

CHRIST THE PRINCE OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Sunday 20 and 27 April 2025

Easter Sunday and Divine Mercy Sunday (Year C)



HE HAS RISEN!

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EASTER SUNDAY

Saturday 19 th April Holy Saturday	8:30 pm	The Solemn Vigil of Easter People of the Parish
<i>The Season of Easter</i>		
Sunday 20 th April EASTER SUNDAY	9:00 am 10:30 am	Easter Morning Mass People of the Parish Easter Morning Mass People of the Parish N.B. NO Evening Mass
Monday 21 st April Easter Monday (Bank Holiday)	9:10 am 11:00 am 12:00 noon	The Rosary Eucharistic Adoration Midday Mass Intentions of Duncan Watson
Tuesday 22 nd April Easter Tuesday	9:10 am 11:00 am 12:00 noon	The Rosary Eucharistic Adoration Midday Mass Intentions of Margy Lee
Wednesday 23 rd April Easter Wednesday	9:10 am 11:00 am 12:00 noon	The Rosary Eucharistic Adoration Midday Mass Deceased Relatives and Friends of the Simpson and Chandler Families And Harry & Diana Brand R.I.P.
Thursday 24 th April Easter Thursday	9:10 am 11:00 am 12:00 noon	The Rosary Eucharistic Adoration Midday Mass Intentions of Maya Watson And Simone Wilson R.I.P. N.B. NO Evening Mass And NO Medjugorje Prayer Group
Friday 25 th April Easter Friday No Abstinence today	9:10 am 11:00 am 12:00 noon	The Rosary Eucharistic Adoration Midday Mass Intentions of Dan & Liz Guinan
Saturday 26 th April Easter Saturday	9:10 am 5:00 pm 6:00 pm	The Rosary Reconciliation (until 5:45 pm) (Vigil) Evening Mass Susila Rita Muttiah R.I.P. And Intentions of Liam Doyle And Aggie Konieczny
Sunday 27 th April Second 'Low' Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)	9:00 am 10:30 am 3:15 pm 6:00 pm	Easter Morning Mass Paul Bahoshy R.I.P. And James (Jim) Leary R.I.P. Easter Morning Mass Intentions of Fr. Louie Kitt And Carlos Barrios R.I.P. And Teddy Gomez R.I.P. Divine Mercy Sunday Mass Esperanza Arambulo R.I.P. (Celebrant Fr. Andrew Ebrahim SDB) 2:30 pm Reconciliation And 3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet Evening Mass People of the Parish

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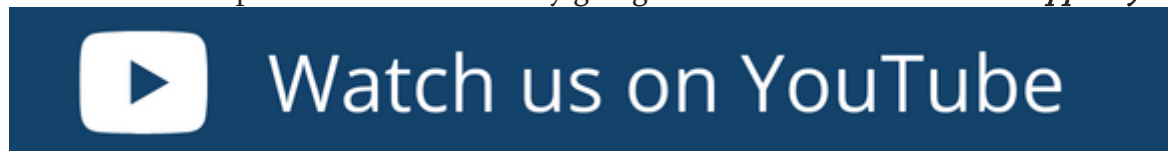
Second 'Low' Sunday of Easter

