



THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF OUR LORD & ALL SOULS



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SUNDAY 4 APRIL 2021

EASTER SUNDAY

O God, who on this day,
through your Only Begotten Son,
have conquered death
and unlocked for us the path to eternity,
grant, we pray,
that we who keep the solemnity
of the Lord's Resurrection may,
through the renewal brought by your Spirit,
rise up in the light of life.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.
Amen.



✠ THE EASTER OCTAVE ✠

Please note that it is necessary to reserve places in advance for the Easter Vigil and the Easter Sunday Masses.
Please note too that next Sunday Mass returns to 10.30am for the foreseeable future.

Saturday 3 rd	Holy Saturday	8.30pm THE EASTER VIGIL	<i>The sick of the parish Intentions of Mrs Egan (Fr Tim)</i>
Sunday 4 th	EASTER SUNDAY	9.30am MASS	<i>For the People of the Parish Intentions of Tess Maloney (Fr Tim)</i>
		11.15am MASS	<i>Michael Lawless RIP</i>
Monday 5 th	Monday of Easter Week	9.30am MASS	<i>Creagh & Cassidy families, deceased</i>
Tuesday 6 th	Tuesday of Easter Week	9.30am MASS	<i>Hannah & Wallace Hall RIP</i>
Wednesday 7 th	Wednesday of Easter Week	9.30am MASS	<i>Carmel Smith RIP</i>
Thursday 8 th	Thursday of Easter Week	9.30am MASS	<i>Mary Flynn RIP</i>
Friday 9 th	Friday of Easter Week	9.30am MASS	<i>Intentions of Clare Oliver</i>
Saturday 10 th	Saturday of Easter Week	9.30am MASS	<i>Henry O'Connor RIP</i>
		10.30-11.30am	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)</i>
Sunday 11 th	SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (Divine Mercy Sunday)	10.30am MASS	<i>For the People of the Parish Bridie & John Carolan RIP</i>

Daily Evening Prayer (Vespers) on Zoom at 6pm (email Fr Paul to receive log-in details)

The Blessed Sacrament is exposed for 30 minutes before Mass Monday-Saturday

EASTER GREETINGS FROM FATHER PAUL

Dear parishioners

I wish you and your loved ones a very happy and blessed Easter. I pray that we will all experience the reality of the Resurrection of Christ today, knowing him to be alive and with us, whatever life throws at us. With Saint Peter we exclaim, *Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy we have been born anew to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.* (1Peter 1:3)

This has been a week to remember and a week to give thanks to God that we have been able to gather in church to celebrate the Paschal Mystery at all. When we look around the world and see so many of our brothers and sisters unable to gather in church because of covid or because of persecution, we know our hearts should be bursting with gratitude. We are blessed.

I want to express my gratitude to everybody who has worked so hard this week – our readers and servers; our musicians who have lovingly lifted what might have been a rather flat Holy Week and Easter; our stewards, who continue to do us proud and more than that, enable public worship to take place. Additionally I must thank those who have prepared church for our Easter celebrations. I'm sure you'll agree that our church looks just beautiful. Also deserving of thanks are those who have worked tirelessly in our gardens to make them look their Easter best. My thanks too to those who have begun some remedial work to improve the surface of the car park.

Finally I want to encourage you to pray for all our friends who are unable to be with us in church at the moment. We are separated physically, but united spiritually and in a common joy today.

Please take an Easter egg from the exit porch as you leave church as a token of my affection and Easter wishes. Hopefully there will be some left by the 11.15am Mass!

Yours in the Risen Lord, Father Paul

Christ is truly risen!

We know that Christ has truly risen from the dead. Yes, indeed! This is the fundamental core of our profession of faith; this is the cry of victory that unites us all today. And if Jesus is risen, and is therefore alive, who will ever be able to separate us from him? Who will ever be able to deprive us of the love of him who has conquered hatred and overcome death? The Easter proclamation spreads throughout the world with the joyful song of the Alleluia. Let us sing it with our lips, and let us sing it above all with our hearts and our lives, with a manner of life that is "unleavened", that is to say, simple, humble, and fruitful in good works. The Risen One goes before us and he accompanies us along the paths of the world. He is our hope, He is the true peace of the world. (Pope Benedict XVI)

We are Easter People

We are Easter people and "Alleluia" is our song. Let us sing "Alleluia" here and now in this life, even though we are oppressed by various worries, so that we may sing it one day in the world to come, when we are set free from all anxiety. (St. Augustine of Hippo)

PALM CROSSES blessed last Sunday are available still in the entrance porch for people to collect. Please sanitise your hands before and after collecting them. Thank you.

EASTER OFFERINGS Envelopes are available for Easter offerings. It is also possible to make an Easter offering via the website and the contactless devices in church.

