



St. Mary's Catholic Church ~ Our Lady of Reparation

Fourth Sunday of Easter – 22nd April 2018 (B)

<p>70 Wellesley Road, Croydon CR0 2AR Tel: (020) 8688 1857 E-mail: parish@saint-mary.org.uk Website: www.saint-mary.org.uk Live internet Camera: 7am-10pm Church Opening Times: 7am-7pm</p>	<p>THE GOOD SHEPHERD</p> <p>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Wednesdays 12.45pm to 2pm Saturdays 10.30am to 12pm First Fridays 10.45am to 3pm ✿ <i>Our Lady</i> ✿ Fatima Devotion First Saturdays Perpetual Succour All other Saturdays @ 12 noon</p> 	<p>Rev. Fr. Michael Scanlon KHS (Parish Priest) Fr. Celestine Ekwueme (Assistant Priest) Fr. Mark Binang (Assistant Priest) Rev. Vincent Morrison (Permanent Deacon)</p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p>✿ Sunday Mass times ✿ 7pm (Saturday) 8am., 9.15am., 10.45am., 12.15pm., 3pm., & 6pm</p>  <p>Daily Mass times Monday to Friday • 10am & 12.10pm Saturdays • 10am</p>
<p>Confession times <u>Saturdays</u> 10.30am-11.30am & 6pm -7pm <u>Wednesdays</u> 12.40pm – 1pm <u>First Friday</u> 11.00am ~2pm (and at call)</p>		
<p>Prayer times Rosary • 9.40am • Monday to Friday Morning Prayer • 9.40am • Saturdays</p>		

<p>Saturday 21st April</p> <p>7.00pm John Driscoll, RiP</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"> <p>Good Shepherd Sunday 22nd April 4th Sunday of Easter</p> </div> <p>8.00am Paul Flynn, RiP</p> <p>9.15am People of the Parish</p> <p>10.45am Loren Pereira, in thanksgiving</p> <p>12.15pm Hamilton Noronha, RiP</p> <p>3.00pm Maria Cajilog, RiP</p> <p>6.00pm Francisco Fernandes, RiP</p> <p>Monday 23rd April St. George, Martyr Patron Saint of England</p> <p>10.00am Anthony Paul, Wellbeing</p> <p>12.10pm Nancy & David Mendes, RiP</p> <p>Tuesday 24th April</p> <p>10.00am Vincente Paul, RiP</p> <p>12.10pm Peter Brown, RiP</p>	<p>Wednesday 25th April St. Mark, the Evangelist</p> <p>10.00am In thanksgiving for St. Joseph</p> <p>12.10pm Geraldine Laureate, for wellbeing</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"> <p>Thursday 26th April</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"> <p>Our Lady of Good Counsel</p> </div> <p>10.00am Celsus and Rebecca Ikeyi, RiP</p> <p>12.10pm Mrs Inez Braganza, RiP</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"> <p>Friday 27th April</p> </div> <p>10.00am Joseph Herson, RiP</p> <p>12.10pm Sapiencia Noronha, RiP</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"> <p style="text-align: center;">Parish Office HOURS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mon to Fri 9.30am +</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Shirley Nash Parish Secretary</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"> <p style="text-align: center;">Parish Shop Times</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sat 6pm to 8pm Sun 8am to 1pm Wed 10.30am to 12pm First Fridays 10.30am to 3pm</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"> <p style="text-align: center;">PARISH SURGERY</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Monday @ 4.30pm to 7pm</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Thursday @ 9.30am to 11.30am & 5pm to 6.30pm</p> </div>	<p>Saturday 28th April</p> <p>10.00am Gerry Goughlan, RiP</p> <p>7.00pm Anthony Fernandes, RiP</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"> <p>Sunday 29th April 5th Sunday of Easter</p> </div> <p>8.00am Maisie Miller, RiP</p> <p>9.15am Yolanda Maria Blades, RiP</p> <p>10.45am Roslyn Noel Wellbeing and in thanksgiving</p> <p>12.15pm Rita Trutwinn, RiP</p> <p>3.00pm Mr & Mrs Nicomes Cabusora, RiP</p> <p>6.00pm People of the Parish</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"> <p style="text-align: center;">✿ Wednesday Word for 29th Apr 2018 ✿</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>1st Reading</u> Acts 9: 26 - 31</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>2nd Reading</u> 1 John 3 : 18 -24</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Gospel  John 15: 1 - 8</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"> <p style="text-align: center;">Diocesan Collections</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Today - Sun 22nd Apr</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Retiring collection is for the Ecclesiastical Fund</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Next week - Sun 29th Apr</p> <p style="text-align: center;">For the upkeep of St. George's Catholic Cathedral, Southwark</p> </div>
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A Prayer for Vocations : God our Father, You made each of us to use our gifts in the Body of Christ. We ask that You inspire young people whom You call to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life to courageously follow Your will. Send workers into Your great harvest so that the Gospel is preached, the poor are served with love, the suffering are comforted, and Your people are strengthened by the sacraments. We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen

Today is World day of Prayer for Vocations

Sun 22 Apr 2018

Whilst Holy Mother Church recognises that everyone receives a vocation from God, be it married life, single life or some sort of ministry, the Church on this day every year, focusses on prayer for vocations to the Ordained ministry (priesthood and diaconate) and to religious life in all its forms. You can help by:-

- Making a special effort to ask the Lord for more vocations.
- Praying for more young men & women in our diocese to respond to God's call.
- Praying for the priests, deacons and religious who have ministered to you throughout your life, both living and deceased.

