

MY DAY BY DAY Infant and Junior books for Easter are available in the Church porches. £1 each.

DIOCESAN DIRECTORIES available in the Church porches, £5 each.

CARITAS thought it would be helpful to give you an overview of Caritas's activity regarding the situation in Ukraine as we strive to support those in Ukraine who may want to come to the Diocese, and our parishioners who would like to help in some way. They have created, and will continue to maintain, a page on the Diocesan website in relation to the Diocesan guidelines and support for the people of Ukraine. If anyone would be interested, or who would like to learn more, about how they can help Ukraine, to get in touch with us here at the Caritas office on <https://northamptondiocese.org/ukraine/> or call 01604 434362 so that we can start to build a list of possible hosts and support groups in readiness and answer any questions you may have.

CRISIS IN UKRAINE Please continue to keep all those affected by this conflict in your prayers.
Loving God, we pray for the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them. We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices. We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need. May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world. Amen

PARISH OFFICE Yvonne, as Parish Secretary, will be working in the office on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, from 9.00am to 2.00pm. For all Parish matters please contact Yvonne via email on office.ourladyofpeace@northamptondiocese.org or you can telephone the Parish office on 01628 605764 and leave a message.

COVID There is still a risk associated with gathering for sustained periods in enclosed spaces and therefore we will continue to monitor our practices in the Churches to ensure we are as Covid secure as possible. **INSIDE CHURCHES WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO CONTINUE TO WEAR A MASK IF POSSIBLE.** *There will be no social distancing but please be sensitive to the needs of others around you. For those wishing to maintain social distance the right-hand side aisle (looking at the altar) will be reserved for this purpose. The sign of peace can be re-introduced, and holy water stoups filled up again.* We should continue to ensure there is good ventilation, balancing this against the need for church heating, especially at this time. If you experience any COVID-19 symptoms, stay at home. If you tested positive for COVID-19 and were in Church recently, stay at home and inform us immediately by calling 01628 605764 so that we can take the necessary steps. Thank you for your continued vigilance.

FINANCES We are extremely grateful, not only for your financial support, but also to the volunteers who help in so many ways.

Standing Order via donor's own bank: The information you require to make this donation is as follows: **Bank: NatWest. Sort Code: 60-06-11. Account Number: 46716203. Account Name: RCDN Our Lady of Peace. Payment Ref: Our Lady of Peace, Slough**

Standing Order through this link: <https://northamptondiocese.org/wp-content/uploads/GAD-general-June-18-v2-revision.pdf>

Donation Box now available in Our Lady of Peace for Mass intentions, offertory, donations, etc.

OLP/ST ANDREW'S NOW ACCEPTING CONTACTLESS DONATION You will find our new DIGITAL COLLECTION PLATE, contactless terminal in the Church. Just use your contactless debit/credit card or smart phone/ device to make a donation. Simply choose the amount you wish to donate and hold your card onto the reader. You can also opt-in for Gift Aid to increase your donation by 25%. If you are a UK taxpayer then donating with Gift Aid means that we can claim an extra 25p for every £1 received. Contactless donations are simple to administer, secure and convenient. Also look out for the DONATE HERE sign with



QR Code in the Church. Thank you.



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10TH APRIL 2022: PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION (YEAR C)

MASS CHANGES Please note the following Mass changes. There will be **NO** 9.30am Mass on Tuesday, 12th April, and **NO** 9.30am Mass on Thursday, 14th April, Mass on Thursday will be at 8.00pm.

DECEASED We have a number of funerals over the next few weeks. Please pray for:
Rita Almeida RIP who died recently, her Requiem Mass will be on Monday, 11th April at 1.15pm in Our Lady of Peace, followed by burial at Slough Cemetery.
Fr Patrick (Pat) Bailey RIP, Priest of our Diocese, who died recently. Fr Pat's body will be received into Our Lady of Peace at 6.30pm on Monday, 11th April, and his Requiem Mass will be on Tuesday, 12th April at 12.30pm, followed by cremation at Slough Crematorium.
Heinrich Albisser RIP who died recently, his Funeral will be on Tuesday, 3rd May at 2.30pm at Slough Crematorium
May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in peace, Amen.

CONFESSIONS OVER EASTER There will be Confessions heard in Our Lady of Peace on Saturday, 9th April from 4.00pm -5.30pm. Fr Anthony and Fr Marek will also be available for Confessions during Holy Week, please call the office to arrange.

PALM SUNDAY AND EASTER TRIDUUM SERVICES FOR OUR LADY OF PEACE AND ST ANDREW'S CHURCHES

Date	Service	Time	Location
9 th April	Vigil for Palm Sunday	6:00pm	OLP
10 th April	Palm Sunday	9:30am 11:30am	OLP St Andrew's
14 th April	Maundy Thursday	8:00pm	OLP
15 th April	Ecumenical Service Good Friday	10.00am 3:00pm 3:00pm	St Andrew's OLP St Andrew's
16 th April	Saturday Vigil	8:00pm	OLP
17 th April	Easter Sunday	9:30am 11:30am	OLP St Andrew's

