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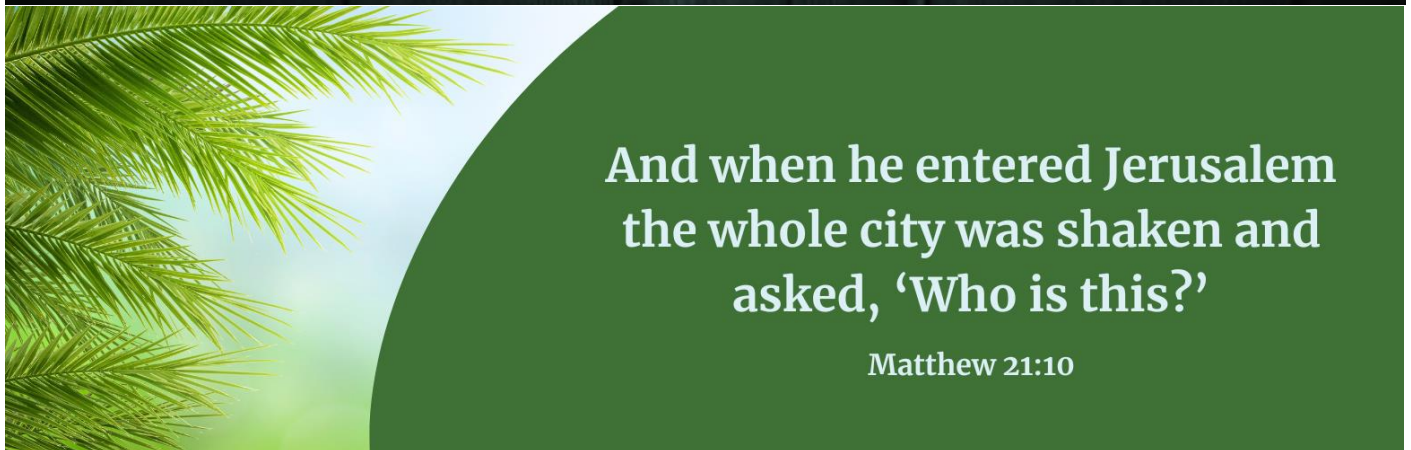
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## Sunday 29 March 2026

Palm Sunday of the Passion of The Lord



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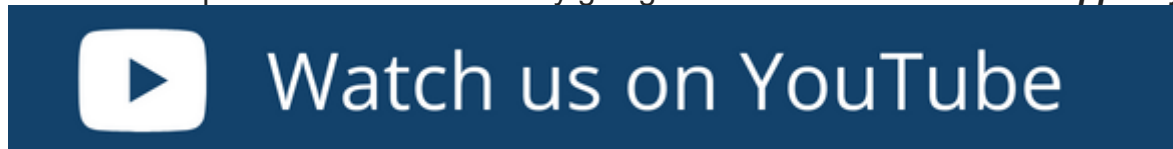
## Christ the Prince of Peace (Weybridge) Holy Week 2026

