

ST. PAUL'S ANGLICAN CATHEDRAL

MOTHERING SUNDAY
(FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT)
Sunday 22 March 2020

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Collect: God of compassion, whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary, shared the life of a home in Nazareth, and on the cross drew the whole human family to himself: strengthen us in our daily living that in joy and in sorrow we may know the power of your presence to bind together and to heal; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

1st Reading: Exodus 2:1-10

Psalm 34:11-20

2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 1:3-7

Gospel: John 19:25b-27

Post Communion: Loving God, as a mother feeds her children at the breast, you feed us in this sacrament with the food and drink of eternal life: help us, who have tasted your goodness, to grow in grace within the household of faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

THE ANNUNCIATION
OF OUR LORD TO THE
BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
Wednesday March 25

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Collect: We beseech you, O Lord, pour your grace into our hearts, that as we have known the incarnation of your Son Jesus Christ by the message of an angel, so by his cross and passion we may be brought to the glory of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

1st Reading: Isaiah 7.10-14

Psalm 40.5-11

2nd Reading: Hebrews 10.4-10

Gospel: Luke 1.26-38

Post Communion: God most high, whose handmaid bore the Word made flesh: we thank you that in this sacrament of our redemption you visit us with your Holy Spirit and overshadow us by your power; strengthen us to walk with Mary the joyful path of obedience and so to bring forth the fruits of holiness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Services and Readings:

Morning Prayer Evening Prayer

Sunday 22 March <i>Mothering Sunday</i> <i>Lent 4</i>	No public worship in the Cathedral	
	Psalm 31.1-16 Micah 7 James 5	Psalm 19 Isaiah 43.1-7 Ephesians 2.8-14
Monday 23 March	No public worship in the Cathedral	
	Psalms 70 77 Exodus 2:11-22 Hebrews 9:1-14	Psalms 25 28 Jeremiah 17:5-18 John 9:18-end
Tuesday 24 <i>Walter Hilton of Thurgarton, Augustinian Canon, Mystic, 1396; Paul Couturier, Priest, Ecumenist, 1953; Oscar Romero, Archbishop of San Salvador, Martyr, 1980</i>	No public worship in the Cathedral	
	Psalms 54 79 Exodus 2:23-3:20 Hebrews 9:15-end	Psalms 80 (Eve of Annunciation) Wis of Sol 9:1-12 Galatians 4:1-5
Wednesday 25 <i>The Annunciation of our Lord to The Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	No public worship in the Cathedral	
	Psalms 131 146 Isaiah 52:1-12 Hebrews 2:5-end	Psalms 111 113 1 Samuel 2:1-10 Romans 5:12-end
Thursday 26 <i>Harriet Monsell, Founder of The community of St. John the Baptist, Clewer, 1883</i>	No public worship in the Cathedral	
	Psalms 53 86 Exodus 4:27-6:1 Hebrews 10:19-25	Psalm 94 Jeremiah 19:1-13 John 10:22-end
Friday 27	No public worship in the Cathedral	
	Psalm 102 Exodus 6:2-13 Hebrews 10:26-end	Psalms 13 16 Jeremiah 19:14-20:6 John 11:1-16
Saturday 28	No public worship in the Cathedral	
	Psalm 32 Exodus 7:8-end Hebrews 11:1-16	Psalms 140 141 142 Jeremiah 20:7-end John 11:17-27
Sunday 29 March	No public worship in the Cathedral	
	Psalm 30 Lament. 3.19-33 Matthew 20.17-34	Psalm 86 Jeremiah 31.27-37 John 12.20-33

MONEY COLLECTED (BETWEEN 9-15 MARCH)

Thrift Shop 14 March €23.80 Offerings Sunday 15 March €85.14

NOTICES

St Paul's Anglican Cathedral Annual General Meeting on the 19th April.

**Dean Jeremy's Day off Fri 27 March
Curate Justin's day off Tue 24 March**

UPCOMING EVENTS / SERVICES

Mon 6 Apr 18:00 St Paul's Monthly meal for those in need
Sun 19 Apr 11:15 St Paul's Anglican Cathedral Annual General Meeting

Message from Dean Jeremy

As you may be aware, I returned early from my trip and I am now self-isolating in the Deanery. I am however available by telephone 22677897 or email jeremy.crocker@live.co.uk

As communicated by Archbishop Michael, there will be no public worship in the Cathedral, however regular daily offices of the church, as normally advertised, will still be said by a priest in the Cathedral. I fully concur with his decision and especially the sentiments he expressed. As you will understand this decision has not been made lightly. As always it is important that we all pull together as the Anglican community. We are of course keeping the situation under review and will pass on any further information as and when we have it.

I am very sorry to do this but hope to return to normal in the near future.

**DUE TO THE ONGOING SITUATION, THERE ARE NO WEEKLY
ACTIVITIES**

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