Saturday 26th April Easter Saturday	9:10 am The Rosary 5:00 pm Reconciliation (until 5:45 pm) 6:00 pm (Vigil) Evening Mass Susila Rita Muttiah R.I.P. And Intentions of Liam Doyle And Aggie Konieczny
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Monday 28th April St. George, Martyr, <i>Patron of England</i> (Solemnity)	9:10 am The Rosary 10:00 am Funeral Mass for Bill Toth R.I.P. N.B. NO Eucharistic Adoration 7:30 pm Confirmation: Meetings with Parents and Candidates (in the Church Hall)
Tuesday 29th April St. Catherine of Siena, <i>Virgin, Doctor,</i> <i>Patron of Europe</i>	9:10 am The Rosary 10:00 am St. Charles Borromeo 'Start of Summer Term' School Mass People of the Parish Followed by Eucharistic Adoration until 9:00 pm
Wednesday 30th April Wednesday after the Second Sunday of Easter	9:10 am The Rosary 11:00 am Eucharistic Adoration 12:00 noon Midday Mass James & Kathleen Clancy R.I.P. And Intentions of Anne Dive
Thursday 1st May St. Joseph the Worker	9:10 am The Rosary 10:00 am Funeral Mass for James (Jim) Donnelly R.I.P. 2:00 pm Grandmothers' Prayers (In the Canon Francis' room) 5:30 pm First Holy Communion: Session TEN 'Go in Peace' N.B. NO Evening Mass And NO Medjugorje Prayer Group
Friday 2nd May St. Athanasius, <i>Bishop, Doctor</i> (First Friday, Day of Abstinence)	9:10 am The Rosary 11:00 am Eucharistic Adoration 12:00 noon Midday Mass In Thanksgiving And James (Jim) Leary R.I.P. Followed by CAFOD Lunch (in the Church Hall)
Saturday 3rd May St. Philip and St. James, <i>Apostles</i>	9:10 am The Rosary 5:00 pm Reconciliation (until 5:45 pm) 6:00 pm (Vigil) Evening Mass People of the Parish

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](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCpPweybridge)



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.

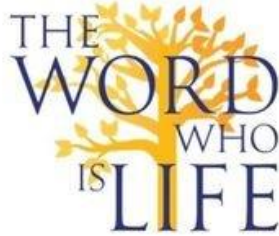
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Lord, the Word who is Life.
May all the people of our Diocese
grow in openness
to the power of the Holy Spirit,
so that through a growth
in understanding and courage,
and truly open to your call,
we may bear powerful witness
to all around us,
for you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



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sunday 27 April – *Divine Mercy Sunday*

Friday 2 May – *CAFOD lunch*

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

Monday 5 May – *Stations of Resurrection (after 10:00 Mass)*

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

Monday 9 June – *Talk on The Acts of the Apostles (Parish Hall)*

MASS AND EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mass will be celebrated at 12:00 noon Monday – Friday this week. Eucharistic Adoration will start at 11:00 each day and finish just before Midday Mass.

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

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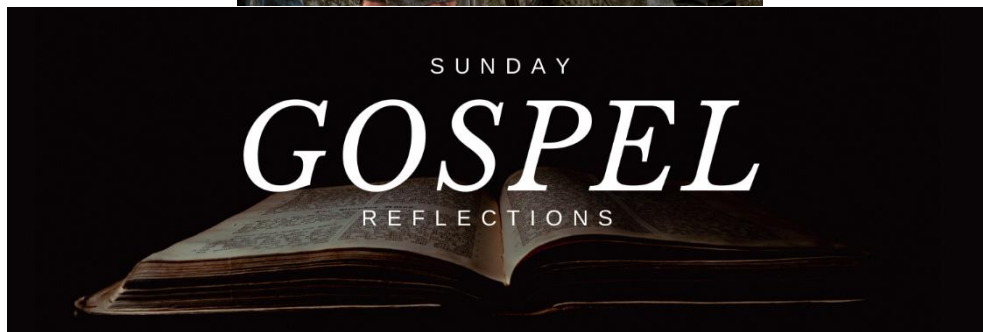
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Sunday, April 20, 2025 / The Resurrection of the Lord/ [John 20:1-9](#)

Friends, our Easter Gospel contains St. John's magnificent account of the Resurrection. It was, says John, early in the morning on the first day of the week. It was still dark—just the way it was at the beginning of time before God said “Let there be light.” But a light was about to shine, and a new creation was about to appear.

The stone had been rolled away. That stone, blocking entrance to the tomb of Jesus, stands for the finality of death. When someone that we love dies, it is as though a great stone is rolled across them, permanently blocking our access to them. And this is why we weep at death—not just in grief but in a kind of existential frustration.

