



**Welcome to Mass at  
St Margaret Mary,  
Perry Common**

**LENT IV**

**Mothering Sunday &  
Refreshment Sunday**

**22 March, 2020**

**Notices:**

**\*Follow daily mass on these websites (words for mass are at the bottom of this attachment)**

<https://www.wordonfire.org/daily-mass/> which is live at 8.15am or catchup. There is also a mass and other prayers and teaching on:

<https://www.ewtn.com/catholicism/daily-readings> this daily mass is at 8am

\* The Dowry of Mary - King Richard II dedicated England to Mary in a ceremony in the (then Catholic) Westminster Abbey in 1381. The historical understanding of England as "Mary's Dowry" is understood that England has been "set apart" for Mary. Pope St John Paul II said *"In England, the Dowry of Mary, the faithful, for centuries, have made pilgrimage to her shrine at Walsingham."* On **Sunday, 29th**

**March**, England will be rededicated to Our Lady. This will take place at **12 Noon**.

\*Advice from the Catholic Bishops in the wake of the spread of coronavirus (COVID-19) is now at the stage 2, which includes; 1) no holy water stoup 2) no physical sharing of peace 3) no hymn books 4) no passing of collection plate 5) encouragement for those who receive on the tongue to graciously receive on the hand.\* No refreshments.

\* We have had to postpone our Social evening on 1<sup>st</sup> May.

\* Congratulations to Paddy Shortall on his recent 90<sup>th</sup> birthday. Ad multos annos!

\*Prayers for the departed: Emilia Scott, Mary Kinsella, Pauline Mcalinden, Jon Paul Breakwell, George Parkes, Kathleen Toney, Joseph Foster, Mary Skillen, Bernard Chidzomba, John Moore, Dorothy Juffs, Carmela Capozzi, Daniel Hickmott, Silas Ihejirika, Shirley Preston, Margaret McIlkenney, Mark Davies, Alan Beet, John Francis Neary, Glendon Winter  
*Rest in Peace*

## Figures from last week

15/3/2020

Gift Aid: £365

Loose: £178.55

Attendance: 151

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**THIS WEEK:** Sat 21<sup>st</sup> March.  
10am Adult Catechesis in the  
Newman Gallery. Mass (George  
Parkes RIP) LENT IV. *Refreshment  
Sunday and Mothering Sunday.*  
Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> March Mass (Joyce and  
Leslie Anderson 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)

Monday, 23 Mar. Mass (Shirley  
Preston RIP)

Tue, 24 Mar. Mass (John Moore  
RIP). 10am Legion of Mary  
meeting.

Wednesday, 25<sup>th</sup> Mar. **THE  
ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD** Mass  
(George Parkes RIP)

Thurs 26<sup>th</sup> Mar. Mass (Mary  
Kinsella RIP).

Fri 27<sup>th</sup> Mar. Mass (Graham Kwei  
RIP).

Sat 28<sup>th</sup> March. Mass (Rosaleen  
O'Brian RIP). LENT V. Passiontide  
Sun 29 March Mass (Intention of  
Patrick and Sylvia Fitzgerald for  
Great Nephew).

12 Noon The Angelus and Act of  
Entrustment of England to our Lady.

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Working in collaboration with the  
Ordinariate of Our Lady of  
Walsingham and with  
Our Lady of the Assumption,  
Maryvale and Christ the King,  
Kingstanding.

## Following Mass this Weekend

*Introit: Hear us, O Lord have mercy upon us, for we have sinned against thee.*

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen**

The Lord be with you

**And with your spirit**

**Confiteor: I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.**

**Priest:** May Almighty God have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins and bring us to everlasting life. Amen.

**First reading: 1 Samuel 16.1,6-7,10-13** David is anointed King of Israel

**Psalm response:** *The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want*

**Second reading: Ephesians 5.8-14**

*Now you are light in the Lord*

**Gospel acclamation:** *Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ, king of eternal glory! I am the light of the world, says the Lord, anyone who follows me will have the light of life.*

**The Gospel: John 9.1-41** *Jesus heals the man born blind*

## Homily

**The Nicene Creed:** I believe in one God,  
the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all things visible and invisible.  
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the Only Begotten Son of God,  
born of the Father before all ages.  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, consubstantial  
with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us men and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
*and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate  
of the Virgin Mary, and became  
man.*

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,  
he suffered death and was buried,  
and rose again on the third day  
in accordance with the Scriptures.  
He ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### **Bidding Prayers**

#### **Offertory Hymn –**

1. The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want;  
He makes me down to lie  
In pastures green; He leadeth me  
The quiet waters by.
2. My soul He doth restore again,  
And me to walk doth make  
Within the paths of righteousness,  
E'en for His own name's sake.
3. Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale,  
Yet will I fear no ill;

For Thou art with me, and Thy rod  
And staff my comfort still.

4. My table Thou hast furnished me  
In presence of my foes;  
My head Thou dost with oil anoint,  
And my cup overflows.
5. Goodness and mercy all my life  
Shall surely follow me;  
And in God's house forevermore,  
My dwelling place shall be.

Pray Brethren that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the almighty Father

**All: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

**Sanctus:** Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The Mystery of faith. **All: We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your resurrection, until you come again.**

Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the

world. Blessed are those who are called to his supper of the Lamb.

**All: Lord I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

### **Final recesional hymn**

1. Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us  
o'er the world's tempestuous sea;  
guard us, guide us, keep us, feed us,  
for we have no help but thee,  
yet possessing every blessing  
if our God our guide shall be.

2. Saviour, breathe forgiveness o'er  
us,  
all our weakness thou dost know;  
thou didst tread this earth before  
us,  
thou didst feel its keenest woe;  
lone and dreary, faint and weary  
through the desert thou didst go.

3. Spirit of our God descending,  
fill our hearts with heavenly joy,  
love with every passion blending,  
pleasure that can never cloy;  
thus provided, pardoned, guided  
nothing can our peace destroy.