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Sunday 5th April 2026 - Easter Sunday - The Resurrection of the Lord

Saturday Haverfordwest	04.04.26	8.30pm	SOLEMN EASTER VIGIL – The Resurrection of the Lord Vigil Mass – People of the Parish, the Sick and the Visitors
Sunday Haverfordwest Narberth	05.04.26	9.00-9.45am 10.00am 12.00pm	EASTER SUNDAY–The Resurrection of the Lord Confession Holy Mass – God's blessings on Christine Chalker Holy Mass – Jack Murphy (RIP) 21st Anni
Monday	06.04.26		NO HOLY MASS - MY DAY OFF
Tuesday Haverfordwest	07.04.26	6.00pm	Holy Mass – Tranquilino, Evita Papagayo & Departed relatives (RIP)
Wednesday Haverfordwest Narberth	08.04.26	9.30am 6.00pm 6.30pm	Holy Mass – Margaret McBrearty (RIP) 1st Death Anni. Adoration & Confession Holy Mass – No Given Intention
Thursday Haverfordwest	09.04.26	9.30am	Holy Mass – Louie Johnson (RIP)
Friday Haverfordwest	10.04.26	9.00am 10.00am	Adoration and Confessions Holy Mass – No Given Intention
Saturday Haverfordwest	11.04.26	10.00am 10.30am-11.00am 5.15-5.45pm 6.00pm	Holy Mass - No Given Intention Adoration and Confessions SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER – Divine Mercy Sunday Vigil Mass – Jason & John Davies (RIP) Anni.
Sunday Haverfordwest Narberth	12.04.26	9.00-9.45am 10.00am 12.00pm	SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER – Divine Mercy Sunday Confession Holy Mass – Ignacia Abarca (RIP) Holy Mass – People of the Parish, the Sick and the Visitors

REMEMBERING OUR DEAD... IN APRIL

*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), Jason Arthur Shutt (2025), Margaret Mary McBrearty (2025), Bill Braithwaite (2026) ... **MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.***

FLORAL TRIBUTES:

You are welcome to book Floral Tributes

We would like to offer Floral Tributes for occasions such as birthdays, anniversaries, etc.

Please speak to Sharon – 07815462882 or a member of the Flower Group.

JOURNEY WITH THE POPE *“Every mission begins with that kind of self-emptying in which everything is reborn. Our dignity as sons and daughters of God cannot be taken from us, nor can it be lost, but neither can the affections, places, and experiences at the start of our lives be erased.”* **Pope Leo XIV**

THANK YOU NOTE

Thank you to all who helped to prepare the church and the liturgies during this Easter Season and over the past few months. I would especially like to thank the altar servers, the organists, musicians, choir, readers, Extraordinary Ministers, children's liturgy, catechists, church cleaners, the flower group, the collectors, refreshment group, hall committee, counting group, parish administrators, parish accountants, those who help with electronic media, gardeners, and to all of you who have helped in so many ways.

I wish you all a Happy and Holy Easter. Thank you for all your kindness and generosity to me. May God bless you, and I keep you all in my prayers.

A.P.F. RED BOXES

These are due to be emptied and counted this month. If you have a red box at home, please return it to Anne Hancock or to Fr Ramesh as soon as possible. Thank you.

ST. GEORGE'S DAY CELEBRATIONS



We are hoping to have a celebration for St. George's Day on Thursday, 23rd April 2026, with Mass in the parish and also have a celebration at the lunch club on Thursday, 23rd April and on Sunday, 26th April, after the Mass in the Parish Hall.

