
Sat	20 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am	St George	Weekday of Easter	Stephanie Hunt (Brown) RIP
Sat	21 <sup>st</sup>	5:30pm	St John Fisher	Fourth Sunday of Easter	Kath Lavin and Maureen Goodman
Sun	22 <sup>nd</sup>	8:00am	St George	Fourth Sunday of Easter	Fr James Byrne RIP
Sun	22 <sup>nd</sup>	9:15am	St George	Fourth Sunday of Easter	People of the Parishes
Sun	22 <sup>nd</sup>	11:00am	St Teresa	Fourth Sunday of Easter	Patrick King RIP

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On 23 April we will be celebrating the Feast of St George, one of the patrons of our group of parishes. At St George's on 21 April, we will be having a parish brunch after the 9.15 Mass. We'll also be having joint vespers with St George's, Wilton at 4pm. On 23 April we will have our usual 9.30am Mass, where we will be joined by St George's School, but also an additional Mass at 7pm followed by another invitation for a meal in the parish centre. I've found that in each of the parishes that I've served in, I've grown in spiritual friendship with the patron saint of that parish. I hope that these opportunities will help us to grow in our spiritual communion with St George and in our friendship with each other. We'd love your ideas and suggestions as to how we might continue to build this friendship with the patron saints of our parishes and the identity they give us as parishes.

**FATHER TOM DUBOIS**

## **NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**LEARNING TO MEDITATE:** sessions with Laurence Freeman designed to help anyone who wants to learn to meditate. Maybe you're starting from scratch. Or you've done some meditation before in a different tradition. Maybe you meditate already and need to be reminded it's always about learning. 4 Wednesday Sessions from 17<sup>th</sup> April 7:30-8:30pm. Go to: <https://wccm.org/events/learntomeditate/>

**ST GEORGE'S PARISH FEAST DAY:** this Sunday 21 April, we will be having a celebration of our parish patron saint, with a bring and share brunch after Mass. To help with planning, if you're able to bring some food, please let us know by filling in the sheets at the back of the church, or call Richard Sprague on 07877 721 640.

**IMPACT:** our group for teenagers will meet again this Sunday 14 April from 5.30 to 7pm in St George's Rectory.

**CELEBRATING MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE:** Join the Bishop for Mass in the Cathedral as we celebrate the gift of Marriage and Family Life on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May 12 noon. All welcome. If you're celebrating a significant anniversary this year, newly married or looking forward to marriage in 2024 please contact [adult.education@cliffondicoese.com](mailto:adult.education@cliffondicoese.com) 0117 902 5595

**EPISCOPAL ORDINATION:** as there is limited space in the Cathedral, entrance to the ordination Mass for Bishop Bosco will be by ticket only. Each parish in the Diocese has been allocated two tickets. To make this as fair as possible, we are inviting parishioners to take part in a ballot. You can enter your details on the parish website until this Sunday, 21<sup>st</sup> April and we will then draw two names for each parish on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April.

**ADORATION CELEBRATION:** As we celebrate the second anniversary of perpetual adoration in our parishes, all are warmly invited to a Mass on Wednesday 24 April at 6.30pm, followed by a celebration in the Parish Centre. You are most welcome to come, even if you don't take part in adoration

**HERITAGE OPEN DAYS:** as we continue to plan for being part of the Heritage Open Days in September, we are having a second meeting on Thursday 18 April at 6.30pm. Anyone interested is very welcome to join us.

**CONFESSION TIMES:** At St George's: Sat 10am-10:30am; Thurs 12 noon -12:30pm  
At St Teresa's: Fri 9:30am -10am At St John Fisher: Sat 5pm-5:25pm

**ADORATION TIMES:** At St George Tues-Sun-6:30am-7:30am; Wed 6:30am-9:30am; Tue-Fri5-6pm; Thurs 12 -12:25pm; Fri 5:00am - midnight; Saturdays 10am-11am (Children's Holy hour);St John Fisher: Wed 3pm-7pm;Thurs10-12pm

## **NOTICES**

**Diocesan Prayer Link:** Religious Communities in the Diocese

**Standing Orders: 7/4/24**

St George: £1104.94 St Teresa: £185.57

**Offertory Collection: 7/4/24**

St George: £850.65 St Teresa:£302.60

**ST RICHARD OF CHICHESTER:** there will be a Mass on the 27<sup>th</sup> April at 3pm

**SECOND COLLECTION:** for the Clergy Training Fund next weekend 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> April.

**THE EUCHARIST:** a bond of love which can never be undone. To deepen your understanding of the Eucharist join Fr Michael McAndrew on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June at St Bernadette;s School, Whitchurch, Bristol. Please bring a packed lunch. <https://cliftoneucharist.eventbrite.co.uk>

**ST GEORGE'S DAY VESPERS:** 4pm, 21<sup>st</sup> April, in St Georges Church. As is our tradition we will be joining with St Georges Church, Wilton for this beautiful service of sung Vespers. This service will be followed by refreshments in the Parish Centre. Do come along and join in, you will be very welcome.

**LOURDES PILGRIMAGE 2024 is 23<sup>rd</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> August.** Details on the Diocese website/ 0117 902 5590

**SUMMER CAMP:** we are planning to take a group to the Fanning the Flame summer camp run by the Dominican Sisters of St Joseph. This is open to young people aged 11-21 and will take place from 19-23 August. If you would be interested, please contact the parish office.

**ITALIAN NIGHT:** at St John Fisher on the **20<sup>h</sup> April.**

**BRING AND SHARE:** St Teresa on the 14<sup>th</sup> April at 12pm

**FAIRTRADE:** available at St George's this weekend - 14<sup>th</sup> April and next weekend at St John Fisher on 20<sup>th</sup> and at St Teresa on 21<sup>st</sup>.

**PRAYER GROUPS: Charismatic Prayer Group:** 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays 7.00pm-8.30pm St. George's Church; 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wed 10am-11.30am St. George's Centre

**Mother's Prayer Group:** Every other Thurs 8-10pm St George's Centre

**Ignatian Prayer group:** Thurs 1-2:15pm 25<sup>th</sup> April

**Pray the Rosary:** Tues 6:15pm St George's Church