THE RECENTLY DEPARTED Of your charity pray for the repose of the souls of **Nigel Joseph Williams** (funeral 8 April), **Michael Lynch** (funeral 20 April) and **John Collins**. We extend our prayers and condolences to all their families.

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION On Sunday 25 April at 12 noon many of our year 6 children will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Father Paul has been granted the faculty to confirm them, as last year, because of the pandemic. Please pray for the children and for their parents and sponsors as they make their final preparations. We also pray for those children not at our school who will be confirmed later in the year.

WEDDING Please pray for Susanne Finnegan and Luke Arnold who will be married here on Saturday 24 April.

BAPTISMS Please pray too for all parents who are preparing for the Baptism of their children. The government covid roadmap permits the public celebration of baptism after 17 May.

RECEPTION INTO FULL COMMUNION Please also hold in your prayers Janet Waters who will be received into the full communion of the Catholic Church on 29 April.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES for 2021/22 are available in the parish room after Mass. Please leave church via the usual exit and enter the parish room through the door directly opposite.

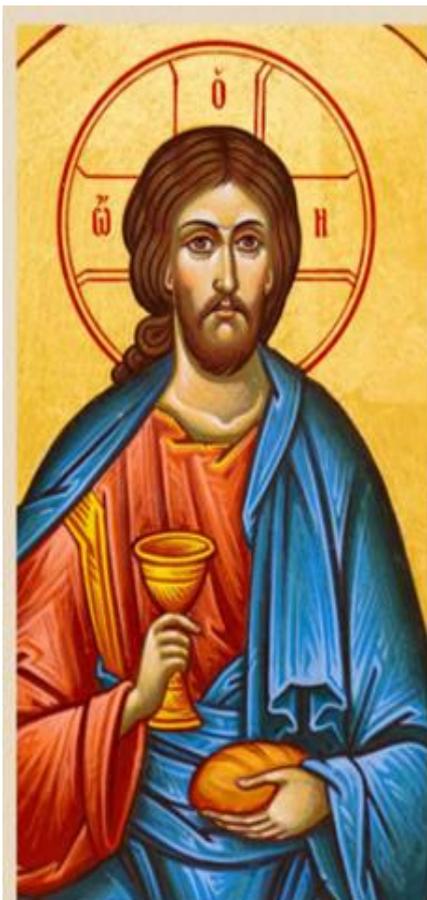
ONLINE AND CONTACTLESS GIVING It is possible to donate to our parish on our website using the **DONATIONS** button. You can also donate using the card reading devices in church.

BOLLARDS Unfortunately we have recently had some rather unpleasant activity taking place in the car park in the evenings and at weekends, involving people spinning their cars around the car park and generally making a nuisance of themselves. To improve the security and safety of the church site at these times of day, some retractable bollards will be fitted at the entrance to the drive this week. Most of the time they will not be visible and only lifted when church is not in use.

NURSERY PLACES AVAILABLE for September 2021

All Souls' Nursery, located in the heart of Chapelfields, offers a caring, engaging and motivating environment in which your child can be happy, thrive and develop. With a creative curriculum, 'Forest School' and extensive outdoor space, our setting is the ideal place for your child to learn whilst having lots of fun! We can also offer afternoon sessions (30 hour funding available for 3 year olds) with wrap around care available from 7:45am to 5:45pm through All Sorts – our onsite pre-school offering early years care for children from 2 years of age (subject to availability). If you would like further information or to request an application form, please email linsey.rae@allsoulsschool.co.uk.

Prayers for Spiritual Communion



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My Jesus,
I believe that You
are present in the
Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive
You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this
moment receive You
sacramentally, come at least
spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were
already there and unite
myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be
separated from You.

Amen.

Anima Christi

Soul of Christ, sanctify me
Body of Christ, save me
Blood of Christ, inebriate me
Water from the side of Christ, wash me
Passion of Christ, strengthen me
O good Jesus, hear me
Within thy wounds hide me
Permit me not to be separated from thee
From the wicked foe defend me
At the hour of my death call me
And bid me come to thee
That with thy saints I may praise thee
For ever and ever. Amen.

Lord Jesus Christ, you said to your disciples, 'I am with you always'. Be with me today as I offer myself to you. Hear my prayers for others and for myself, and keep us all in your care. Amen.

O God, help me to trust you, help me to

know that you are with me, help me to believe that nothing can separate me from your love revealed in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer of General Thanksgiving

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you most humble and hearty thanks for all your goodness and loving kindness. We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ, for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And give us, we pray, such a sense of all your mercies that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful, and that we show forth your praise, not only with our lips but in our lives, by giving up ourselves to your service, and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Conclude with the following:

The Lord bless us, and preserve us from all evil, and keep us in eternal life. Amen.