But for Jesus, the stone had been rolled away. Undoubtedly, the first disciples must have thought a grave robber had been at work. But the wonderful Johannine irony is that the greatest of grave robbers had indeed been at work. The Lord says to the prophet Ezekiel, “I am going to open your graves, and bring you up from your graves.”

What was dreamed about, what endured as a hope against hope, has become a reality. God has opened the grave of his Son, and the bonds of death have been shattered forever.

Bishop Robert Barron

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Happy Easter to all our parishioners from Fr. Con and the parish team



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.



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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Stations of the Resurrection

We will pray the stations of Resurrection, in the Resurrection Garden, on Monday 5 May (Bank Holiday) after the 10:00 Mass.

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.medj@gmail.com

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The Exultet or Easter Proclamation

This is sung at the Easter Vigil Mass every year. This is an ancient and beautiful hymn of praise which captures the meaning of Easter. For the full lyrics [click here](#)

Here are a few lines -

*Exult, let them exult, the hosts of heaven, exult, let Angel ministers of God exult,
let the trumpet of salvation sound aloud our mighty King's triumph!*

*Be glad, let earth be glad, as glory floods her, ablaze with light from her eternal King,
let all corners of the earth be glad, knowing an end to gloom and darkness.*

*Rejoice, let Mother Church also rejoice, arrayed with the lightning of his glory, let this holy building
shake with joy, filled with the mighty voices of the peoples ...*



Confirmation

The next meeting for parents and candidates is on ***Monday 28 April at 19:30 in the Church Hall.***

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First Holy Communions and Confirmation 2025

We continue to keep in our prayers the young parishioners as they complete preparation for First Holy Communion and Confirmation. The Confirmation ceremony takes place at Arundel Cathedral on Saturday 10 May, and the First Holy Communion Masses will be celebrated at Christ the Prince of Peace on Saturday 17 May.

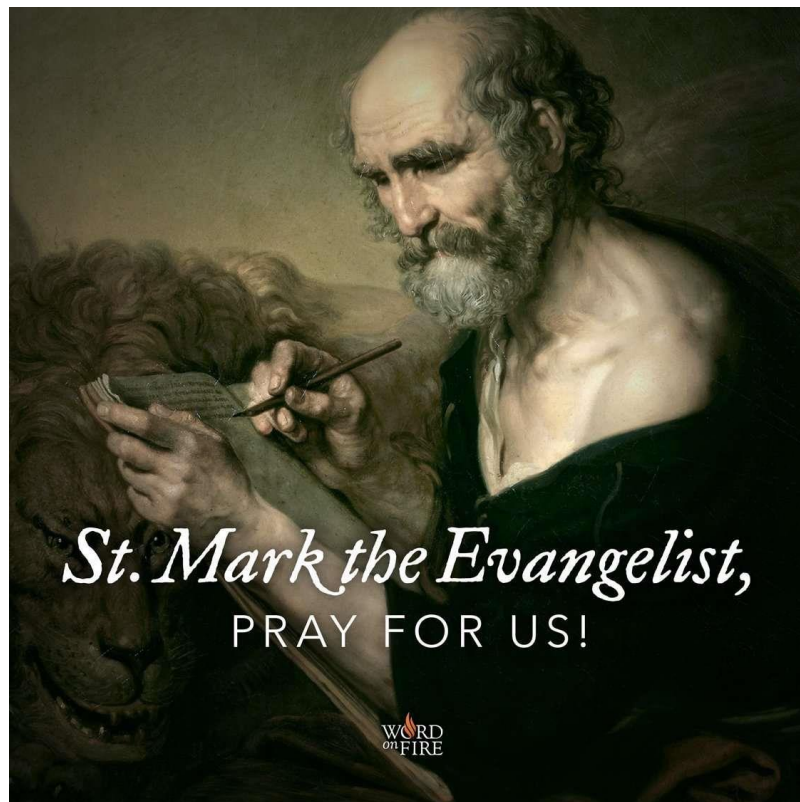
Baptism and Reception of Adults into the church