<b>Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> March</b> Saturday of the Fifth Week of Lent	<b>9:10 am</b> <b>5:00 pm</b> <b>6:00 pm</b>	<b>The Rosary</b> <b>Reconciliation</b> (until 5:45 pm) (Vigil) <b>Evening Mass</b> Ints of Vocations to the Priesthood and Josephine Mephram RIP
<b>Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March</b> <b>Palm Sunday</b> Holy Week Begins	<b>9:00 am</b> <b>10:30 am</b> <b>6:00 pm</b>	<b>Sunday Morning Mass</b> Jean Geering RIP <b>Sunday Morning Mass</b> People of the Parish <b>Sunday Evening Mass</b> Ints of Sue Thompson
<b>Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March</b> Monday of Holy Week	<b>9:10 am</b> <b>10:00 am</b> <b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>The Rosary</b> <b>Morning Mass</b> Pavlo Shyhynski RIP and Private Intention Followed by <b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> until <b>12:00 noon</b> <b>Parish Hall- Holy Week Movie Night- Pasolini's Gospel of Matthew</b>
<b>Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> March</b> Tuesday of Holy Week	<b>9:10 am</b> <b>11:00 am</b>	<b>The Rosary</b> <b>Requiem Mass</b> Alban Pentony RIP Followed by <b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> until <b>9:00 pm</b> <b>N.B – NO 10 am Mass</b>
<b>Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April</b> Spy Wednesday	<b>9:10 am</b> <b>11:00 am</b> <b>12:00 noon</b>	<b>The Rosary</b> <b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> <b>Midday Mass</b> Raymond Selby RIP [6:00 pm- Arundel Cathedral- Chrism Mass]
<b>Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April</b> <b>Maundy Thursday</b> THE SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM BEGINS	<b>9:10 am</b> <b>8:00 pm</b> <b>9:00- 10:00 pm</b>	<b>The Rosary</b> <b>Mass of the Lord's Supper</b> People of the Parish <b>Private Prayer at the Altar of Repose</b>
<b>Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April</b> <b>Good Friday</b>	<b>9:10 am</b> <b>10:00 am</b> <b>3:00 pm</b>	<b>The Rosary</b> <b>Walk of Witness- Begins here at CPP</b> <b>Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion</b>
<b>Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April</b> <b>Holy Saturday</b>	<b>9:10 am</b> <b>3:00 pm</b> <b>8:30 pm</b>	<b>The Rosary</b> <b>Swieconka (Polish Blessing of Food)</b> <b>The Solemn Vigil of Easter</b> People of the Parish
<b>Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April</b> <b>Easter Sunday</b>	<b>9:00 am</b> <b>10:30 am</b>	<b>Sunday Morning Mass</b> People of the Parish <b>Sunday Morning Mass</b> People of the Parish <b>N.B- NO EVENING MASS</b>
<b>If you would like to receive the parish weekly newsletter by e-mail; Please sign up via the parish website: <a href="http://www.cpp.org.uk/">www.cpp.org.uk/</a></b>		<b>All Weekday Masses, The Rosary (Monday to Saturday) and Medjugorje Prayer Group (Thursday Evening) will be 'Live Streamed'</b> As will the <b>10:30 am Sunday Morning Mass.</b> <b>Please go to the parish website and click on 'Parish Live Stream'</b>

### LIVE STREAMING

Please go to the parish website [www.cpp.org.uk/](http://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.

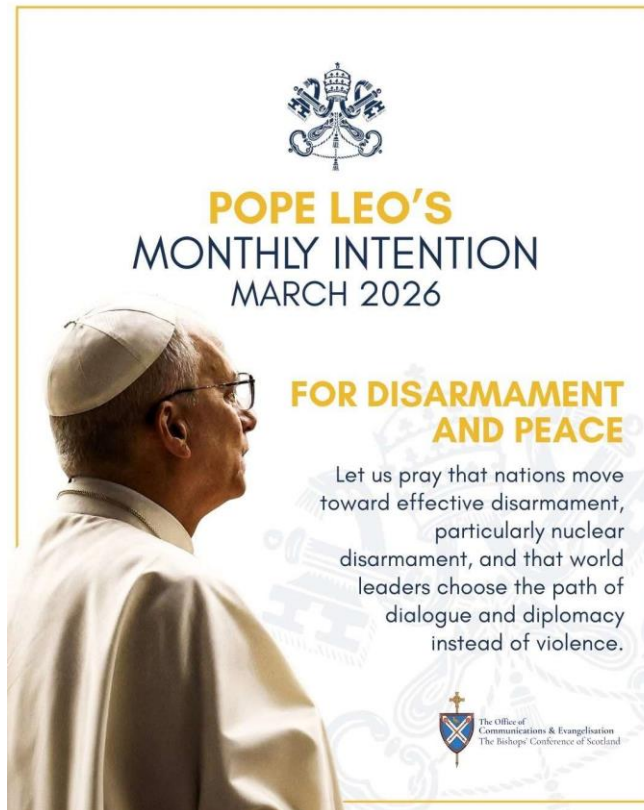
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## Pope's Prayer Intention for March

*For disarmament and peace.*

Let us pray that nations move toward effective disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament, and that world leaders choose the path of dialogue and diplomacy instead of violence.

