

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
Monday	16 April	9.00 am	Mass	Dursley
Tuesday	17 April	7.00 pm	Mass	Dursley
Wednesday	18 April	9.00 am	Mass	Dursley
Thursday	19 April	10.00 am	Mass	Convent, Nympsfield
Friday	20 April	7.00 pm	Mass	Dursley
Saturday	21 April	9.00 am 5.30 pm	Mass Mass	Dursley Nympsfield
Sunday	22 April	8.30 am 10.30 am	Mass Mass	Dursley Dursley

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**Reconciliation:** FRIDAY 6.00 - 6.50 pm and 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.

**Third Sunday of Easter.**

**Entrance Antiphon**

Cry out with joy to God, all the earth;  
O sing to the glory of his name.  
O render him glorious praise, Alleluia!

**Responsorial Psalm**

Lift up the light of your face on us, O Lord

**Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia! Alleluia! Lord Jesus, explain the scriptures to us.  
Make our hearts burn within us as you talk to us. Alleluia!

**Communion Antiphon**

The disciples recognised the Lord Jesus in the breaking of bread, 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 Dunstan, Somerton, St Joseph, Langport, Holy Ghost Yeovil with South Petherton.

**Churches Together Prayer Rota** Cam Methodist.

**Finance** Dursley £303.40 Nympsfield £137.60

### **CCS Adoption Children's Society.**

This 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/](http://www.ccsadoption.org/)

### **'Let them eat cake!'**

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.

### **Parish Lunch**

The postponed "Lent Lunch" in aid of Listening Post will take place next Sunday, 22nd April at 12.00 at St Dominic's. Tickets are still available at the back of the church after Mass.

### **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](http://www.spuc.org.uk)

### **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.

### **Easyfundraising**

Thanks to all who support us through [easyfundraising.org.uk](http://easyfundraising.org.uk). This is for those who shop online. Whenever you buy something you can raise money for St Dominic's. Over 3000 well known retailers will donate a percentage of what you spend. It's like nectar but instead of earning points each purchase generates a donation. Register at <http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/stdominicsrcchurchdursley>. For help or more information speak to Laura Elliott (01453 519138).

### **Deanery Choir**

The Deanery Choir will next be leading Sunday Evening Prayer at St Peter's, Cirencester, on Sunday 29 April at 5.00 pm. There will be a rehearsal at 3.30 pm. New members always welcome! For further details and times of other rehearsals contact Monica Frewer ([frewer@btinternet.com](mailto:frewer@btinternet.com) or 077741102356).

### **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.

### **Great 10k Run Saturday 19 May**

Five young people from our parish will be running to raise money for the CAFOD Lent Project. Please sponsor them! (Details of how to sponsor are given on a flier available at the back of church.)

### **Clifton Diocese Summer Camps.**

The annual Clifton Diocese Summer Camps have been launched for 2018 and bookings are now being taken. This year, the camps have moved to a new location in Viney Hill in the Forest of Dean and are being held between 13-17 August (ages 7-11) and 20-24 August (ages 12-16). The camps promise to be weeks full of fun, faith and friendship. If you are interested in finding out more, or to book a place for your child, please visit <http://livingyourfaith.co.uk> or email [livingyourfaith@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:livingyourfaith@hotmail.co.uk).

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