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## Sunday 13 April 2025

Palm Sunday (Year C)



Carried C	hrist the Prince of Peace (Weybridge)
6000	PALM SUNDAY
Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> April Saturday of the Fifth Week in Lent	9:10 am The Rosary 5:00 pm Reconciliation (until 5:45 pm) 6:00 pm (Vigil) Evening Mass Paul Bahoshy R.I.P. And Alison Macdonald R.I.P.
Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> April Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord (Holy Week)	9:00 am Sunday Morning Mass Larry Bolger R.I.P. And Pat & Ann O'Donnell R.I.P.  10:30 am Sunday Morning Mass Brenda Frost R.I.P. And Jose Luis Macau R.I.P.  And Bill Toth R.I.P.  6:00 pm Sunday Evening Mass (Youth Mass) People of the Parish  (Distribution of Palms at all weekend Masses)
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> April Monday of Holy Week	9:10 am 10:00 am Morning Mass Sheila Alford R.I.P. Followed by Eucharistic Adoration until 12:00 noon
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> April Tuesday of Holy Week	9:10 am 10:00 am Morning Mass Deceased Relatives and Friends of the Parsons and Boyce Families And Deceased Relatives and Friends of the Meldrum Fallon and Parkinson Families Followed by Eucharistic Adoration until 9:00 pm
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> April 'Spy' Wednesday of Holy Week	9:10 am The Rosary 11:00 am Funeral Mass for Ann Wright R.I.P. NO Eucharistic Adoration And NO Midday Mass
Thursday 17th April Maundy Thursday	9:10 am The Rosary 8:00 pm Mass of Lord's Supper People of the Parish Followed by Private Prayer at the Altar of Repose until 10:00 pm
Friday 18th April Good Friday Day of Fasting and Abstinence	NO Rosary  10:00 am Walk of Witness starting at the Weybridge Methodist Church  Mayfield Road (KT13 8TB)  3:00 pm Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion
Saturday 19 <sup>th</sup> April Holy Saturday	9:10 am 3:00 pm Swieconka (Polish Blessing of Food) 8:30 pm The Solemn Vigil of Easter People of the Parish
Sunday 20th April EASTER SUNDAY	9:00 am Easter Morning Mass People of the Parish 10:30 am Easter Morning Mass People of the Parish NO Evening Mass

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### LIVE STREAMING

Please go to the parish website **www.cpp.org.uk/** to join us for live streamed Masses and prayers. You can also catch up on streamed Masses by going to our channel on YouTube *cpp weybridge* 

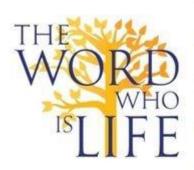


## Watch us on YouTube

The live streamed Mass this Sunday will be at 10:30. We also live stream Mass from Monday to Friday and the Rosary Monday to Saturday.

### The Pope's Prayer Intention for April

Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times.



Lord, the Word who is Life.

May all the people of our Diocese grow in openness
to the power of the Holy Spirit, so that through a growth in understanding and courage, and truly open to your call, we may bear powerful witness to all around us, for you are Lord for ever and ever.

Amen.



### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sunday 20 April – Easter Sunday

Sunday 27 April – *Divine Mercy Sunday* 

Friday 2 May – CAFOD lunch

Sunday 4 May – Children's Easter Garden Display (Church Hall)

Wednesday 21 May – Parish Golf Day for Momentum at Chobham Golf Course

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Monday after 10:00 Morning Mass until 12 noon; Tuesday After 10:00 Morning Mass until 21:00; Wednesday 11:00 for one hour before Mass at 12 noon; Friday 11:00 for one hour before Mass at 12 noon

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RECONCILIATION

Saturday 17:00 - 17:45

Parish Bank Details For Online Contributions

Name: RCD A&B CPP Weybridge

Sort Code: 40 - 05 - 20 (HSBC)

*A/C No:* **8107 7201** (RCD OF A&B CPP Weybridge)

Please put in a reference when contributing e.g. Weekly Collection, Mass Stipend, Candles (etc)

Parish Charity: **KIMBO** (Project Kimbo) **MOM** (Momentum).

Any queries, please e-mail: weybridge@abdiocese.org.uk

## Explore the goodness, truth, and beauty of the Faith

Your parish has gifted you with full access to the entire library of Word on Fire's feature-length films, and short engaging series through Word on Fire Digital.

Click on the image below to browse all titles and watch on-demand



Sunday, April 13, 2025
Palm Sunday of the Passion of our Lord | <u>Luke 22:14—23:56 (or 23:1-49)</u>

Friends, how dark are the readings for Palm Sunday! We read through Luke's Passion narrative, leaving out the good news of the Resurrection. To get to the bottom of this emphasis on suffering, to decipher its religious meaning, is to uncover the theological significance of this day.

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Do you remember the first time that life really knocked you around? It might have been an extraordinary failure; it might have been the first time you confronted real violence or real hatred; it might have been a massive disappointment; it might have been the death of someone that you loved.

This mess, this problem, bedevils all of us.

The biblical approach is clear: God sets about a rescue operation—the formation of a holy people Israel who would follow his commands, worship him aright, and thereby become a magnet to the world.

They would teach and show the way out of the dilemma.

He would form a people ready to receive him; he would gradually effect a unity between divinity and humanity; and one day, a servant of Yahweh would appear, someone despised and reviled by men. And this mysterious figure would solve the problem by bearing away the sins of the world, by carrying them off through his suffering.

Bishop Robert Barron



**Completing Initiation** 

Please keep in your prayers those adults and children who will be baptised, received into the church, or confirmed in this parish at Easter.