Financial Giving at All Souls

We are very grateful to parishioners for their generosity to the parish, especially in these uncertain and difficult times. You can give directly to All Souls in the following ways:

By Standing Order

If you have online banking you can set this up online, or you can print off the standing order form and post it to your bank or parish.

[Get a Standing Order form here](#)

Online donations and Contactless Payments

With more and more people choosing to pay for things by contactless means in shops, cafes, sports venues, car parks, on public transport etc - we have decided to introduce an online donation system and a contactless payment system at All Souls. Both are provided by a company approved by the diocese and are interlinked. Online and contactless payments are also a more hygienic way of giving.

You can also **Gift Aid** your online and contactless donations. The display for making payments and registering for Gift Aid is identical on the card readers in church and the Online Donations Webpage. You only need to register to Gift Aid once. Once you have registered your card, the card readers in church and the Online Donations Webpage will recognise it the next time you make a payment. If your circumstances change, please let us know and we can easily update your Gift Aid status on the system. You may find it easier to use the Online Donations Webpage to register your card before using the contactless card readers in the church.

a) Online donations

All Souls RC Church, Coventry

What would you like to give?

£5	£10
£15	£30
£50	£100
Other amount	



You can use this method anywhere with a suitable device connected to the internet. On our website use the [DONATIONS](#) button. Clicking on the link below will take you to our Online Donations Webpage:

<https://portal.mydona.com/assets/webPay/index.php?cid=245>

b) Contactless payments in church

We now have (from 7 March) two portable card readers in church. They are situated at the back of church as you enter and at the exit. Contactless payments are touch-free with no need to type in your PIN or hand over your card. Simply hold your card to the reader, listen for the beep, and your payment is done. If you prefer, there *is* the option to insert your card into the payment device and enter your PIN to make a payment. The reader displays some default amounts to choose from plus the option of 'Other amount'.



If you do not want to register your card for Gift Aid:

1. Select the amount you wish to give from the options on the screen.
2. When the screen prompts for payment, hold your card over the reader or insert your card and enter PIN.
3. After taking payment you will be asked if you want to Gift Aid. Please select **No**.

To register your card for Gift Aid:

This will take a little bit longer, but you only have to do it once. Once you have registered your card, the card readers in church will recognise it next time you make a payment. You may wish to register your card on the Online Donations Webpage in your own time before using it in church.

1. Select the amount you wish to give from the options on the screen
2. When the screen prompts for payment, hold your card over the reader or insert your card and enter PIN.
3. After taking payment you will be asked if you want to Gift Aid the payment. Please select **Yes** then the machine will ask for:
 1. First name
 2. Last name
 3. House number
 4. Post Code
 5. Email address
4. The reader will ask you to accept the T&Cs. Then press **Confirm**

If you have already registered your card:

1. Select the amount you wish to Give from the options on the screen.
2. When the screen prompts for payment, hold your card over the reader or insert your card and enter PIN.

By cash

It is still possible to give by cash. Envelopes for Planned Giving throughout the year are available.

Second Collections

The Online Donations Webpage and card readers in church also allow you to give to any second collections e.g. The Poor Parishes, CAFOD, Aid to the Church in Need. All you need to do is tap the screen on the name of the collection you wish to give to and follow the instructions. Again, it will still be possible to give to second collections by cash.

FAQ Contactless Donations

What information is collected when I make a contactless donation without Gift Aid?

No personal information is collected when you donate using your contactless card without Gift Aid.

What is a Gift Aid declaration?

Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs (HMRC) requires all charities claiming Gift Aid to get donors to complete a Gift Aid declaration. It should state that the donor:

- has paid the same amount or more in Income Tax or Capital Gains Tax in that tax year
- agrees to Gift Aid being claimed

What information is collected when I make a contactless donation with Gift Aid?

When a contactless donation is made with Gift Aid the following HMRC mandatory information is collected:

- donor's full name
- donor's home address

How long is my information kept if I donate with Gift Aid?

Charities must keep a record of declarations for 6 years after the most recent donation Gift Aid is claimed on. Donors can unregister at any time by informing the charity.

Who are SumUp?

SumUp are the payment processor of contactless donations. SumUp is authorised as a Payment Institution by the Financial Conduct Authority (license no. 900700) and is EMV (Europay, Mastercard, and Visa) and PCI-DSS certified, ensuring that payments are processed in accordance with the highest security standards. Any donations made to a charity are first received by SumUp and then paid to the charity at a frequency set by the charity.

Who are Dona?

Dona is a trading name of Regium Consulting Limited, a London based technology firm working with churches and charities. Dona is a contactless donations product and service provider