

Sunday (17th April Easter Sunday) Readings

1st Reading – Acts 10: 34, 37-43

Psalm – 117

2nd Reading – Colossians 3: 1-4

Gospel – John 20: 1-9

Intentions

8.30pm Easter Blessings Fr Pawel

9am The People of the Parish

11am Easter Blessings Fr Bart

4pm Mass in Polish

Entrance Antiphon

I have risen: I am with you still, alleluia! You have laid your hand upon me, alleluia!
Too wonderful for me, this knowledge, alleluia, alleluia!

Communion Antiphon

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed, alleluia! Therefore let us keep the feast with the unleavened bread of purity and truth, alleluia, alleluia!

Mon 10am Easter Octave

Tue 10am Easter Octave

6pm Evening Prayer on Zoom

Wed 10am Easter Octave

Happy Anniversary Frances & Brian Jerstice

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT 2PM TO 10PM

Thu 10am Easter Octave In Thanksgiving for Alfie Armstrong & Wellbeing of the Family

Fri 8pm Easter Octave

Adrienne Lewis RIP

Peggy Hobson RIP

Wellbeing for Fr. Pawel's Family

Confessions

Friday 7.30pm – 7.50pm & Saturday 5.15pm to 5.45pm

and also by appointment 07305831925.

Next Sunday (24th April) Readings

1st Reading – Acts 5: 12-16

Psalm – 117

2nd Reading – Apoc 1: 9-13, 17-19

Gospel – John 20: 19-31

Intentions

6pm God's Blessings on Les & Kim Boulton

9am The People of the Parish

11am Subbu Subbiah RIP

Deaths and Anniversaries

Please pray for all those who have died recently, especially Lee O'Loughlin. We also remember those whose anniversaries occur at this time of year: Nettie Baikie, Patrick Frost, Cyril Borthwick, James Phelan, Helen Mason, George Kennedy, Rene Border, Jeremiah Lynch, Imelda Haines, George Wileman, Patrick Hurley, Alice Read, Kenneth Matthews & Bridget Davey. May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Sick and Housebound: We pray for all those who are sick and the housebound. We pray especially for all those in our parish and their families. **St Simon Stock, keep them in your care**

Mass Intentions: Please make cheques payable to St Simon Stock Church. See website for details of how to make a bank transfer.

100 Club (Parish Lottery) - Cash Prizes to be won monthly! Annual Subscription £12 per number. April winners £100 = No 9 Trish Mineham £50 = No 244 Richard de Verteuil £25 = No 4 Margaret Ridgewell

Parish Gift Aid - If you wish your offertory and other donations to be gift-aided please ring Steve Duxbury on Medway 862125

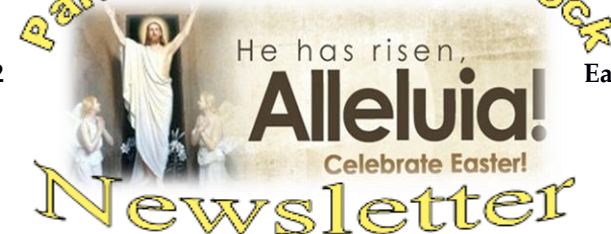
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Parish of St Simon Stock

17th April 2022



Easter Sunday Yr C

Alleluia! Christ is Risen, He is Risen indeed, Alleluia!

I want to extend wishes of a beautiful and happy Easter to all parishioners and visitors who celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. May we all celebrate with great joy the promise of our new life in Christ, our Risen Lord. The Lord Jesus, through his cross and resurrection, has destroyed the power of sin and death and brought us into His life.

I would like to express grateful thanks to all who made our Liturgy over Easter Triduum so prayerful and beautiful. Thank you very much!

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.

