



Notices

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The Fourth Sunday of Lent (Mothering Sunday)

New English Hymnal

264 All things bright and beautiful! 161 For Mary, Mother of the Lord (St Botolph); 188 Ye who own the faith of Jesus; *communion*: 297 Lord Jesus Christ; *Recessional*: 186 Tell out, my soul (COGS only) *The Angelus is sung after mass at St Nicolas, page 18*

Diary

SUN 15th Sunday of Lent

9.00am Parish Mass (The Good Shepherd)
11.00am Parish Mass (S Nicolas)

Mon 16 Feria

8.45am Morning Prayer &
9.15am Mass (S Nicolas)

Tue 17 S Patrick, B, Patron of Ireland

8.45am Morning Prayer &
10.00am Mass (S Nicolas)

Wed 18 Feria

9.30am Morning Prayer &
10.00am Mass (The Good Shepherd)

Thur 19 S Joseph, husband of the BVM

8.45am Morning Prayer &
7.00pm Mass (S Nicolas)
7.30pm Lent Course (Parish Office)

Fri 20 12.00 Stations of the Cross (S Nicolas)

SUN 22nd Sunday of Lent

9.00am Parish Mass (The Good Shepherd)
11.00am Parish Mass (S Nicolas)

Intercessions

PRIEST: Confident in the Father's eternal and unconditional love for us, we turn to him with our prayers:

READER: For the Church, that its faithful proclamation of the Gospel, calling people to repentance, may be heard and heeded by all.

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For all world leaders that they will see that in the Gospel of Jesus Christ we have an unfailing guide.

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For all mothers and for those who share the gift of life with others. May each of us learn to be generous in sharing our lives.

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For the sick and the suffering, the homeless and the housebound, and for all who are bereaved, that they may know the comfort of Christ's love. For...

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For all those who have died. May they share in Christ's risen life. For...

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

In a moment of silence, we offer our own petitions.

We join our prayers with those of Our Blessed Mother:

Hail Mary...

PRIEST: God our Father, your Word Jesus Christ spoke peace to a sinful world and brought humanity the gift of reconciliation by the suffering and death he endured. Teach us, the people who bear his name, to follow the example he gave us. We make this prayer through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Please pray for:

The Sick: Irene Harman, Tracey Harman, Ryan Woolgar, Christine Smith, Phillip Jones, Tony Johnson, Susan Styles, Gordon Cubberley, Beverley Cubberley, Seema, David Greaves, Martin Fish, Mel, Marian Burke, Barbara Humnalova, Niall Griffin, David Reynolds, Bernard Copelin, Anne Harris, Terry Boxall

The Departed: Rebecca Holmes

Year's Mind: John Rankin Nimmo 15th, Rosemary Jackson 16th, Marjorie Bass 18th, John Fish 19th, Robert Jenkins 20th, Gwen Roberts 21st

Easter Lilies

If you wish to purchase an Easter lily in memory of a departed loved one, please take a form from the back of church. Forms must be returned by the 29th of March.

Spring Fayre

18th April. 11.00-2.30 Parish Centre. Stalls, Tombola and refreshments, Grand Draw tickets available now. Pam Sharp needs things for her village stall: pasta, tinned food, toiletries. If you'd like to book a stall, see Gill or Ann