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday **CLOSED**

Tuesday **09:30 to 14:30**

Wednesday **CLOSED**

Thursday **09:30 to 14:30**

Friday **09:30 to 14:30**

If you need to contact the parish office, for example to request a Mass intention, ask for copy of a certificate etc., please always email the parish office [weybridge@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:weybridge@abdiocese.org.uk).

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**Monday 30 March** - Holy Week Film Night: Pasolini's Gospel according to St Matthew

**Tuesday 31 March** - 11am Requiem Mass for Alban Pentony +

**Spy Wednesday 1 April** - Noon Mass as usual at CPP; 6pm Chrism Mass at Arundel Cathedral with Bishop Gerard Bradley

**Maundy Thursday 2 April** - Mass of the Lord's Supper 8pm

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**Good Friday 3 April** - Walk of Witness at 10am; The Lord's Passion at 3pm

## **Holy Saturday 4 April**

*St Barnabas Molesey* - Reconciliation 11am to 4pm

*All Saints Hersham* - Reconciliation 5pm

CPP - Swieconka Polish Blessing of Food 3pm

CPP - Solemn Easter Vigil 8.30pm

**Easter Sunday 5 April** - Masses at 9 and 10:30am; **Please Note No Evening Mass on Easter Sunday**

**Easter Week** - Weekday Masses at noon preceded by Adoration

**Sunday 12 April** - Divine Mercy Sunday

**Saturday 18 April** - Diocesan Marriage Catechists and Ambassadors' Formation Day at CPP

**Friday April 24** - Funeral of Alfredo Portelli 11am

## **ADORATION TIMES**

***Mondays after Morning Mass until 12:00 noon***

***Tuesdays after Morning Mass until 21:00***

***Wednesdays and Fridays at 11:00 until Midday Mass at 12:00 noon***

## **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)

Any queries, please e-mail: [weybridge@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:weybridge@abdiocese.org.uk)

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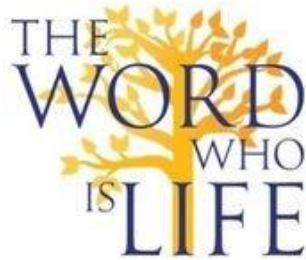
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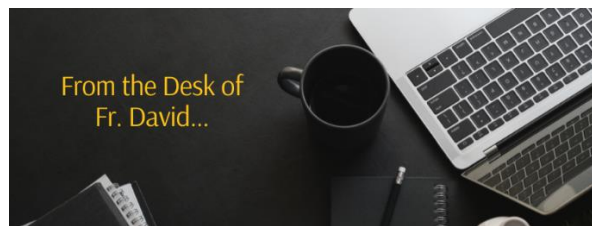


THE  
WORD  
WHO  
IS  
LIFE

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.



## Send a Prayer Request



On Palm Sunday, we remember Jesus' entry into Jerusalem—humble, riding on a donkey. I have always loved that image of the donkey—simple, patient, probably unaware of the great significance of the moment. Yet, God chooses the humble things to carry His glory—just as He chooses each one of us.

There is a lovely old tradition about that donkey. It is said that after carrying Jesus into Jerusalem, the donkey noticed how the crowds cheered and waved palms. The next day, thinking the praise was for him, he walked back into the city alone—but no one noticed. Confused and a little saddened, he returned home. Only then did he realise: the honour was never his—it belonged to the One he carried. And in gratitude, he bowed his head before Jesus. From that day on, a shadow in the shape of a cross was said to rest across his back—a quiet reminder that true glory comes from carrying Christ, not from seeking attention for ourselves.

