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25 March — 2 April. 2023  
 (For Victims of abuse)

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT "A"

Psalter Week 1  
 Week of Lent

Date	Holy Trinity		Sacred Heart		Fotherley Convent	
<b>Sat 25 March</b> <b>Vigil</b>	10:00am 11:00am 6:00pm	Anne O'Connor & family Intention <b>CONFESSIONS</b> Dec' d of the Neenan Family	10:00am 10:30am-11:00am	Margaret Harding <b>CONFESSIONS</b>	11:30am	Anna Chieu & Andrew Cac (Ann.)
<b>Sunday 26</b> <b>FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	9:00am 11:00am 12:30pm 13:30pm 4:00pm 6:00pm	The Babina Family's Intention. John Farrell. <i>Baptism of Erin Rose Mansfield</i> <i>Baptism of Fiadh Anna-Marie Lake</i> <b>Stations of the Cross.</b> Patricia Berrington RIP.	10:00am  5:00pm	Patrick Ryan—Chaudry  <b>Stations of the Cross.</b>	11:30am	NO MASS
Monday 27	10:00am	Eulogio Ripolles & Jose Persiva RIP	10:00am	Mary Kiernan	7:30am	Charlie Brady (SI)
Tuesday 28	10:00am	Dec'd Maxwell & McDermott Fam.	10:00am	Bridget & Jimmy McGonagle	11:30am	Ilsa Ryder RIP
Wed 29	10:00am	Aquilino Cacho RIP	10:00am	Louise & Stephen	11:30am	Chris O'Connor RIP
Thursday 30	10:00am	<i>Communion Service</i>	10:00am	Tina McGonagle	11:30am	<i>Communion Service</i>
Friday 31	10:00am	In thanksgiving (SMM)	10:00am	Helen Doherty	7:30am	<i>Communion Service</i>
<b>Saturday 1</b>	10:00am 6:00pm	Nancy Bateman (Anniversary) Nellie Sweeney RIP	10:00am 10:30.-11.0	Kathleen Molloy. <b>CONFESSIONS</b>	11:30am	Sr Marie St Paul Gauder RIP
<b>Sunday 2</b> <b>PALM SUNDAY</b>	9:00am 11:00am 4:00pm 6:00pm	Jose Domingo-Persiva & Amparo Gomez RIP. The Okorie Family. <b>Stations of the Cross.</b> Mariannina Szypulski (sick)	10:00am 5:00pm	Special Intention—Chaudry <b>Stations of the Cross.</b>	11.30am	<b>NO MASS</b>

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### EASTER FLOWERS

The collection raised £189.30 (collection £136.30 and coffee £53.00 (**Sacred Heart**))

**THIS WEEK THERE WILL BE AN APPEAL & COLLECTION FOR THE SVP AT BOTH PARISHES TO HELP WITH THE WORK THEY DO.**

### Next Week 1 / 2 April

#### Readers:

**Sat 6.00pm** Barbara Peel  
**Sun 9.00am** Family Mass  
**Sun 11.0am** Mary Blakemore  
**Sun 6:00p** Veronica Docherty

**Children's Liturgy 9.00am** Family Mass.

**Please pray for those who are sick:** Mary Baker, Michael Cassidy, Theresa Wilson, Andrew Kean, Margaret Dineen, John Cheal, Sarah Davis, John Smith, Mary Langdown, Catherine Connell, Joan Socci, Ruth Crane, Joseph MM, Katie Thompson, Pauline Lucas, John & Sheila Laird, Sheila O'Reilly, Ewan McKivett, David Coleman, John Tucker, Patricia Simmons, Dolores O'Gorman, Frank Gooding-Williams, Lucinda Clark, Luke Brother, Rita Wilson, Mike O'Halloran, Macius Grudzinski, Marianina Szypulski, Jill Ellis, Jeff White, Miriam McDonnell, Kerry Moore, Lisa Brown, Christopher Manton, Sylvia Bailey, Alan & Beverley Johnson, Brian Jones, Kathleen Reilly, Shelagh & Wayne Dudley, Mo Oliver, Isabel & Nicholas Dominquez-Persiva, Carmen R.F. Dean Evans, Patrick Crean, Sinead McCaughey & **all in Good Hope Hospital.**

**Died recently:** Traute Ivey, Christine Perry, Rita Jennings, Barbara Varley, Ian Gordon (a former parishioner)

**Anniversaries:** Barbara Fallon, Betty Fox, Patricia Diskin, Kathleen Kean, Elizabeth McGreevy, Olive Davies, Tom Reilly, Catherine Burton, David Woodhead, Harold Lilley, Elfrida Walk, Nancy Bateman, Chris Flood, Alek Salmanis, Peter Kenny.

