

Second Sunday of Easter 8th APRIL 2018

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Eight days later, Jesus came.

John 20:19-31



MASS TIMES and INTENTIONS 8th - 15th April 2018

Date	Feast	Time	Intention
Sun 8th Apr	Second Sunday of Easter	10.30am	Lawrence Morris 80 th Birthday (EM)
		5.30pm	People of the Parish
Mon 9 th Apr	Annunciation of the Lord	10.00am	Holy Souls
Tue 10 th Apr		10.00am	NO MASS
Wed 11 th Apr	St. Stanislaus	10.00am	Holy Souls
Thur 12 th Apr		11.45am	Requiem Mass: Belle Kennedy RIP
Fri 13 th Apr	St. Martin	10.00am	Eucharistic Service
Sat 14 th Apr		10.00am	Alan Archer (SVP)
Sun 15th Apr	Third Sunday of Easter	10.30am	Betty Bailey RIP
		5.30pm	People of the Parish

Confession after Saturday morning Mass (10.45am)

Children's Liturgy during Morning Mass on Sunday

Chapel Times of Adoration: Monday 9.00am-3.00pm; Tuesday 8.00am-3.00pm

Welcomers

8th Apr; Rose-Elaine; Ann
15th Apr; Rose-Elaine; Elsie

Mass Readers

1st Apr

10.30am Karen Clark

8th Apr

10.30am Michael Donnelly

Church Cleaners

Two weeks from 15th -28th Apr
Group (E)
Karen Clark; Elaine

Sanctuary Candle: 8th – 14th Apr

Church: Pat & Alan Archer

Chapel: Karen Clark

Lawrence Morris 80th Birthday

Sanctuary Candle: 15th – 21st Apr

Church:

Chapel: Pat Lewis

Private Intention

Communion Ministers

8th Apr

10.30am Kathleen Kelly; Pat Elliott;
Andy Hayes

5.30am Goff Ellis

15th Apr

10.30am Margaret Bayne; John Consterdine;
Joan Limer

5.30pm Anthony Blake

100+Club 1st Apr Winning No 117/123
(George Elliot/D. Elliott – Muriel Brodie)
Offertory Coll. 1st Apr £320.80
Easter Offering £159.00
Standing orders average £115 per week

1st Reading from the Acts of the Apostles 3:13-15,17-19

2nd Reading from the first Letter of St John 2:1-5

The Holy Gospel according to Luke 24:35-48

SPECIAL COLLECTION TODAY 8th APRIL for NBF

Times of Services: Mon: 10.00am Mass; Tues: NO MASS; Weds: 10.00am Mass; Thurs: 11.45am Requiem Mass; Fri: Eucharistic Service; Sat: 10.00am Mass; Sun: Mass 10.30am & 5.30pm.

SICK CLERGY: Please pray for Fr. James Doherty, Fr. Gary Dickson and Fr. Pat McKenna who are ill and Fr. Ian Hoskins, who is recovering from a heart attack and for all our clergy who are indisposed or incapacitated.

LAWRENCE MORRIS 80th BIRTHDAY: Lawrence, Elsie and family, would like to invite everyone to join them in the Church Hall, after Mass, today, for cheese and wine to celebrate Lawrence's 80th birthday. Very happy Birthday, Lawrence.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY: The Feast of Divine Mercy will be celebrated this afternoon, beginning at 2.00pm. The Divine Mercy picture will be honoured at about 3.00 pm. We will have Benediction, the Divine Mercy chaplet and Mass at 4.00 pm. Also, confessions since we will have two priests available. Please come along even if you can share only part of the afternoon with us. Refreshments will be served following Mass, in the Parish Hall. We are hoping for a very large attendance at this special celebration.

BELLE KENNEDY RIP: A few days ago our parish lost a lovely soul. Please pray for Belle Kennedy who is now with her God in heaven. Her funeral Mass will be held on Thursday, 12th April at 11.45am followed by cremation at Saltwell. We offer sincere condolences to Belle's family. May she rest in peace.

JAMES BIRNEY RIP: We regret to announce the passing of James Birney who died on 30th March and who was known to us all as Jim. We will miss his singing ability and we pray and believe that he is now strengthening the heavenly chorus. Jim's requiem Mass will be held on Wednesday, 18th April at 10.45 am followed by cremation at 12.00 noon. We offer our sincere condolences to his loving wife, Joyce, and to all their family. May he rest in peace.

ELLA CHARLES RIP: We also today regret to announce the death of Ella Charles who was a great supporter of St. Anne's and St. Oswald's parishes. We offer our prayers, thoughts and condolences to all her family. Sadly, Ella passed away over the Easter weekend. May she rest in peace.

THANK YOU to everyone who donated to the Easter Flowers; also to those who so generously donated to the flowers over the year. As per usual, the Church was beautifully decorated for our Easter celebrations and very many thanks are due to all who worked so hard to prepare for the Easter services.

PRAYER GROUP: The next meeting of the prayer group will be held on Tuesday, 24th April at 6.30 pm. We hope that many will make an effort to come along.

FAITH TALKS: These continue on Wednesdays at 6.30 pm. Who is making the tea??

PARISH BINGO: Very soon we are hoping to have a date to start our bingo sessions and hope that it will be well supported. Anyone like to help in arranging some chairs and tables??

PARISH PASTORAL GROUP MEETING: Please note that the next PPG Meeting has been moved to Thursday 26th April at 6.30pm in the Parish Hall. It is hoped that as many parish reps as possible will be able to attend.

MASS INTENTIONS: Please note that most people are asking that their mass intentions be said on a Sunday. At the moment there is a long queue, which means there will be a delay in fulfilling their requests, so I ask you for your patience in this matter.

LIAM NEESON (1952-): *Ballymena-born actor on stage and screen.*

When Anthony Hopkins met Neeson, he asked him how he was getting on in the movie world. "Well, I haven't been found out yet, boyo" Neeson replied.

HALL BOOKINGS can be made by telephoning Margaret 0191 487 8504, 487 5241, 482 2044
CHOIR PRACTICE is at 7.00pm every Monday and new members are always made most welcome.
THE LADIES GUILD meet every Monday at 8.00pm. New members are most welcome.
S.V.P. meet every Sunday morning before Mass (9.45am). New members are always made most welcome.
THE LEGION OF MARY meet every Tuesday morning at 10.45am in St. Oswald's.
SARDINE AND RICE COLLECTIONS on the first Sunday of each month. Thank you for your generosity.
HALL ACTIVITIES Mon 1.45pm 'Keep Fit'; Tues 7.30pm 'Slimming World'