In our readings, we hear Isaiah speak of the suffering servant (Isaiah 50:4–7), and St Paul reminds us of Christ's self-emptying love (Philippians 2:6–11). Then, in the Passion (Mark 14:1–15:47), we move from the cries of "Hosanna" to the stillness of the cross. The journey begins with palms, but it leads us into the deeper mystery of Holy Week.

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As we begin this sacred journey, may we learn from that humble donkey—to carry Christ faithfully, not for recognition, but out of love. And in doing so, may we discover that it is in humility, in quiet service, and even in suffering, that we come closest to Him.

*Fr David*

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PASSIONTIDE HOLY WEEK 2026

 **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March** Reconciliation Service  
6:00pm

 **Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March**  
Palm Sunday

 **Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March** Holy Week Film Night  
Pasolini's Gospel According to Matthew  
7:00pm

 **Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April – Spy Wednesday**  
Chrism Mass at Arundel Cathedral  
6:00pm

 **Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April – Maundy Thursday**  
Mass of the Lord's Supper 8:00pm

 **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April – Good Friday**  
Walk of Witness 10:00am  
The Lord's Passion 3:00pm

 **Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April – Holy Saturday**  
Solemn Easter Vigil 8:30pm

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April – Easter Sunday**  
Masses: 9:00am  
10:30am  
No Evening Mass

*“ We adore you, O Christ, and we bless you,  
because by your holy Cross you have redeemed the world.”*

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## Holy Week Films

The Diocese has created three short films to accompany people across our family of faith through Holy Week. The films are presented by Canon Kieron O'Brien from the Catholic Parish of Brighton & Hove; Canon Jonathan Martin, Diocesan Administrator and parish priest of St Pancras, Lewes; and Fr Jonathan How, Moderator of Guildford Catholic Parish.

In the first film Canon Kieron O'Brien introduces Holy Week, highlighting the importance of reflection and prayer and the invitation to contemplate, at a deep level, the foundational mysteries of our Faith. You can watch an introduction to Holy Week here: [vimeo.com/1176144932](https://vimeo.com/1176144932)

In the second film, Canon Jonathan Martin explores the Good Friday Liturgy; Jesus' self-offering on the Cross for the love of us, the "immense goodness of God", and the veneration of the Cross as an act and expression of our love. You can watch Good Friday's film here: [vimeo.com/1176142344](https://vimeo.com/1176142344)

The third film, presented by Fr Jonathan How, explores the wonder of the Easter Vigil as the greatest celebration in the Church's year, highlighting that we are made in the image of God, and are not only witnesses to the Resurrection but also, "sharers in The Word Who is Life." You can watch film 3 on the Easter Vigil here: [vimeo.com/1176140606](https://vimeo.com/1176140606)

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## **Prayers Please**

Please continue to pray for health and healing for Fr Sebastian 🙏

## **MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE 2026**

**25 Sept – 2 Oct 2026 From Gatwick**

£789 (single room supplement £150). **Fr Chris Spain will be chaplain** on this Pilgrimage. Insurance not included. It is organised by Marian Pilgrimages and includes luxury coach transfer, half board accommodation and full religious programme with group leader Nicki on 07753 661 791 <https://marian-uk.com>.

**PILGRIMAGE** To Santiago de Compostela, 9-16 June. Join us for this 8-day spiritual journey. Pilgrims will walk the 100km at their own pace. This journey will take you through beautiful landscapes, historic churches, and significant religious sites, culminating at the magnificent Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela. Contact St Erconwald's Parish office on 07494 749 833 for more information or **visit the website** for more details.

