

## Weekday Masses

8th – 13th Apr. 2019  
*Lent Week 5*

Mon.- 6.30pm; Tu.-7.30pm;  
Wed.-9.30am; Th.-7.30pm;  
Fri.-9.30am; Sat.- 9.30am.

### CELEBRATION

M Lent feria  
T Lent feria  
W Lent feria  
Th<sup>l</sup> Lent feria  
F Lent feria  
S Lent feria

### INTENTION

Victims of injustice  
Society of The Holy Cross  
Divided families  
+RIP's & Anniversaries  
The persecuted Church  
Walsingham

**The Daily Offices** Morning Prayer: 9am (Sunday 8.45am)  
Evening Prayer: 6pm (Tue. & Thur.7pm)

### **PRAYER REQUESTS FOR THIS WEEK .....**

#### **Newly-Married & Engaged couples**

#### **Refugees, exiles & persecuted people esp. Christians**

**The sick:** Alice, Alan S., Audrey T., Carolyn, Fergus S., Howard D., Jill G., Leyla, Lynn P., Nathan P., Roger B., Sam L., Tom, Val & Walter, Yvonne W. *the chronically ill, housebound, confused & dying.*

**+RIP:** +RIP Anniversaries: 7<sup>th</sup>-Miriam Bramhall, Mildred Glendinning, Annie Findlay, 9<sup>th</sup>-Irene Hill, 10<sup>th</sup>-Pamela Perkins, 11<sup>th</sup>-Matthew Merrikin priest Kathleen Lockett, Dorothy Harper, 12<sup>th</sup>-Rose Pope, 'Joe' [Robyn] Dyke 13<sup>th</sup>-Peggy Hughes, James Agnew.

**NOTE:** Sick / RIP lists are completely revised after the first Sunday of the month. Requests / renewals via black box

*The Shrine lamps are sponsored this week as a birthday memorial of Mary 'Poppy' Chesterton Born 11th April 1904 - +RIP 25th June 1998*

(Church) **ELECTORAL ROLL** is now closed until after the Church's AGM 28<sup>th</sup> April. Nomination forms for PCC membership, Churchwardens from the PCC Secretary.

**LENT: Mondays - M4 Study Group 4.45pm-7pm.**

**Saturday Lent lunches Noon- 1.30ish; please support them or bring folk to them – money for Christian Aid.**

**HOLY HOURS** Weekly, variable next on **SATURDAY 13th April.**

**MONIES SAVED:** Once again self-imposed 'fines' (for failure of Lent discipline) or charitable giving (from monies saved through 'abstinence') will be collected African **CYCLONE** appeal.

**Forthcoming preachers:** Palm Sunday – Fr. Peter Bolton, Good Friday – Fr Garry Jenkins, Priest-in-Charge, S.Luke's.

**CHRISM MASS with Bishop Norman in crypt of CANTERBURY CATHEDRAL (free entry)**

**TUES 16<sup>th</sup> April at Noon Cars leave Higham 9.30am**  
*Light lunch provided afterwards -sign up for numbers please*

**Confession/Penitence: always available Fridays 6.30pm or by appointment with ANY of the clergy**

**Next Sunday PALM SUNDAY 14th APR '19**

8.45<sup>am</sup> Morning Prayer (said)

**9.30<sup>am</sup> Blessing of Palms, Procession & Parish Mass**  
(This service starts 12 Villa Rd.)

**No evening services.** However cars leave Higham at 4pm for the **5pm Service of Penitence** (S.Michael's Beckenham)

**HOLY WEEK – SEE APRIL MAGAZINE - main services for THE TRIDUUM are: Maundy Thursday - 8pm; Good Friday 3pm; Easter Eve - 9pm; EASTER DAY 10AM**

HON. ASSISTANT PRIEST Fr Peter Bolton 01474-822726  
~ THE PARISH ~ Mrs Helen Walker 01474-396569  
CHURCHWARDENS Mrs Teresa Joblin 01474-823186  
HALL ENQUIRIES Mrs Julie Healey Evening only: 01474-822008

## SAINT JOHN'S, HIGHAM

Parish of Higham (S.John & S.Mary) with Merston  
Diocese of Rochester, Church of England.

*Under the Episcopal care of the Bishop of Richborough*

Parish Bulletin - Week Beginning:  
**Sunday 7th April 2019**

## 5th Sunday of Lent



**IN LENT:** Please observe the SILENCE after a brief prayer a few minutes before our Parish Mass begins. When the bell rings stand - and sing the entry hymn

8.45pm Morning Prayer *said*  
**9.30am THE PARISH MASS** *sung*  
*Preacher: Revd. Fr. Christopher Beard*  
5.00pm Evening Prayer *said*  
**5.30pm Stations of the Cross** *sung*  
6.30pm Mass/Communion – upon request

### *Music at Solemn Mass*

*Setting: Plainsong Setting / LENT RITE*

### **Hymns: New English Hymnal**

Entrance: 63  
Offertory: 461  
Communion: 507 & 70  
Recessional: 76

**Acclamation 3 – Save us Saviour...**

**Welcome to S.John's! If you're a visitor please come to the Hall for refreshments after Parish Mass or introduce yourself to the priest at the main door.**

**JNR. CHURCH (5 -11yr old) IS HELD IN THE HALL**  
**Under-5's may attend IF accompanied by an adult**

**LARGE PRINT SERVICE SHEET & BULLETINS ARE AVAILABLE**  
**A Hearing Aid Loop System is in use**

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