

## St Margaret Mary Church

### Dates for Holy Week, Easter and post-Easter

*Events in italics are off site.*



#### **HOLY WEEK**

Palm Sunday 6.30pm Vigil Mass with Blessing of Palms (24th March); 10am Mass 25<sup>th</sup> March.

Monday, 26<sup>th</sup> 11.30am *Chrism Mass in Our Lady & St Gregory, Warwick Street, Soho London for Ordinariate Clergy.* 7pm Mass and address.

Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> 9.15am Mass & address. 6pm Servers rehearsal

Wednesday, 28<sup>th</sup> 11am *Chrism Mass in Birmingham St Chad's Cathedral.* 7.30pm Mass and address

MAUNDY THURSDAY, 29<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 7.30PM MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER, FOOT WASHING AND PROCESSION TO THE ALTAR OF REPOSE, WATCH OVERNIGHT.

GOOD FRIDAY, 30<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, *11am Ecumenical Walk of witness from St Martin's Church, the Ring, Witton Lodge.* 2pm Stations of the Cross. 3pm DIVINE LITURGY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD. 2<sup>ND</sup> COLLECTION FOR HOLY PLACES

HOLY SATURDAY, 31<sup>st</sup> March, 11am 'Świecenie potraw Wielkanocnych' - the Polish Tradition of the blessing of baskets. All welcome. 11.40 Servers rehearsal. 8.30pm EASTER VIGIL, BLESSING OF THE EASTER FIRE, THE PASCHAL CANDLE, THE FONT AND RENEWAL OF BAPTISM, RECEPTION INTO THE CHURCH AND FIRST COMMUNION OF EASTER.



EASTER DAY, 1<sup>st</sup> APRIL 10AM MASS, BLESSING OF THE EASTER GARDEN. DISTRIBUTION OF EASTER EGGS.

9 April The Annunciation of the Lord (transferred from 25 March). 7pm Mass.

### **OTHER SIGNIFICANT DATES**

14 April 10am – 12 Noon St Margaret Mary Presbytery, Coffee morning in aid of John Taylor Hospice.

29 April Annual Parish Meeting, after the 10am Mass.

29 April *Rosary on the coast* ([www.rosaryonthecoast.co.uk](http://www.rosaryonthecoast.co.uk))

5 May *Birmingham Ordinariate trip to Worcester Cathedral.*

11 May 7.30pm *Charity night in aid of the St Margaret Mary Gallery at Oscott Social Club, B23 5LX.*

12 May 9am and 11am First Holy Communion Mass

19 May 9am First Holy Communion Mass.

20 May PENTECOST

8 June The Sacred Heart of Jesus. 9.15am Mass

16 June 12 - 3pm *'Spring into Summer' event at The Ring, Witton Lodge.*

30 June 12.30pm *Oratory Church of St Philip Neri, 141 Hagley Road, Birmingham B16 8UE, Ordination by Archbishop Bernard Longley of 8 Ordinariate priests to the priesthood, including Deacon Leonard Cox.*

Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> July Fr Leonard Cox first Catholic Mass 10am,  
followed by refreshments in the hall.

9 July 7pm Confirmation by Bishop Robert Byrne here.

21 July Ordinariate BBQ at the Presbytery. All welcome.

21-26 August *World meeting of Families in Dublin.*

7-9 September *Adoremus Eucharistic Festival in Liverpool*

15 September Festival of Fun 12-3pm, here and around  
Witton Lakes.

15<sup>th</sup> (Monday) October 7.30pm St Margaret Mary Festival  
Vigil Mass here: Preacher Fr Stephen Pimlott, Parish Priest of  
Sacred Heart & St Margaret Mary, Aston.

## **ST MARGARET MARY CHURCH**

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234216, working in collaboration with the Ordinariate of Our Lady of  
Walsingham

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Assumption, Maryvale.

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