**"THE MAN WHO LEFT THE TITANIC"** On 18 April in the Esher Parish Rooms, "The man who left the Titanic" will be performed by the Isosceles theatre group at 7:30pm, (doors open for refreshments 7pm). Tickets are £25 and are available from the Parish Office [eshher@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:eshher@abdiocese.org.uk) Cash or contactless. Or pay online using reference "Theatre/your surname". Profits will go to Kingston Churches Action on Homelessness (KCAH)

**Euan Carlisle will be received into the Church and confirmed this Easter here at CPP**, shortly before setting off on another adventure: a 320km walking pilgrimage on the Camino Primitivo to Santiago de Compostela to raise funds for the **diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage**, and enable pilgrims who need help with the cost access vital subsidies. The Diocese was able to offer 260 subsidised pilgrimage places last year, giving those who might not otherwise be able to go, an enriching experience of faith and joy. Funds raised by Euan will help the pilgrims who need it most. You can connect to Euan's JustGiving page and read more about the challenge and his journey of faith **here**.

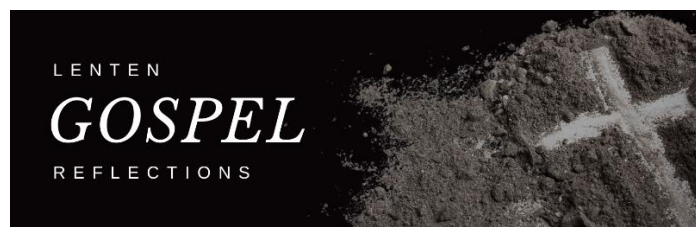
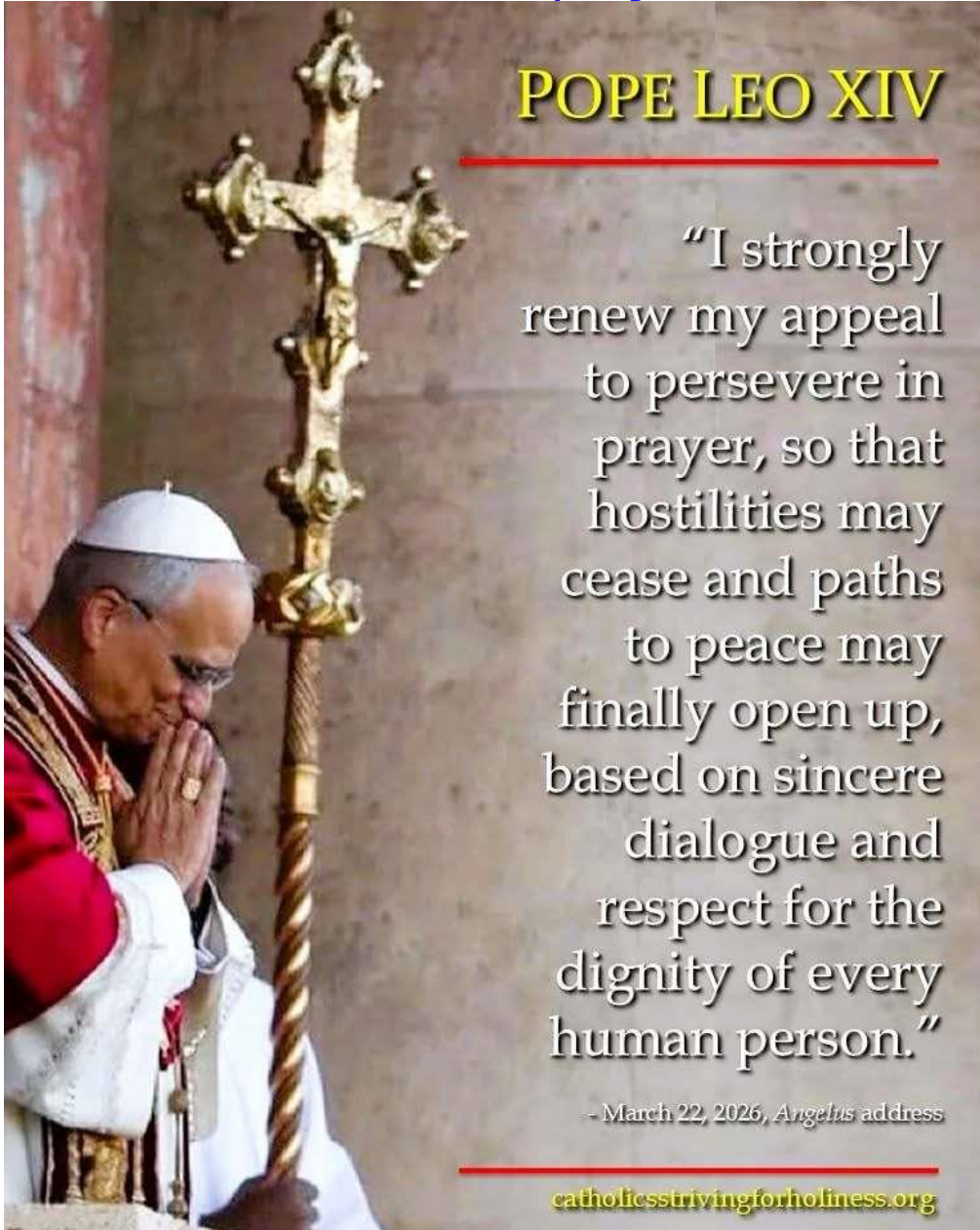
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**Sunday, March 29, 2026 Palm Sunday of the Passion of our Lord | Matthew 26:14—27:66 (or 27:11–54)**

