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31st March 2024, Easter Week 1, Year B.

Easter Week 1 Year 2

Day	Time	Event	Dedication/Liturgy
Sunday 31st March 2024	9.00pm <i>9.00am</i> 11.00am	Celebration of The Easter Vigil Mass with blessing of newly elected Catholic's <i>Mass at St. Michael's, Shepton Mallet</i> Mass: Philomena Histon RIP <i>No Holy Hour this Sunday afternoon</i>	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection Year B
Mon. 1st April	7.00-9.00am	Exposition and Silent Adoration	Monday Octave of Easter
Tuesday 2nd	7.00-9.00am <i>NB</i>	Exposition and Silent Adoration <i>No Mass this Tuesday</i>	Tuesday Octave of Easter
Wednesday 3rd	7.00—9.00am <i>NB</i>	Exposition and Silent Adoration <i>No Mass this Wednesday</i>	Wednesday Octave of Easter
Thursday 4th	7.00—9.00am <i>NB</i>	Exposition and Silent Adoration <i>No Mass at St Michael's this Thursday</i>	Thursday Octave of Easter
Friday 5th	7.00—9.00am	Exposition and Silent Adoration	Friday Octave of Easter
Saturday 6th	7.00—9.00am 9.20am 10.00am 10.30am 10.30am 5.15pm 6.00pm	Exposition and Silent Adoration Rosary Circle Mass: Confessions (until 11.00am) Exposition + Healing Prayer (until 11.00am) Confessions (until 5.45pm) Mass: Abigail Watson RIP & Catherine Gardiner	Saturday Octave of Easter
Sunday 7th April 2024	<i>9.00am</i> 11.00am <i>3.00pm</i>	<i>Mass at St. Michael's, Shepton Mallet</i> Mass: Fr Dominic's Intentions Holy Hour, Chaplet of the Divine Mercy	Second Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday

Liturgy of the Word

This Sunday 31st March: Easter Sunday , Year B

Sat. 9.00pm: Liturgy of the Word: Readers as List
Reader at Vigil Mass: A Grey

Sun. 11.00am: Reader: G Davison

Next Sunday: Easter Week 1 , Year B

Sat. 6.00pm: Reader S Clothier

Sun. 11.00am: Reader P Richardson

Readings for: Easter Sunday, Year B

1st Reading: Acts 10:34. 37-43

2nd Reading: Colossians 3:1-4

Gospel: John 20:1-9

Entrance Antiphon:

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

Responsorial Psalm:

This day was made by the Lord;
We rejoice and are glad.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!
Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed;
Let us celebrate the feast then , in the Lord.
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.

Teas and Coffees in the UPPER HALL after 11.00am Mass – Do join us!

Your “Weekly News” overleaf

“Weekly News”

Our parish newsletter

Sunday 31st March 2024

Collections:

Plate: £919.62p Thank you

Retiring Collection on Good Friday: Holy Places

Easter Offering: The Offertory Collection taken at the Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday Masses will be your personal gift to Fr. Dominic. Envelopes are available at the back of church if you prefer to use one.

Congratulations and welcome to Anita, Lucy, Nathan, Nicola and Phil - who are being received into full communion with the Church at the Easter Vigil this weekend. Please keep them in your prayers.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of, Adele Bruce who passed away on the 16th March at Yeovil Hospital. The Requiem mass for Adele will be on Thursday 18th April here at St Mary's, at 11.30 am. Please remember her family in your prayers.

Many parishioners will remember Fr Raymond Hayne, we heard this week that he has passed away. Please pray for his peaceful repose and please remember Catherine and his family in your prayers.

A Talk about the Holy Spirit will be given by Fr. Matt Anscombe on Tuesday 16th April, who has recently had his book published on the subject. In the Upper Hall at 7.30pm, preceded by Mass of the Holy Spirit at 7pm. Teas and coffees and everybody welcome.

A Retirement Celebration has been arranged for Kim on Friday 5 April at 6 pm at the Compton Dundon Medway Village Hall, Ham Lane, Compton Dundon TA11 6 PQ. A buffet has been organised. There will be beverages but if you have a favourite tippie please do bring. Nothing else is required. If you wish there is a card to sign for Kim. Please contact Maggy or Mario for further information 07973617057 or 07966472021

The next Vision Group will be on Tuesday 23rd April at 7.00pm

Volunteers, please, to help keep the church open during the week; with more details after Easter, we will be looking for some help. Please have a word with Clare, Mon-Fri, 9am-1pm.

Date for your diary; Saturday the 11th May at 11am-3pm in the Upper hall, there will be a workshop for Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist. Run by Sarah Adams of the Adult Education and Evangelisation department at Clifton. Fr Dominic is very keen that all Readers and Ministers should attend please.

Do you have a significant anniversary this year? The bishop is celebrating Mass in the Cathedral on Saturday 25 May (12 noon) and is inviting all families to join him to celebrate the joys & challenges of family life. In addition, we will celebrate those couples celebrating a significant anniversary during 2024. May I ask you to publicise the Mass at the Cathedral in your newsletter/website and use the attached poster on your noticeboard. As you know if there are marriages in your parish this coming year, it would be good to plant that date into the engaged couples' minds. You might also begin to find out those who are celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, 65th, or 70th anniversaries during 2024. The names of these couples – engaged and anniversaries – need to be sent to this email (adult.education@cliftondiocese.com) with their address so that personal invitations can be sent to them from the bishop. Please see poster.

Churches Together in Glastonbury are holding an AGM on Monday 8th April at 7.00pm in St Mary's Church Hall. There will be a presentation by Lauren Jewhurst from Safe Families Somerset, which is a charity that works with 35+ local authorities around the UK. Safe Families offer hope, belonging and support to children, families and care leavers; we do this primarily, but not exclusively, with and through local churches. They would love to get things started in Glastonbury. Please come along to hear about the hear-warming project and ways that you can be involved.

Clifton Diocese in partnership with 'Light of Truth' are offering an introduction to the fundamental aspects of catechesis: What it is, how to use the catechism and Scripture as foundations, and what methods to use. This training is for seasoned or new catechists working with children, young people or adults, for everyone involved in Children's liturgy of the Word, and for anyone interested in passing on the faith. The six sessions begin at 7.30pm on a Thursday evening:

- 11 April: What is catechesis? An introduction to the ministry of catechesis
- 18 April: Proclaiming the Good News: Jesus Christ at the heart of catechesis
- 25 April: The Faith of the Church: discovering the sources of our faith
- 2 May: The Word of God: opening the treasure of Scriptures
- 9 May: Methods and Resources: a joyful work of charity
- 16 May: Preparing a Catechetical Session

To sign up for the series, please click on the Zoom link below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/join/zoom-join?meeting=register/tZYqcuqrrzgjGN37LSeebdWnInfmSvURJRvK#/registration>

Father Dominic will be taking a short break after Easter and will be back on Saturday Morning.

The Parish office will re open on Tuesday morning 2nd April.

NB: British Summer Time starts this Saturday night; don't forget to put your clocks forward an hour.