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We Welcome into the Church on this Special Night: Nick and Helen, Hollie and David and Andrea. We wish them a very blessed, joyful and Holy Easter.

Easter Offering: Easter is one of only two occasions in the year when the collection is specified to be for the Priest of the Parish. Special envelopes are available at the back of church.

Easter Walk With Me Books: Some of these are available in the church.

Easter Hamper Raffle: This will be drawn this morning. Thanks to everyone for their support and to the organisers. The hampers look wonderful!

Divine Mercy Sunday 27th April: Next Sunday is Divine Mercy Sunday. There will be devotions with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and confessions at St Peter's from 3pm to 4pm.

Fr David's Installation as Canon: St Chad's Cathedral, Tues 3rd June 12.15pm Gift Aid Envelopes for the new Tax Year commencing 6th April 2025 are in the Narthex - There are just a few left for collection. Please ensure you only use envelopes dated after 6th April for this current tax year.

Save The Date- Quiz Night Saturday 10th May at St Joseph's . Admission £4. Doors Open 6pm for eyes down at 6.30pm. Raffle in aid of Church Maintenance. Tea and Coffee Provided ,Bring your own Food and Alcohol.

Special Announcement: The arrival of Esther Mary, Rose and Niall's baby, who was born on 10th April. Our congratulations and best wishes to them all.

Alpha Course: On Monday 28th April and following Mondays, we are running a new Alpha Course which will start at 7.30pm in the Presbytery.

Foundation Governor Vacancies: Trinity Catholic School is seeking committed Catholics to join our Governing Body as Foundation Governors. This is a rewarding opportunity to support Catholic education and help shape the future of our school. You don't need to be an expert in education — just a practicing Catholic who values their faith and wants to help make a difference to the lives of our young people. For more information or to express interest, please contact: Chris Beaumont on 07745 649025 or cbeaumont@gov.magnificat.org.uk

A blessed and Happy Easter to you all and thank you to everyone who helped in any way to prepare for the Easter Services throughout this last week and to those who attended and took part in the liturgies.

St. Joseph's Parish Newsletter

20th April 2025 The Resurrection of the Lord



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Those we keep in our Prayers

Please Pray for the Sick of our Parishes as well as those who care for them

Maureen O'Sullivan, Edvige Giorgio, Marie Clare Banner, Sue Maher, Anne Kirby, Stephen Murphy, Fina Monastero, Mario Fasi, Eileen Hiorns

Anniversaries

Mick Long, Mary Ruby, Sarah Lamont, Robbie Burns, Paul Thacker, Angele Handford, Rita Maltby, Andrew Deasy

Recently Deceased

Cath Johnson and Clemency Jarvis

May they Rest in Peace and Rise in Glory

Our Lady's 7 Day Candle burns this week for



Marie and Dan Kelly RIP

Our Lady's 7- Day Candle:

Dates available: 22nd June, 20th July and from 10th August.

BOOKING A BAPTISM: Please collect a Baptism form after Mass and return it to Fr David, when you can discuss dates and other arrangements.

<u>Sacramental Preparation</u> for young people. Please see Fr David to register your interest for First Confession and Holy Communion (Yr 3 upwards) and Confirmation (Yr 6 and upwards)

CONFESSIONS: Usually 10.00am on Saturday mornings, 5.00pm on Sunday evenings (before Mass) or at other times on request. See the Mass Schedule.

<u>CHILDREN'S LITURGY</u> During term time this will take place during the 10am Sunday Mass, starting at the beginning of Mass.

Masses during the coming week

Sunday 20th April
The Resurrection of the
Lord

10.00am Mass: Fr Brian Boyle RIP

5.00pm Confessions

5.30pm Mass: People of the Parish

Monday 21st Easter Monday 9.30am Mass: Marian and Patrick Moran RIP

Tuesday 22nd

Easter Tuesday

9.00am Private prayer and Rosary Mass at St Peter's is at 10.00am

Wednesday 23rd
Easter Wednesday

Mass at Our Lady's is at 10.00am

Thursday 24th Mass at St Peter's is at 10.00am

Easter Thursday 6.30pm: Adoration

Friday 25th 9.30am: Sacred Heart Novena and Rosary

Easter Friday Mass at St Peter's is at 10.00am

Saturday 26th 8.30am: Adoration and Rosary Easter Saturday 9.30am Mass: Anna Rose Brough RIP

10.00am Confessions

Sunday April 27th Second Sunday of Easter 10.00am Mass: People of the Parish

5.00pm Confessions

5.30pm Mass: Marie and Dan Kelly RIP

Offertory Collection 6th April: 2nd Collection: Parish Maintenance Fur	Gift Aid Non Gift Aid nd	£111.75 £332.89 £177.77
Offertory Collection 13th April:	Gift Aid Non Gift Aid	£234.67 £379.75
Average Weekly Giving by Standing Order	Gift Aid Non Gift Aid	£413.38 £22.61

Piety Shop

Cards available for 1st Holy Communion & Confirmation

LIVESTREAMING: <u>ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH WHITNASH—YOU TUBE</u>

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