Friends, on this Palm Sunday, Matthew's magnificent Gospel of the Passion bids us to reflect on the seriousness of sin.

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To be sure, the Gospel proclaimed by the first Christians involves the glorious Resurrection, but those initial evangelists never let their hearers forget that the one who had been raised was none other than the one who had been crucified.

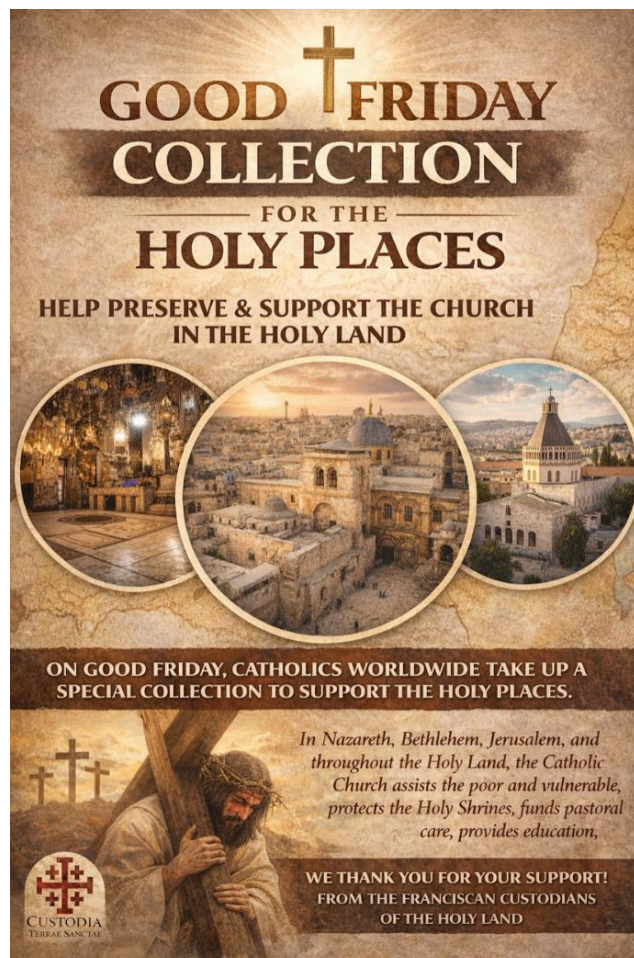
So the question was—and remains—why would God's salvation of the human race have to include something as horrifying as the Crucifixion of the Son of God?

Here's the point. The scriptural authors understand sin not so much as a series of acts as a condition in which we are stuck. No amount of merely human effort could possibly solve the problem. Something awful had to be done on our behalf in order to offset the awfulness of sin.

