

Saturday	7 April	5.30 pm	Mass <i>Jack Firmo RIP</i>	Nympsfield
Sunday	8 April	8.30 am 10.30 am	Mass Mass <i>Pasquale & Incoronata Paoletti RIP</i>	Dursley Dursley
Monday	9. April	9.00 am	Mass	Dursley
Tuesday	10 April	7.00 pm	Mass	Dursley
Wednesday	11 April	1.00 pm	Requiem Mass; <i>Mary Perry RIP</i>	Dursley
Thursday	12 April	10.00 am	Mass <i>Rose Brennan RIP</i>	Dursley
Friday	13 April	7.00 pm	Mass	Dursley
Saturday	14 April	9.00 am 5.30 pm	Mass Mass	Dursley Nympsfield
Sunday	15 April	8.30 am 10.30 am	Mass Mass	Dursley Dursley

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Reconciliation: SATURDAY 3.30 - 4.00 pm at Dursley; SATURDAY 5.00 pm at Nympsfield; or by arrangement.

Refreshments in the church hall after the 10.30 am Mass every Sunday.

Second Sunday of Easter.

Entrance Antiphon

Like newborn infants, you must long for the pure, spiritual milk,
that in Him you may grow to salvation, Alleluia!

Responsorial Psalm

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, for his love has no end.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia! Alleluia! Jesus said: 'You believe because you can see me.
Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe.' Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon

Bring your hand and feel the place of the nails,
And do not be unbelieving but believing, alleluia!

PLEASE PRAY FOR the repose of the soul Mary Perry and the souls of those who have died recently, and for those whose anniversaries are at this time; and for the SICK & HOUSEBOUND of our Parish: G. Dessi, Attracta Rosser, Maire Dykes, Paula Mackie, Mary Phillpott, Maura Fairhurst, Michael Iatalese, Sally Hayward, Frances Hanley, Bobby Milczarczyk, Geraldine Donnelly, Zella Courtney, John Lissenden, Maureen Hebron, Chris Keith, Christopher Browne, Mary Molloy, Sophie Say, David Ballard.

Diocesan Prayer Link St Osmund, St Gregory & the English Martyrs, Most Holy Redeemer, Salisbury, with Downton and Whaddon.

Churches Together Prayer Rota 3Cs Community Church.

Finance Dursley £n/a Nympsfield £n/a
Holy Places: £229.91

CCS Adoption Children's Society.

Next weekend there will be a special collection for the Clifton Children's Society. They do good work finding families for children who need them, and providing lifelong support once they are adopted. They need to find many more adoptive families and would love to hear from anyone considering adoption. For an informal discussion and free information pack call 0117 935 0005, or visit their web-site www.ccsadoption.org/

Union of Catholic Mothers.

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday 10 April at 7.30 pm after Mass in the church hall. As well as the usual refreshments and raffle there will be a talk by a 'Mystery Speaker' on a topic of interest. Guests and non-members welcome.

'Let them eat cake!'

Coffee after Sunday Mass.

Coffee (or tea) - and cake - are available in the hall after 10.30 Mass. Please try to pop in, if only for a few minutes, to welcome new parishioners, and enjoy the company of your fellow parishioners.

Gift Aid

Due to a change in the legal status of Clifton Diocese and a change of the registered charity number, we cannot use existing Gift Aid envelopes after the end of the current tax year. Therefore new envelopes are being made available for use after 8 April. Please take a new box and discard the old, and kindly advise anyone who is away. Provided you are an eligible UK taxpayer spare boxes are always available, should you wish to join this painless way of swelling church funds.

'No!' to decriminalising abortion

The Society for the Protection of Unborn Children has launched a petition calling on

the Prime Minister not to give any parliamentary support to moves to decriminalise abortion. These moves would strip from unborn children any remaining effective legal protection from abortion. So please consider supporting this petition. The forms are at the back of the church. Or you can sign online at: www.spuc.org.uk.

Wedding

Congratulations to Daniel Freeman and Amelia Glassonbury who were married yesterday at St Joseph's, Nympsfield.

First Sundays

Liturgy of the Word for young people at St Dominic's. Anyone of secondary school age is invited to join a small group of young people who meet in the Presbytery at 10.30 am on the First Sunday of each month for an informal Liturgy of the Word, before returning to church for the Liturgy of the Eucharist. For more information see Father Philip or Susan Terry.

Foundation Governor Vacancy at St Joseph's School

Applications are invited for the post of Foundation Governor from those who are keen to support Catholic Education locally. St Joseph's is a successful school always striving for the best for its pupils, both educationally and in matters of faith and pastoral care. For further details please contact Tony Lynch, Chair of Governors 01452 742352, or the school office on 01453 860311.

Foodbank

There is still a real local need for the help offered by the Foodbank. This practical scheme is the outcome of co-operation between the churches, co-ordinated by Churches Together. Please leave suitable items in the collection box in the entrance to St Dominic's. Thank you.

Sponsored 10k Run

At the suggestion of the 2017 Confirmation Group we are hoping to organise a Sponsored 10k Run in aid of Cafod, primarily for young people (although everyone will be encouraged to sponsor!). We hope that the run will be on a Saturday in May (or June); it will be fully supervised by adults from St Dominic's and will include two or three training sessions beforehand. If you are interested or would like to know more, please speak to Father Philip.

April - Events at Prinknash Abbey

8 April: Divine Mercy Sunday - 2pm to 4pm at Prinknash Abbey Chapel.

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