**Lord, make those who are not well, get better and grant to those who have died eternal rest in your heavenly home. Amen.**

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**The Pope's Prayer Intention for April:**

For a culture of Peace and non-violence. We pray for the spread of peace and non-violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and Citizens.

**GIFT AID.** For those gift aiders who use envelopes the new ones for the next tax year are available in the porch. The parish receives significant refund from the Tax man from the donations gift aided by our parishioners but our outgoings continue to rise and more gift aiders would be welcome, by envelope or standing order, there is no extra cost, just a bit of paperwork, and we get another 25% on top of your donations. Contact Howard on 0121 3234205.

**Ladies Guild Meeting**

will be on Tuesday 5th April at 1-3pm in the Conference Room. This month we have a speaker:

"Never a dull moment" by Cliff Kirby—Tibbets. Everyone is welcome.

**SVP:** We are asking that people asking that joining our conference here in our parish of Sacred Heart & Holy Trinity and help us to reach out to all those in need in our communities. If interested in knowing more please contact Jo Clements07860107069 or email [joclembini@me.com](mailto:joclembini@me.com)

**SVP Donations.** All foodstuffs, toiletries and good quality men's clothing accepted.

**PARISH REPORTS** There is now a new separate tab on the website called 'Accounts and Statistics' and all the Parish accounts from 2017 to 2022 (Holy Trinity & Sacred Heart) are published on it together with attendance statistics and record of monthly giving.

**PARISH REPORT** Deacon Daniel is preparing the Annual Parish Report which will cover the last three years.

Would all Parish Groups send in a report of your activities etc to be included along with the Parish finance reports.

Also if you have any thoughts on how we coped with COVID-19 Father Michael would like to present the report at the Parish Meeting after Easter (possibly 25th April)

**Useful Information**

- **Hospital Chaplaincy:** If you or a family member is in hospital & would like a visit by a Priest and/or Eucharistic Minister please inform the parish office as the Hospital staff will not automatically let us know.
- **Parish Office:** is open on Tuesday and Friday 10.30-1.30pm.
- **Parish Safeguarding Officers** Barbara Peel and Margaret McConnell.
- **Baptisms** Please complete the Baptism request form on our website and return to the Office. We will then contact you to discuss dates.

**SACRED HEART PARISH NOTICES**

**CHRISTINE PERRY** On Monday we lost to death a stalwart of the parish. For many years Christine was an Eucharistic Minister and Reader. A member of the S.V.P. she took her turn as President. Following the sickness and death of her son, we have seen very little of her. No news yet of her funeral. May she rest in peace.

**KING'S CORONATION** To mark this event, there will be a Coronation Tea Party in the Hall on Monday, 8th May. After Easter names will be taken of those wishing to attend; also names of anyone willing to bake cakes.

**PRAYER GROUP** . will meet on Monday 27th March at 7.30pm in the conference room. All are welcome

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**ROSARY FOR LIFE** Please join us on Thursdays after Mass when we pray the Holy Rosary to ask Our Lady to help bring an end to Abortion

**Children's Liturgy.** There will be no children's Liturgy on Palm Sunday or Easter Day.

**Maundy Thursday Volunteers:** if you would like to be one of the twelve people whose feet will be washed on Maundy Thursday please sign the list at the back of church.

**Readers:** Please sign up for the Easter Triduum Services (Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter) on the rota at the back of church.

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**YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS OF**

**Margaret (Rita) Jennings, (85)** Her Funeral will be on Monday 3rd April at SC Crematorium at 3:15pm.

**Traute Ivey, (83)** Her funeral will be on Tuesday 4th April 2023 at 12:30pm, followed by the burial at Streetly Cem.

**Barbara Mary Varley, (96)** Her Requiem will be on Wednesday 26th April at 11:30pm, followed by Cremation at SC.

**Christine Perry,** will be announced later.

**May they rest in Peace!**

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