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Saturday 4.00pm-5.30pm 6.00pm	9th April Our Lady of Peace Our Lady of Peace	PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION Confessions Frank & Margery Christian (O'Donnell); Dr Michael Gompertz RIP (Gompertz); Davies family RIP (Stewart);
Sunday 9.30am 11.30am	10th April Our Lady of Peace St Andrew's	PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION Joan O'Keefe & Nora Conroy RIP (Conroy); Sir David Amess RIP (Rosary Group) Fr Anthony & Fr Marek Intentions; Deacons Ted, Douglas & Navarro RIP (Kuthokathen); People of the Parish
Monday 9.30am 1.15pm	11th April Our Lady of Peace Our Lady of Peace	Families trapped in Poland/Belarus (Rosary Group); Andrew Int (Gawlik); Gerald Antao RIP (Kerry & Ryan); McCann Family Intentions (O'Donnell) Requiem Mass Rita Almeida RIP
Tuesday 9.30am 12.30pm	12th April Our Lady of Peace Our Lady of Peace	NO MASS Requiem Mass Fr Patrick (Pat) Bailey RIP
Thursday 9.30am 8.00pm	14th April St Andrew's Our Lady of Peace	MAUNDY THURSDAY NO MASS Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper
Friday 10.00am 3.00pm 3.00pm	15th April St Andrew's Our Lady of Peace St Andrew's	GOOD FRIDAY Ecumenical Service Good Friday Passion of the Lord Good Friday Passion of the Lord
Saturday 8.00pm	16th April Our Lady of Peace	HOLY SATURDAY EASTER VIGIL OF THE LORD'S RESURRECTION Allen Kuthokathen Intentions (Kuthokathen); Margaret Lawrence RIP (O'Shea)
Sunday 9.30am 11.30am	17th April Our Lady of Peace St Andrew's	EASTER SUNDAY Mary McMorrogh RIP (Goldberg); Angela O'Donnell RIP (O'Donnell) Special Intentions (Flynn); John Pace RIP (Family) People of the Parish

Join Live streaming of Masses on Facebook: [ourladyofpeacecatholicchurchburnham](https://www.facebook.com/ourladyofpeacecatholicchurchburnham) and YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCegtpwudlmz48G-m3gPNy4Q>

CONFIRMATION 2022 Final enrolments for the Confirmation programme which starts on 28th April. This year we have refreshed our programme, and are excited to engage and inspire our candidates with the new format. Bishop David will be celebrating the Confirmation Mass in October.

EASTER FLOWERS There will be a retiring collection in **Our Lady of Peace** for the flowers at Easter **THIS** weekend. Please be as generous as you can.

EASTER OFFERING Your Easter offering is your personal gift to your Parish Priest. There will be a retiring collection held on Holy Thursday for the work of the poor, and on Good Friday for the Holy Land Places. You can make your Easter offerings using the online donation facility on our main Diocesan website through InvestMyCommunity (link below). If you use this option, we ask that you **please indicate in the notes section which parish, including the parish name that you would like your donation to be attributed to i.e. Easter offering.** Please note that there is the facility to Gift Aid any donation to your Parish: <https://northamptondiocese.org/donate/>

PLEASE CAN YOU HELP with washing the Altar Servers Albs in time for Easter. With a few volunteers it will mean only a couple of Albs each! Please speak to Denise.

CHURCH CLEANING FOR EASTER If you can spare an hour or two to help clean the Church for Easter please come along on Saturday, 16th April from 9.00am. Hot cross buns and tea/coffee provided!!

TWO WEEK NEWSLETTER Next week's newsletter will be for two weeks, then back to weekly from the weekend 8th May 2022, the deadline for notices will be Thursday, 14th April by 12noon. Please email notices to Yvonne on office.ourladyofpeace@northamptondiocese.org or drop in the Presbytery door.

300 CLUB The 300 Club Spring draw took place during the Catholic Women's League meeting last week and the winners are: 1st Prize No 61 Noreen Sugrue wins £60. 2nd Prize No 87 Michael Sugrue wins £40. 3rd Prize No 25 Annie Ryan wins £25.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION For the weekend 3rd April amounted to £732.22. Donations from the contactless digital collection plate for March amounted to £340.43. Many thanks for your continuing support to the Parish.

SHEKHINAH PRAYER GROUP meet weekly on Wednesdays from 7.00pm to 8.30pm via Zoom. Catholic teachings on different topics and Lectio Divina (Praying the Scriptures) are handled on alternative weeks, on Wednesday, 13th April the topic will be Lectio Divina and Reflections, preceded by the Stations of the Cross, the Speaker will be Sis Natty. If you are interested in joining the group please contact Yvonne via email: office.ourladyofpeace@northamptondiocese.org and a link will be sent to you.

SPIRIT & LIGHT WORSHIP invite you on Friday, 22nd April to St Andrew's Church from 8.00pm to 9.00pm in thanksgiving for grace received. We will adore the Lord Jesus through Scripture, Music and Worship. Please call 07957 594646 for more information.

MASS FOR THE SICK 30th April, 3.00pm, livestream and Cathedral. Bishop David will celebrate a special Mass for the Sick on Saturday, 30th April at the Cathedral. This is specially for all our housebound, and we hope that they will be able to follow it on the Cathedral livestream via the Diocesan website: <https://northamptondiocese.org/live/>. There will be a downloadable Mass sheet so everyone can join in. All are also welcome to attend in person.