Fr Pawel Sobol

Prayer for Peace in Ukraine

Father in Heaven, have mercy on us and on the whole world! You sent Your Son, the Prince of Peace, for the salvation of the world. We pray that the Peace of Christ will reign in Ukraine. Please protect and send aid to those in Ukraine and all who are at-risk. We pray for peace - we pray for all who are working towards it and for all who are in danger from this conflict. We pray for an end to violence and war - we pray for wisdom for all leaders who have a hand in this. Lord God, please help those in most need of your mercy. Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of Peace, pray for us! Saint Joseph, Protector of Mary, Jesus and the Church, pray for us! Lord Jesus, Prince of Peace, may your kingdom reign in Ukraine and all the world. Amen.

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Parish News

Easter Offerings

This Easter weekend, the collection will be personal to our priest. Envelopes for your offering are available at the back of the church. Please take one with the newsletter.

Missio Red Boxes

Please could as many people as possible bring their boxes to mass next w/e 23/24 April and give them to me, Adrian Hockney, before you enter the church. I will be at all masses standing outside before mass with a basket into which you can drop your box. **Please do not leave any boxes in the church.** If you are unable to bring them please contact me: (Tel:01634 862877; or email: adrianhockney@btinternet.com) and I will arrange to collect them. Your boxes will be returned the following weekend 30 April/1 May. Thank you.

Universe Catholic Weekly

Glad to be Grey have finalised their holiday programme and there is a poster in the church lobby. Application Forms are available from Teresa Mazza.

Plants

Could we ask that when planting seeds or taking cuttings that you plant a few extra for us to sell on our Parish Plant Stall at the Feast Day Celebrations 15th May 2022. If anyone needs pots please contact Josie in the parish office.

PARISH AGM

We are still waiting for some reports to come in. Many thanks to those who have sent them. Can we please have the rest of the reports so that we can plan a date for the meeting.

Eucharistic Adoration - On Wednesdays from 2pm to 10 pm

As you know, the prayerful time at Adoration on Wednesdays is a great comfort to many and a time to just BE with the Lord. As a parish, we all benefit from this powerful prayer. There are some times coming up when we need cover for Committed Adorers who, for whatever reason, are away for a while. The list of the dates is on the noticeboard in the entrance hall. Could you help on any of these dates? Would you like to be an Emergency Adorer, who covers when people are away? Is it you the Lord's calling?

"My Day By Day" for EASTER :

Available on table on the way out of the church. **Please Note that the price has increased to £1.15** please take one and leave money in the wooden tray. Thank you.

UCM

At all this weekend's Masses the UCM ladies will be distributing Homemade Crosses for your Prayer Books

Parish Pastoral Council

There will be a meeting on Thursday 21st April. If you wish to submit a question or suggestion to be tabled at the meeting please place in the box in the church foyer.

Community Events

Easter Sunday 17 Apr	9.00am Easter Mass 11.00am Easter Mass 4.00 pm Easter Mass in Polish
Tue 19 Apr	Evening Prayer on Zoom at 6pm
Wed 20 Apr	Eucharistic Adoration 2pm - 10pm
Thu 21 Apr	Cubs/Scouts from 5.45pm onwards Parish Council Meeting at 6.30pm in Parish Office No Choir practice
Fri 22 Apr	Confirmation Class 5.30pm to 6.30pm in Emmaus Hall
Sun 24 Apr	2nd Collection for St George's Cathedral Children's Liturgy at 11am Mass Devotion to Divine Mercy at 2.45 pm
Mon 25 Apr	Holy Rosary on Zoom at 6pm
Tue 26 Apr	Evening Prayer on Zoom at 6pm
Wed 27 Apr	Eucharistic Adoration 2pm - 10pm
Thu 28 Apr	Cubs/Scouts from 5.45pm onwards Choir practice 8pm in church
Fri 29 Apr	Confirmation Class 5.30pm to 6.30pm in Emmaus Hall
Sun 1 May	No 2nd Collection today Children's Liturgy at 11am Mass

DAY TO REMEMBER!!!

These is the date you should have pencilled in your diary:

Sunday 15th May 2022 - St Simon Stock Parish Feast Day

There will be: the Sponsored Walk at 12.30 pm, BBQ from 1pm followed by Home Made Cakes, Games from 2pm.

There will also be a Plant Stall.

We look forward to seeing you on the day.