With this biblical realism in mind, we can begin to comprehend why the Crucifixion of the Son of God was necessary. The just rapport between God and human beings could not be reestablished either through our moral effort or with simply a word of forgiveness.

Something had to be done—and God alone could do it.

***Bishop Barron***



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### Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes

24-30 July (air), 23 July-31 July (coach)

Applications are open for this year's pilgrimage. Join more than 700 pilgrims, including those who are sick, disabled, frail or elderly and need help to make the pilgrimage. **Click here** for more information and to apply.



### Easter Flowers

This weekend, we will be holding a retiring collection for Easter flowers. This is a special collection, as our dedicated flower arranging team works tirelessly to make our church beautiful throughout the year. Their efforts shine especially brightly for something as joyful as Easter. We thank them wholeheartedly, and we appeal to your generosity in supporting this collection. Thank you!

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### **Grandparents Formation Day**

**Thursday 23 April 10-4pm St John the Evangelist Parish Hall, Horsham**

Join us for what promises to be a wonderful, engaging and affirming day with guest speaker, David Wells. For more details on David's powerful, fun and engaging talks on our faith visit his website [davidwellslive.com](http://davidwellslive.com) To register, **click here**



**Saturday, 18 April 10:30am - 3:00pm Here at Christ the Prince of Peace Church**

*The love of husband and wife is the force that welds society together." - St. John Chrysostom*

For all those involved in the Marriage Preparation process across the diocese or anyone who is keen to support and build the understanding of sacramental marriage in their parishes. Join us for a day of sharing, listening and learning from the many teams across the diocese; sharing your experience and ideas from the important work you are doing. We will also be discussing ways of engaging, educating and raising the understanding of a sacramental marriage with the young adults of our parishes. Teas and coffee will be available from 10.00am. Please bring a packed lunch. If you have any questions about this day, please email Deacon Simon South, Diocesan Marriage & Family Life Adviser [simon.south@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:simon.south@abdiocese.org.uk)

**Pilgrimage of Reparation & Consecration, Saturday 18 July 12 noon – 4.15pm**

**Church of Our Lady of Consolation & St Francis, West Grinstead, RH13 8LT**

A pilgrimage for people across our diocese - the day includes Holy Mass, a personal Consecration to Our Lady, the Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary, Exposition, Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Adoration and Benediction. There is no need to book, to find out more contact Linda C-Dominguez

T:01273 463 463 or M:07944 377 252 or Jayne Lock M: 07816 422 851

or E:[jayne.lock1@gmail.com](mailto:jayne.lock1@gmail.com). Please bring a packed lunch

### **Red Missio Box Holders**

If you have a red Mission box at home that has not been collected for some time, could you please return it to the parish office with your contact details? Thank you!

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**Thank you** to all helpers and to all those who came to the launch of the CPP Friendly Café last Tuesday. It was a wonderful turnout of 40+ people and a very joyful atmosphere as people shared coffee/tea, delicious home-made cakes and conversation. The next Friendly Café will be on Tuesday 28th April after 10am Mass until 11.45am. We look forward to seeing you there.

*“True reverence for the Lord’s passion means fixing the eyes of our heart on Jesus crucified and recognizing in him our own humanity.”*

*Pope St. Leo the Great*

## Prayer for the New Catholic Parish of Weybridge

*Heavenly Father,*

*You have blessed our individual parishes with years of faith, service, and love.*

*Now, You call us to unite as one family in Christ as the Catholic Parish of Weybridge.*

*Fill our hearts with gratitude for the past, openness to the present, and hope for the future.*

*Pour out Your Holy Spirit to guide us, deepen our love, and strengthen our mission.*

*Bless our priests, deacons, and our communities. Help us welcome everyone warmly, share the Gospel joyfully, and build a parish where faith grows and Your presence is felt.*

*Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us as we journey in faith, hope, and love.*

*Through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

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