

Catholic Parish of St David & St Patrick, Haverfordwes

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Sunday 13th April 2025 – Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord			
Saturday Haverfordwest	12.04.25	6.00pm	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Vigil Mass – Harry Llewellyn (RIP)
Sunday Haverfordwest	13.04.25	10.00am	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Holy Mass – Iris Eardley (RIP)
Sunday Narberth	13.04.25	12.00pm	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Rosary – 11.30 am Holy Mass – People of the Parish & the Sick
Monday	14.04.25		NO HOLY MASS – MY DAY OFF
Tuesday Haverfordwest	15.04.25		Chrism Mass at St. Joseph's Co-Cathedral, Swansea All the Parishioners are invited to the Chrism Mass
Wednesday Haverfordwest	16.04.25	9.30am	Holy Mass – Iris Eardley (RIP)
Wednesday Narberth	16.04.25	4.00pm 4.30pm	Stations of the Cross Holy Mass – No given intention
Thursday Haverfordwest	17.04.25	7.00pm	MAUNDY THURSDAY Holy Mass – Archbp. Mark & all the Priests WATCH WITH THE LORD UNTIL 10.00PM
Friday Haverfordwest	18.04.25	10.00am 2.00pm 3.00pm	CHURCH OPENS FOR PRAYER SOLEMN STATIONS OF THE CROSS GOOD FRIDAY LITURGY
Saturday Haverfordwest	19.04.25	8.30pm	SOLEMN EASTER VIGIL - The Resurrection of the Lord Vigil Mass - People of the Parish and all the visitors
Sunday Haverfordwest	20.04.25	10.00am	EASTER SUNDAY-The Resurrection of the Lord Holy Mass – John Davies (RIP)
Sunday Narberth	20.04.25	12.00pm	EASTER SUNDAY-The Resurrection of the Lord Holy Mass – Personal Intention

REMEMBERING OUR DEAD... IN APRIL

Derek Arthur Huddleston (2000), Michael John Burke (2001), Peter Scudder (2004), John Icke (2005), Paul Grimwood (2005), George Cavill (2005), Nora Davies (2006), Terence Gerald Evans (2007), Harry Llewellyn (2008), Denis Daly (2008), John George Farnon (2008), Vanda Woods (2008), Isobel Alexandre (2008), Frank Murphy (2009), Paolina Walters Puglia (2009), Ivy Margaret 'Peggy' West (2009), Adele Tarquini Rencricca (2009), Anastasia 'Dolly' Roche (2010), Peter John Flynn (2011), Kathleen May Doncaster (2012), Theresa O'Sullivan (2013), Patricia Ann Elliott (2013), Michael Davies (2013), Kenneth Miles (2014), Charles Smith (2014), Patricia Gwyllm (2015), Terence Moore (2016), Mary Ann Gover (2016), Michael George Gwilliam (2016), Christian Reichsollner (2017), Charles Paul Lorimer (2017), Josephine Davies (2018), Catherine Anne Owens (2018), Barbara Ann Savigar (2018), Grahame David Daniels (2018), Robin David Brown (2019), Paul Edward Baker (2019), James Michael McConaghy (2019), Renato Rabaiotti (2020), Margaret Jane Knill (2021), Elizabeth Ann Brown (2021), James Patrick Riley (2021), John George Davies (2023), Frieda Jennifer Margaret Harrison (2023), William Maurice Branagh (2024) Sheila Gardener (2024), Clare Louise Hughes (2024)...MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.

JOURNEY WITH THE POPE

"We can ask ourselves: what is the glory I desire for myself, for my life, that I dream of for my future? That of impressing others with my prowess, my abilities, or the things I possess? Or the path of giving and forgiveness, that of the crucified Jesus, the way of those who never tire of loving, confident that this bears witness to God in the world and makes the beauty of life shine? What kind of glory do I want for myself? Indeed, let us remember that when we give and forgive, God's glory shines in us. Right there: when we give and forgive." **POPE FRANCIS**

CHRISM MASS

This year, the Chrism Mass will be held at St. Joseph's Cathedral, Swansea on Tuesday, 15th April at 11.30am. The bus will be leaving Rifleman's Field, Haverfordwest at 9.00am. The cost of the bus is £20.

ST. GEORGE'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

We are hoping to have a celebration for St. George's Day on Wednesday, 23^{rd} April 2025 with Mass in the parish and teas and coffees after the Holy Mass. We will also have a celebration at the lunch club on Thursday 24^{th} April and on Sunday, 27^{th} April after the Mass in the Parish Hall.

FLOWERS FOR EASTER

There will be a second collection for Easter flowers this weekend.

RCIA SCRUTINY

This weekend there will be a scrutiny of Christopher Stewartson who is a candidate for RCIA.

ASSISTED SUICIDE BILL

The important vote for all MPs on the assisted suicide legislation, known as the *Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill*, is likely to take place on 25th April. The charity Right to Life UK has a simple online mechanism to allow people to contact their Member of Parliament. It can be accessed here: https://righttolife.org.uk/asvote.

LENTEN BOWL

There will be a collection for the Lenten Bowl during the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Maundy Thursday. The Missal instructs that the collection of gifts and money today be for the poor (14). It is appropriate to include gifts collected during Lent as the fruits of penance.

APF COLLECTIONS FOR MARCH

The APF red boxes collection raised a total of £1026. A big thank you to all those who are red box holders.

EASTER OFFERINGS

Envelopes are now available for your Easter offerings for your parish priest. These can be returned at the Easter Masses.

THANK YOU NOTE FROM MISSIONARY SISTERS OF ST. PETER CLAVER

The Missionary Sisters of St. Peter Claver would like to thank you all for your generous donation of £477.80 during their Annual Mission Appeal. May God bless you all for your support.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND THE DEAD

Please keep in your prayers all those who are ill in the hospital or at home.

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of **Mrs Dorothy Iris EARDLEY** (Requiem Mass on Tuesday, April 22nd at 10.00am), **Alec Frank, Jaison Davies, and Margaret McBrearty** who died recently. Eternal rest, grant unto them, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen. If you wish to be prayed for, please let Fr Ramesh know, and he will add your name to the newsletter.

EASTER EGGS FOR PATCH

Thank you to everyone from Haverfordwest and Narberth who donated Easter eggs. They have now been delivered to PATCH in Milford Haven.

USED POSTAGE STAMPS

Used postage stamps can help charities raise funds to support their important work. Please retain any stamps you receive, cutting around them leaving one inch of the envelope all around the stamp and hand them into the sacristy. The stamps will be sent to 'Guide Dogs for the Blind'.

NOTICES FOR PORCHES AND THE PARISH HALL

If you would like to put any notices up in the church or in the parish hall, please ask Fr Ramesh first, otherwise they will be removed from the notice boards.

1st Reading - Isaiah 50:4-7

Responsorial Psalm - Ps 22(21):8-9. 17-18a. 19-20. 23-24.

Response – *My God*, *my God*, *why have you forsaken me?*

2nd Reading - Philippians 2:6-11

Gospel Acclamation – Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory. Christ became for us obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore, God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name. Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory

Gospel Reading - Luke 22:14 23:56

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