Welcome Sunday, April 22nd Parish Centre - today Following end of 12.15pm Mass

The Parish Pastoral Council and the Parish Finance Committee, look forward to welcoming :-

- all new parishioners,
- those who've moved into the parish;
- those who have recently registered at St. Mary's;
- or those thinking about it!

This is a special event for you, so please **Come & be welcomed!** There'll be light refreshments in the parish centre, after the 12.15pm today, Sun 22nd Apr.

Come & meet us

Sunday Masses today with Music by Parish Music Groups

Sunday 22nd April

Cantor & Organist @ 9.15am

Filipino Choir @ 10.45am

Main choir @ 12.15pm

Sun 29th Apr

Music at 9.15am, 10.45am, 12.15pm Masses: cantor & organist, Male Voice Choir, main choir, respectively

RCIA



Remaining dates for the Group

Mystagogia: Wed 25 Apr 7.30pm in the parish prayer room
New Catholics Mass

St. George's RC Cathedral

Sat 12 May @ 11am

rciacroydon@gmail.com

Ring parish (020) 8688 1857;

talk to any of the Clergy; or

attend Parish Surgery

If you know anyone who would like to make the Faith Journey, please use the above contact information

Bible Studies & Charismatic Prayers

Fri 27 Apr @ 7pm

In the Church All welcome



Basic Information Before Leaving Earth

Children's Bible Study Class, Parish Centre

Sunday 6th May @ 10.30am

First Holy Communion 2018

IMPORTANT DATES

Classes continues

Sat 28 Apr @ 10.30am

Parish Centre

First Holy

Communion

Masses

Sun 3 Jun @ 2pm

Sat 16 Jun @ 2pm

Sun 17 Jun @ 3pm

Thanksgiving party

Sat 30 Jun @ 2pm (redate)

St. Mary's Friendship Network (Age range: 20 to 40)

We had a very successful meeting with over 30 people coming last week. We shared refreshments and planned for our future steps. Come & join us next Sunday as we go forward!

Sun 29th Apr 2018

1.30pm/1.45pm

Parish Centre

Baptism & First Holy Communion

Young people -12 to 16 years

New class proposed, for Saturday late afternoons. Interested parents/carers to please contact the Parish Office Classes are expected to start late Apr/early May. You may also speak to any of the parish priests or Deacon Vincent.

Parish Meeting Dates Parish Presbytery

Finance Council

Fri 4 May

6.45pm for 7.15pm

Parish

Pastoral Council

Fri 8 Jun

6.30pm for 7pm

Marriage Encounter Weekend 2018

28 & 29 Apr @ Margaret Roper School, Purley,, CR4. Non-residential, 9.30am start. Contact: www.wvme.org.uk / 01538 385801

Coloma Reunion: 28 Apr 2018

All ex-students, present & past staff invited. Event includes refreshments & school tour plus reconnections! [Contact & suzystar@live.co.uk](mailto:suzystar@live.co.uk). Tickets at www.coloma.croydon.sch.uk/COGA

Marriage – celebrate

The Sacrament

Sat 16 Jun @ 3pm

St. George's RC Cathedral, London SE1

Men & women marking wedding anniversaries: 1st, 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th & 60th, are invited to renew their vows at the Cathedral. Please contact the parish office soonest. Your details will be taken to enable the Archbishop's invite to be sent to you.

Cafod 2018: visit the web site to see how your donation (by 12 May) can raise the government's contribution. cafod.org.uk/lent

Parish Maintenance Committee. Please see the link on the parish web site about how you can help. Thank you.

Mary Our Mother



Pray the Rosary and help our country, help our diocese.



We shall Crown our Lady's statue on Sunday 6th May. All children are invited to bring flowers and join in the procession at the start of the 9.15am Mass. Please arrive 10 to 15 minutes earlier.



The Image of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be with us, Fri 22 June to Tue 26th Jun, inclusive. There will be both daytime and evening services for the Visitation period. The Custodians will be in daily attendance supported by the Knights of St. Columba as we welcome the Faithful from far and wide. There will be opportunities for Consecration, Image veneration, Masses, prayers & devotions plus a small repository. Hold the dates and spread the Word "

Post Seminary/Convent ?

Let's meet

Fri 18th May 2018

ParishPresbytery@7.30pm

Did you ever attend seminary or try your vocation out in religious life? The parish clergy would like to meet up with you to have a chat. You are invited to meet us in May. Refreshments and a cuppa will be on offer.