INTERCESSIONS FOR THE SICK AND THE DEPARTED

The parish intercessions for the month can be found on the parish notice board and website.

Pray for the sick and the distressed:

John Vine, William, Jeremy Page, Gill Pierse, David Kilpatrick, Shauna Campbell, Adelaide Haws, Bill Britton, Bruce Pullman, Nicole Connage, Frank Retief, Una De Witt, Flora Buchanan, Magda Pacok, Myfanwy Moran, Jose Tadeu Dias, Zareyah, Sylvie, Suzi Scott, Jean, Maria Melita Borres, Penny Howell, Eileen Hayward, Linda Elgharbawi, Robin Benson, Abdul Kareem Jassam, Manjola Krasniqi, Remy Daep, Phillip Irving, Alan Watson, Marie Anne van Niekerk, Lenora Hammond, James Dufficy, Colin Kilpatrick, Robert Burns, Rob Courtenay, David Noakes, Caroline Browne, Clifford Browne, Christopher Browne, Pete Cain, Francisco Soriano, Bill Troop, Roderick Leece, Paul Conrad, Philip Chester, Arthur Bendall, Philip Queripal, Gavin Spence, Heather Turner, Angela Uster.

Pray for all the recently departed, among them:

George William Martin, Annabel Ferrers, Charles Williams, Graeme Watson (Priest), Mary Evans, Valerie Noakes, Mercia Warden, Nigel Penney, Michael Macmillan, Ray Willett, Bernice Bushau, John Paul Bushau, Thomas Robinson, Alf Ratcliff, James Turner, Roy Griffiths, Gail Griffiths, Charles Wright, Phyllis Macgregor, Esbeth Netion, Arthur John Cunnington, Anna Rautalainen, Fr Colin Tolworthy, Jill Logan, James Reid.

YEAR'S MIND

Sunday 3rd May Charles Stilston Bright, Mary Brownlow, Edith Murray, Walter Biggar Blaikie, Robert Attwell

Monday 4th May Guy Biddulph Burridge, John Mugford, Emily Leggatt, Rita May

> **Tuesday 5th May** Edward Hoare, Florence Helen Emmett

Wednesday 6th May Edmund Clive Street, Emily Blanche Wainwright, Charles Stubbs, Moira Anderson, Sydney Marks, Colin Witts

> **Friday 8th May** Lilian Abbott, Mary Evelyn Hillman

Saturday 9th May Eva Branston, Margaret Mary Seeds

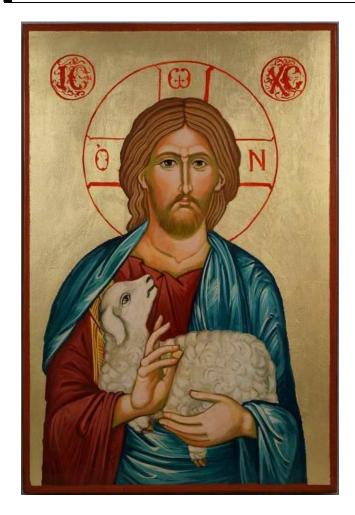
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St Cuthbert's Church Earl's Court, SW5

FAMILY MASS for Use at Home

Sunday 3rd May 2020 4th Sunday of Easter



To the glory of God and the benefit of all; Please make sure that your **MOBILE PHONE is** SWITCHED OFF. THANK YOU!



<u>Before mass speak to God in the SILENCE of your own</u> <u>heart.</u>

THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

The Introductory Rites help the faithful come together as one, establish communion and prepare themselves to listen to the Word of God and to celebrate the Eucharist worthily.

Greeting

ALL MAKE THE SIGN OF THE CROSS AS THE PRIEST SAYS:

PRIEST: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. *ALL:* **Amen.**

The Introit

The Priest says the Introit and introduces the mass of the day.

The merciful love of the Lord Fills the earth; By the word of the Lord The heavens were made, alleluia.

Call to penance

The Priest invites the faithful to the Penitential Act.

Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

A brief pause for silence follows. Please bow your heads and remember all the ways in which you have hurt God and those around you.

- *PRIEST:* You were sent to heal the contrite of heart: Lord, have mercy
- ALL: Lord, have mercy
- PRIEST: You came to call sinners: Christ, have mercy
- ALL: Christ, have mercy
- *PRIEST:* You are seated at the right hand of the Father to intercede for us: Lord, have mercy
- ALL: Lord, have mercy

Declaration of God's forgiveness

May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life. Amen.

Times Fr Paul will be offering Private daily Prayer & Mass on Behalf of Parishioners

Services this Sunday, 3 rd May:	9am	Morning Prayer
Fourth Sunday of Easter	10am	Prayers before
	the Blessed Sacrament	
	11am	Mass
	6pm	Evening Prayer
Tuesday 5 th May:	9am	Morning Prayer
Feria	6pm	Evening Prayer
	6.30pm	Mass
Wednesday 6 th May:	9am	Morning Prayer
Feria	6pm	Evening Prayer
Thursday 7 th May:	9am	Morning Prayer
Feria	6pm	Evening Prayer
	6.30pm	Mass
Friday 8 th May:	9am	Morning Prayer
Feria	6pm	Evening Prayer
Saturday 9 th May:	10am	Morning Prayer
Feria	10.30am	Mass
	6pm	Evening Prayer
Services next Sunday, 10 th May:	9am	Morning Prayer
Fifth Sunday of Easter	10am	Prayers before
	the Blessed Sacrament	
	11am	Mass
	6pm	Evening Prayer
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Useful resources on the internet

(links may also be found on our website): Further resources for private prayer and worship you should find useful are:

(1) Devotions before the Blessed Sacrament

(2) Stations of the Cross for Personal use

(3) When Mass cannot be said publicly

(4) The Prayer of Pope Francis when Holy Communion is not available to be received:

"At your feet, O my Jesus, I bow and offer you the repentance of my sorrowful contrite heart in its nothingness and Your holy presence

presence

I adore you in the Blessed Sacrament of your love, eager to receive you in the poor abode that my heart offers you. Waiting for the happiness of sacramental communion, I want to possess you in spirit.

Come to me, O my Jesus, for life and for death. May your love ignite my whole being, for life and death. I believe in you, I hope in you, I love you. Amen"

(5) **Universalis**, which includes readings for Mass, Morning Prayer and Evening Prayer <u>http://universalis.com/mass.htm</u>

A website by Fr Christopher Jamison providing thoughts and ideas for shaping the day when having to stay at home, drawing on monastic wisdom: <u>https://www.alonetogether.org.uk/</u>

The story of Holy Week told through 100 paintings: <u>https://www.christian.art/easter.php?utm_source=Christian+Art</u> <u>&utm_campaign=826a0315be-</u> <u>EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2020_04_03_12_27&utm_medium=email&</u> <u>utm_term=0_5c87526297-826a0315be-36905649</u>

The Great Litany stems from a form of prayer used amongst the first Aramaic-speaking Christians in Antioch (modern Antakya in Turkey). It descends to us through the Constantineopolitan and Roman Liturgies, brought to the British Isles by St Augustine of Canterbury and made famous in the Irish Stowe Missal. Here the Chaplain introduces the Litany during the time of the recent plague when our congregation is stuck at home. The Chaplain sings the words. Please do join in!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7dLZ3JhOuqo&feature=emuploademail

Help, guidance and encouragement for parishes has been posted by the Diocese of London

https://www.london.anglican.org/support/coronavirus-covid-19/.

For full and up-to-the-minute information about the Church of England and COVID-19 <u>https://www.churchofengland.org/more/media-</u>

centre/coronavirus-covid-19-guidance-churches.

Church of England resources are available for daily private prayer and worship <u>https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer</u> and-worship/join-us-service-daily-prayer

The Prayer of the Day

Let us pray.

And all pray in silence with the Priest for a while. Then the Priest says the prayer of the day.