TEAS AND COFFEES

Following the conclusion of Holy Mass each Sunday, the parish hall will be open for tea and coffee. All individuals are cordially invited to join in this gathering, fostering a sense of community and shared joy.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND THE DEAD

Please keep in your prayers for all those who are ill in the hospital or at home. Also, pray for the dead, especially **Bill Braithwaite, who died on Wednesday Morning**, and all those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

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Collect

O God, who on this day,
through your Only Begotten Son,
have conquered death
and unlocked for us the path to eternity,
grant, we pray, that we who keep
the solemnity of the Lord's Resurrection
may, through the renewal brought by your
Spirit,
rise up in the light of life.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of
the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

R. Amen.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First reading: Acts 10:34a, 37-43

In those days: Peter opened his mouth and said: 'You yourselves know what happened throughout all Judea, beginning from Galilee after the baptism that John proclaimed: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power. He went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. And we are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree, but God raised him on the third day and caused him to appear, not to all the people but to us who had been chosen by God as witnesses, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. And he commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead. To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.'

**The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God**

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 118(117):1-2. 16-17. 22-23. R24

R. Alleluia

Give praise to the LORD, for he is good;
his mercy endures for ever.
Let the house of Israel say,
'His mercy endures for ever.'

R. Alleluia

The LORD's right hand is exalted.

The LORD's right hand has done mighty
deeds.

I shall not die, I shall live
and recount the deeds of the LORD.

R. Alleluia

The stone that the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone.

By the LORD has this been done,
a marvel in our eyes.

R. Alleluia

Second reading: Colossians 3:1-4

Brothers and Sisters: If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

**The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God**

Sequence: Victimae Paschali Laudes

Christians, to the Paschal Victim offer
sacrifice and praise.

The sheep are ransomed by the Lamb;
and Christ, the undefiled, hath sinners to
his Father reconciled.

Death with life contended:
combat strangely ended!

Life's own Champion, slain, yet lives to reign.
Tell us, Mary: say what thou didst see upon
the way.

The tomb the Living did enclose;
I saw Christ's glory as he rose!

The angels there attesting;
shroud with grave-clothes resting.

Christ, my hope, has risen:
he goes before you into Galilee.

That Christ is truly risen from the dead we
know.

Victorious king, thy mercy show!

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia. "Christ, our Passover
lamb, has been sacrificed;

let us therefore celebrate the festival in the Lord.” **Alleluia.**

Gospel John

20:1-9

On the first day of the week Mary Magdalene came to the tomb early, while it was still dark, and saw that the stone had been taken away from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, ‘They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.’ So Peter went out with the other disciple, and they were going towards the tomb. Both of them were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. And stooping to look in, he saw the linen cloths lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen cloths lying there, and the face cloth, which had been on the head of Jesus, not lying with the linen cloths but folded up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who had reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the Scripture, that he must rise from the dead.

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Prayer over the Offerings

Exultant with paschal gladness, O Lord, we offer the sacrifice by which your Church is wondrously reborn and nourished.

Through Christ our Lord. **R. Amen.**

Prayer after Communion

Look upon your Church, O God, with unfailing love and favour, so that, renewed by the paschal mysteries, she may come to the glory of the resurrection.

Through Christ our Lord. **R. Amen**

The Concluding Rites

Blessing

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

Bow down for the blessing.

May almighty God bless you through today’s Easter Solemnity and, in his compassion, defend you from every assault of sin.

R. Amen.

And may he, who restores you to eternal life in the Resurrection of his Only Begotten, endow you with the prize of immortality.

R. Amen.

Now that the days of the Lord’s Passion have drawn to a close, may you who celebrate the gladness of the Paschal Feast come with Christ’s help, and exulting in spirit, to those feasts that are celebrated in eternal joy.

R. Amen.

And may the blessing of almighty God, the Father, and the Son, ✠ and the Holy Spirit, come down on you and remain with you for ever.

R. Amen.

Dismissal

Then the Deacon, or the Priest himself, says:

Go forth, the Mass is ended Alleluia, Alleluia

R. Thanks be to God, Alleluia Alleluia



Happy Easter May This Day Bring
You Blessings of Love, Joy, Peace and Hope.
May It Linger in Your Heart Forever.