If you, or anyone you know, is interested in becoming a Catholic (*or perhaps you never received the Sacrament of Confirmation*

and would now like to receive the sacrament), please get in touch with Fr. Con or the parish office weybridge@abdiocese.org.uk

Baptism of Young Children

If you would like to have your child baptised, please get in touch with baptism team cppbaptism@gmail.com



St Mark the Evangelist

25 April

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Mark was a disciple of Simon Peter and wrote the Gospel based on Peter's preaching from Rome. He was a Jewish Christian and a cousin of Barnabas (Col. 4:10). Mark went on to establish the church in Alexandria, Egypt, becoming the first bishop of that city.

Mark wrote to persecuted Christians. The Roman emperor Nero scapegoated the Christians and tortured them. Mark wrote his Gospel in such a way that this new Church would be given hope and imitate the courageous witness of Christ.

Mark's Gospel is believed to be the first Gospel historically written and is the shortest of the four. One of his favorite words is *euthys* ("immediately"), found throughout the Gospel of Mark and showcasing the urgency and action of Jesus' mission. Mark's writing reminds us that Jesus is with us in suffering and never abandons us!

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[Check them out](#)



Our diocesan Pilgrimage takes hundreds of pilgrims to Lourdes each summer, answering Our Lady's call to prayer, healing, and community. Many pilgrims require help to make the journey, and it is the pilgrimage team's mission to ensure they make their pilgrimage safely, comfortably, and with dignity. To help make this possible, the Pilgrimage Office has put together a [Lourdes Pilgrimage Wishlist](#), which includes essential equipment and supplies which will directly support those who need the most care during the pilgrimage - some of the most urgently need items at present are shower chairs, pressure-relieving mattresses, thermometers, blood pressure monitors and bed rails. Launching the new Wishlist, Pilgrimage Director Alex Manko said: *"In Lourdes, we lean on one another – physically, emotionally, and spiritually. But to make this pilgrimage happen, we also rely on the generosity of others."*

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Your help will make a meaningful difference to those in greatest need. From all of us involved in the pilgrimage: thank you, in advance, for your kindness and generosity."

[Click here](#) to visit the Wishlist



Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes

25-31 July (air), 24 July-1 August (coach)

Applications are open for Helpers, Medics & Independent Pilgrims for this year's pilgrimage. Join more than 700 pilgrims of all ages, including those who need help to make their pilgrimage. **Click here** to apply

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)
- Reference **Easter Collection**

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



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Using their singing talents (in a karaoke challenge), taking on a 5k family run, fasting, walking the Camino, running a marathon, getting a group of friends together for a sponsored walk, hosting a coffee and cake morning – or even giving up coffee (!) ... these are just some of the many and varied ways parishioners are raising funds in support of our Year 3 objectives for Project Kimbo.

Now that the Spring weather is upon us, we are giving more parishioners the chance to participate in any way they can by extending the challenge through to the end of Easter on Pentecost Sunday 8 June. All proceeds will go directly towards addressing one of the most pressing needs of the community in Kimbo (in keeping with much of rural Uganda) – providing a better quality of education to more children. We will help provide teachers for the, recently opened, nursery and the primary school as well as funding bursaries for children to attend secondary school.



Please Support
**The Momentum Children's Charity
Golf Event**

Wednesday 21st May 2025
Chobham Golf Club
Starts at 1.00pm

£60
Per person

Price includes:

- Refreshments before the golf
- A round of Golf
- A light supper

Why not
sponsor a hole! **£50**
Per hole

First tee time **1.00pm**.
Supper served from **6.00pm** onwards.
Raffle with fantastic prizes!
Non golfers welcome for supper - **£15.00** per head

An individual Stapleford format with teams of 4 teeing off at 10-minute intervals. Prizes awarded to the winning individuals and team.

All proceeds go to **Momentum Children's Charity**.
To reserve your place please email cppmomentumwey@gmail.com.
Once you have reserved your place you will receive an email with details of how to make your payment


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