Almighty ever-living God,

lead us to a share in the joys of heaven, so that the humble flock may reach where the brave Shepherd has gone before. Who lives and reigns with you

in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

one God, for ever and ever.

ALL: Amen

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

By hearing the word proclaimed in worship, the faithful again enter into the unending dialogue between God and the covenant people, a dialogue sealed in the sharing of the Eucharistic food and drink.

First Reading

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles (Ch.2: 14, 36-41)

On the day of Pentecost Peter stood up with the Eleven and addressed the crowd in a loud voice: 'The whole House of Israel can be certain that God has made this Jesus whom you crucified both Lord and Christ.'

Hearing this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and the apostles, 'What must we do, brothers?' 'You must repent,' Peter answered 'and every one of you must be baptised in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. The promise that was made is for you and your children, and for all those who are far away, for all those whom the Lord our God will call to himself.' He spoke to them for a long time using many arguments, and he urged them, 'Save yourselves from this perverse generation.' They were convinced by his arguments, and they accepted what he said and were baptised. That very day about three thousand were added to their number.

This is the word of the Lord. *Thanks be to God.*

Psalm

After the First Reading the Psalm is sung by the Cantor along with the response. The people then repeat the response.

CANTOR: The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

ALL: The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

The Lord is my shepherd; There is nothing I shall want. Fresh and green are the pastures Where he gives me repose. Near restful waters he leads me, To revive my drooping spirit.

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

He guides me along the right path; He is true to his name. If I should walk in the valley of darkness No evil would I fear. You are there with your crook and your staff; With these you give me comfort.

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

You have prepared a banquet for me in the sight of my foes. My head you have anointed with oil; My cup is overflowing.

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

Surely goodness and kindness shall follow me all the days of my life. In the Lord's own house shall I dwell for ever and ever.

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

Gospel

John 10: 1-10

ALL STAND to say the Gospel Acclamation to welcome the Gospel. They remain standing in honour of the Gospel reading, the high point of the Liturgy of the Word.

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my own sheep and my own know me. Alleluia!

PRIEST: The Lord be with you.

ALL: And with your spirit.

PRIEST: A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.*ALL:* Glory to you, O Lord.

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I look forward to seeing you all when can leave this period of isolation. We will need a great Mass of Celebration and party afterwards.

> Yours in Christ Fr Paul

He is Risen - He is risen indeed

The funeral of Charles Wright will take place at St Mary the Virgin, Horne, on Thursday 7 May at 3pm. Due to the current "lockdown" restrictions, only immediate family will be present. Fr Paul will be saying prayers for the soul of Charles at 3pm in the Church Garden, with appropriate social distancing being observed.

We also regret to announce the death of James Turner who died last week. Please pray for his family and friends. RIP.

Message from the Churchwardens and Father Paul

We hope and pray that you and your loved ones will remain healthy during this difficult time, where we have to find new ways to meet and worship.

One consequence of the "lockdown" is that church collections are no longer available. We are doing our best to save money (for example no longer heating the church) but we are doing our best to maintain the liturgy and music via video and sound recording, and we need to continue to pay the common fund, which covers clergy salaries and gives help for parishes that are more needy than ours.

We realise that some of you will be undergoing financial hardship, and your priority must be to get through this crisis, but some will be continuing to benefit from a salary or a pension. It has been possible for some time to plan giving to the Church via Standing Order, and so we are appealing for anyone who would like to and is able to continue giving to the Church during this crisis to do so in this way.

A Standing Order form can be obtained electronically from <u>admin@saintcuthbert.org</u> and returned to The Clergy House, St Cuthbert's Church, 50 Philbeach

Gardens,

London SW5 9EB We are truly grateful for any support you can give. Nicholas Green, Paul Hills, Father Paul.

A provisional date of Sunday 11 October has been set for the APCM, following the 11am Mass.

THE CONCLUDING RITES

The Concluding Rites send the people forth to put into effect in their lives what they have received

Blessing

PRIEST: The Lord be with you.

ALL: And with your spirit.

- PRIEST: May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.
- ALL: Amen.