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### Youth Group

If you are aged 11-18, come along to the parish hall at *16:30 this Sunday 13 April* when lots of young people will be gathering for an activity, and to prepare for Mass in various ministries: welcoming, reading, singing and altar serving.

To find out more, please contact Jack Hudson on cppyouthleader@gmail.com

#### Chrism Mass

Bishop Richard will concelebrate the Chrism Mass at Arundel Cathedral with the priests of our Diocese on Wednesday 16 April at 18:00. During the Mass Bishop Richard will bless three holy oils, with diocesan priests renewing their promises of ordination to serve God and His people. The oils blessed during the Mass are that of the sick, of chrism, and of catechumens. These are used wherever there is a sacramental anointing, such as the anointing of the sick, the anointing of those about to be (or newly) baptised, or the anointing of priests. People are warmly invited to attend the Mass in person, or participate via the Cathedral **livestream** 



## **CPP Young Families Easter Garden Event**

### Sunday 4 May

Keep the Easter season alive by creating an Easter Resurrection Garden at home to bring along and display after 10:30 Mass in the Parish Hall on Sunday 4 May. Children and young people, your garden can be a solo project, or you could work as a family to visually represent Jesus' resurrection using natural materials such as moss, soil, flowers, stones and twigs with craft supplies. Simple and more elaborate designs are all welcomed. Refreshments will be served and all parishioners are invited to join CPP Young Families at the display. Any questions, contact **cppyoungfamilies@gmail.com**.

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## DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

27th April 2025

**Christ the Prince of Peace Catholic Church** 

Portmore Way Weybridge KT13 8JD - Celebrant Fr. Andrew Ebrahim S D B



2:30 pm

Eucharistic Adoration and Reconciliation

3:00 pm

Divine Mercy Chaplet

3:15 pm

Mass

"Lord, who reveals the Father's love by Your death and Resurrection, we believe in You and confidently repeat to You today: Jesus, I trust in You, have mercy upon us and upon the whole world."

(Saint John Paul II, Regina Caeli message prepared for Divine Mercy Sunday April 3 2005)

For further details, please contact wey.medi@gmail.com

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# A LITTLE GUIDE TO THE HOLY WEEK



## PALM SUNDAY

Jesus, amid the cheering crowd, rides on a donkey to Jerusalem





## **HOLY MONDAY**

Jesus visits his friends in Bethany and Mary anoints the feet of Jesus.





## HOLY TUESDAY

Jesus foretells the betrayal of Judas and the denial of Peter



## **HOLY WEDNESDAY**

Judas makes a deal with the high priests; he turns Jesus over for 30 silver coins



## **HOLY THURSDAY**

The Last Supper takes place. Jesus institutes the sacraments of the Eucharist and priesthood.



## **GOOD FRIDAY**

Jesus is sentenced to death by crucifixion. He died on the cross, and was buried in a tomb.



## **HOLY SATURDAY**

Jesus descends into the Abyss



## EASTER SUNDAY

Jesus rises from the dead!

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### The Sacred Triduum

Sundown on Holy Thursday to the Vigil Mass of Easter Sunday is considered the most solemn part of the liturgical year. This three-day period is referred to as the *Easter Triduum*, also known as the *Sacred Triduum*, or *Paschal Triduum*. The word "triduum" comes from the Latin word *triduum*, which comes from *tris* ("three") + *dies* ("day"). Basically, the Sacred Triduum is one great festival recounting the last three days of Jesus' life on earth, the events of his Passion and Resurrection. Though chronologically three days, they are liturgically one day unfolding for us the unity of Christ's life, death and resurrection.

For more details **click here** 

On Good Friday there will be a Special Collection for the Holy Places (sites associated with Jesus' ministry) in the Holy Land.



## Why do we cover our statues and crosses during Holy Week?

We use veils to alert us of the special time that we are in. When we walk into church and notice everything is covered, we immediately know that something is different. The Church uses veils to produce a heightened sense of anticipation for Easter Sunday. This is further actualized when you attend daily Mass and see the veils each day. You don't want them to be there because they are hiding some very beautiful images. Therein lies the whole point: *the veils are not meant to be there forever.* The images need to be unveiled; it is unnatural for them to be covered. The unveiling before the Easter Vigil is a great reminder of our own life on earth. We live in a "veiled" world, in exile from our true home. It is only through our own death that the veil is lifted, and we are finally able to see the beauty of everything in our lives.



### Walk of Witness

This year's Good Friday Walk of Witness will begin at 10:00 from **Weybridge Methodist Church** Mayfield Road (KT13 8TB).

We'll walk quietly behind the cross to Monument Green for a reading from the Gospel and a hymn.

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### **Easter Collection**

If you would like to contribute to this annual collection, you can contribute online:

Sort Code **40** - **05** - **20** (HSBC)

Account No. 8107 7201 (RCD of A&B CPP Weybridge)

Please put in the reference **Easter Collection**.

Or you can contribute by using the gift aid envelopes available in the Narthex.



Many thanks to everyone who supported the Friends of the Holy Land Wooden Crosses Appeal last weekend. Enough money was raised to buy over 300 olive wood crosses for the housebound, and for those in prison or in hospital.

**Many thanks** to all who supported the Cafod lunch recently (helping with the food, raffle prizes and attending). With your generosity we raised £471.00 for Cafod.

Please note the next Cafod lunch is Friday 2nd May, all very welcome.



### Swieconka

The Polish Traditional blessing of food will take place on Holy Saturday 19 April at 15:00 in the church.

