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## EASTER II. Divine Mercy Sunday

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**Welcome to Mass.** Before Mass, *talk to God* During mass, *Listen to God.* After mass, *Talk to each other.*  
*Notices in italics - off-site. A hearing loop operates in this church in the centre of the nave. There are no refreshments after mass.*



### Today's Liturgy: 27

Psalm response: *Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, for his love has no end.*

Acclamation before the Gospel:  
*Alleluia (x4)*

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- \* The Archdiocese **Newspaper** Catholic Life is available from the back of Church.
- \* Readers please pick up your rota from the back of church.
- \* **Pope Francis'** prayer intention for April: That the Church may appreciate the urgency of formation in spiritual discernment, both on the personal and communitarian levels. \* **'Evangelium'** for Adults being prepared for Confirmation the next semester, begins on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May, 7.30pm-8.45pm. See Fr Simon if interested.
- \* **Adoremus** Eucharistic Congress 8<sup>th</sup> September in Liverpool. Sign-up sheet at the back. Cost is £45 but help is available if you really need help. \* **Divine Mercy** Booklets available at the back. \* **'Walk with Me'** Easter booklets, available at the back, 50p. \* **Ascension** Day has rightly been restored to its proper place, 40 days after Easter Day. Ascension Day Mass, 7.30pm on Thursday, 10<sup>th</sup> May.

**Figures from 1 April:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection for Holy Places: £153.97 Attendance: 350 (Vigil and Easter Day) 245 (Good Friday) and 360 (Polish blessing of baskets on Holy Saturday)

### THIS WEEK

Sat, 7<sup>th</sup> 6.30pm Vigil Mass.

Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY EASTER II.** 10am Mass. 11am Choir rehearsal. 12 Noon Baptism of Jacob and Jenson Mackeham. 12.45 Baptism of Kaiden Fletcher. 3.30pm Baptism of Noah Willetts.

Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> April. **THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD** 9.30am Mass at the Convent of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Maryvale. 7pm Mass (Myra Riordan RIP).

Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> April. 8.55am Rosary. 9.15am Mass (Deacon Thomas and all being ordained).

Wednesday, 11<sup>th</sup> April. 8.15-9.15am Adoration of the blessed sacrament. 9.15am Mass (David Haylings RIP). 1pm Funeral of Christopher Colgan RIP.

Friday, 13<sup>th</sup> 9.15am Mass (Mary McGloughlin RIP).

Saturday, 14<sup>th</sup> **Coffee morning** for John Taylor Hospice on 14<sup>th</sup> April at the Presbytery, 10-12 Noon.  
6.30pm Vigil Mass (Lily Cooper RIP).

Sunday, 15<sup>th</sup> **EASTER III.** 10am Mass with presentation of medals to servers

Baroness Nuala O'Loan's Conscientious Objection (Medical Activities) Bill is proceeding through Parliament. This Bill will protect medical staff from having to be involved in abortion-related activities and activities involving the withdrawal of medication, nutrition and fluids from patients at the end of life. This is an important Bill and further information about it, including how to contact your MP, can be found at <http://www.freeconscience.org.uk/>.