Dismissal

Then the Priest says the following:

PRIEST: Go forth, the Mass is ended. Alleluia, Alleluia.*ALL:* Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.

Notices

Many thanks for all the Easter greetings and Easter cards sent to Fr Paul.

Thank you for the financial contributions to help keep the church running when we have had no collection.

Also many thanks for the anonymous gift of flowers for use in church – this was used at Easter.

An Easter Message from Fr Paul

Dear Friends in Christ

We need more than ever to keep each other in prayer and be reassured of our fellowship in Christ, our Risen and loving Saviour.

Perhaps we have understood more directly the lonely journey of suffering that our Lord undertook for us on the road to Calvary, for this has been a lonely and isolating Lent for us all.

I hope that the regular emails, the cards and the items posted on the Church website have helped you in this difficult and separated time.

The joy of Easter will not have the same feelings that we normally discover. We will miss the beautiful music and liturgies of Holy Week and Easter.

However I hope you feel upheld by the prayers of the Church and the Saints in glory.

Please keep in touch by phone, email or even by the old fashioned letter! You are very much in my prayers and thoughts. Jesus said:

'I tell you most solemnly, anyone who does not enter the sheepfold through the gate, but gets in some other way is a thief and a brigand. The one who enters through the gate is the shepherd of the flock; the gatekeeper lets him in, the sheep hear his voice, one by one he calls his own sheep and leads them out. When he has brought out his flock, he goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow because they know his voice. They never follow a stranger but run away from him: they do not recognise the voice of strangers.'

Jesus told them this parable but they failed to understand what he meant by telling it to them.

So Jesus spoke to them again:

'I tell you most solemnly,
I am the gate of the sheepfold.
All others who have come
are thieves and brigands;
but the sheep took no notice of them.
I am the gate.
Anyone who enters through me will be safe:
he will go freely in and out
and be sure of finding pasture.
The thief comes
only to steal and kill and destroy.
I have come
so that they may have life and have it to the full.'

PRIEST: The Gospel of the Lord.

ALL: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

ALL: Amen

The Prayer of the Faithful

The priest may introduce the time of prayer

Prayers are offered the following response may be used

READER: Lord in your mercy.

ALL: Hear our prayer

The Priest concludes the time of Prayer.

READER: Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord. ALL: And let light perpetual shine upon them

Following this we pray the "Hail Mary" together.

Hail Mary, full of grace the Lord is with thee, Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of the womb, Jesus. Holy Mary Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death.

Amen.

Prayer over the Offerings

Then the Priest says the Prayer over the Offerings,

Grant, we pray, O Lord, that we may always find delight in these paschal mysteries, so that the renewal constantly at work within us May be the cause of our unending joy. Through Christ our Lord.

At the end of which the people acclaim: Amen.

THE COMMUNION RITE

The Lord's Prayer

- *PRIEST:* At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:
- ALL: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
- PRIEST: Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

ALL: For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever.

PRIEST: Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: Peace I leave you, my peace I give you, look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever.

- PRIEST: The peace of the Lord be with you always
- ALL: And with your spirit.
- ALL: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

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Prayer of Pope Francis when Holy Communion is not available to be received

At your feet, O my Jesus, I bow and offer you the repentance of my sorrowful contrite heart in its nothingness and Your holy presence.

I adore you in the Blessed Sacrament of your love, eager to receive you in the poor abode that my heart offers you.

Waiting for the happiness of sacramental communion, I want to possess you in spirit.

Come to me, O my Jesus, for life and for death. May your love ignite my whole being, for life and death.

I believe in you, I hope in you, I love you.

Amen.

Communion Sentence

The priest says the communion sentence:

The Good Shepherd has risen, who laid down his life for his sheep and willingly died for his flock, alleluia.

Post Communion Prayer

PRIEST: Let us pray.

All pray in silence. Then the Priest says the Prayer after Communion:

Look upon your flock, kind Shepherd, and be pleased to settle in eternal pastures the sheep you have redeemed by the Precious Blood of your Son. Who lives and reigns For ever and ever.

ALL: Amen.