

S.SILAS THE MARTYR AND THE MOST HOLY TRINITY, KENTISH TOWNPresbytery: Tel and Fax 020 7485 3727. Website: www.saintsilas.org.uk E mail: ssmktw@gmail.comNews sheet for the week beginning 4th March 2018

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| Sunday 11th LENT IV (Laetare) | 9.30am PARISH MASS (with Crèche/Sunday School) (H.T) 11.00am PARISH MASS (with Sunday School) (S.S) 6.00pm Said Mass and Benediction (S.S) R. & L. 8.45am; V. 5.30pm | Pro populo Pro populo Francis Farrell R.I.P. |
| Monday 12 th Feria | 11.30am Mass (S.S) R. & L. 7.30am | Luisa Ilda Skeats R.I.P. |
| Tuesday 13 th Feria | 12 noon Mass (S.S) 3.00pm Mass at Maitland Park R. & L. 7.30am | Richard Nicholas Arnold (Pr) R.I.P. The Residents |
| Wednesday 14 th Feria | 8.00am Mass (S.S) R. & L. 7.30am; V. 6.00pm | Ruby Marshall |
| Thursday 15 th Feria | 12.15pm Mass (S.S) R. & L. 7.30am; V. 6.00pm | Mollie Warren R.I.P. |
| Friday 16 th Feria | 7.00pm Mass of Requiem (S.S) 7.30pm Stations of the Cross (S.S) R. & L. 7.30am; V. 6.45pm | Catherine Lavin R.I.P. |
| Saturday 17th S. Patrick | 10.00am Mass (Latin) (S.S) R. & L. 9.30am; V. 6.00pm | Walsingham |
| Next Sunday 18th LENT V (Passion Sunday) | 9.30am PARISH MASS (with Crèche/Sunday School) (H.T) 11.00am PARISH MASS (with Sunday School) (S.S) 6.00pm Said Mass and Benediction (S.S) R. & L. 8.45am; V. 5.30pm | |

Confessions: Friday 6.15pm, Saturday 10.30am or by appointment.

TODAY is our break from the Penitential Season as we celebrate Mothering Sunday, in honour of the heavenly Jerusalem, the Mother of us all, and of our Holy Mother, the Church. The vestments of the day are Rose, a brighter colour to remind us to be joyful. There will, as usual, be refreshments in the Church Hall after the 11.00am Mass: we hope that you will be able to stay. There is a retiring collection after Mass towards the cost of flowers for Easter.

HOLY COMMUNION AT THE 11.00am MASS Now that we have a very few Ministers authorised by the Bishop to give Holy Communion, when there are no Ministers, Holy Communion will be given in one kind at that Mass. As you know, under either kind alone, the full Sacrament is received and the life of Jesus is given to us.

THE JUMBLE SALE has been postponed to Saturday 21st April when, hopefully, it will not be snowing. Please make a note of the date now, so that you can be there to help!

S. SILAS SICK LIST is due for one of its periodic revisions. If you would like names to remain on it, please initial those names on the list at the back of Church, and add any additional names to that list.

HOLY WEEK IS NOT THAT FAR AWAY! It is, of course, the most important week of the year. The principal events are:

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| PALM SUNDAY 25th March | Blessing of Palms and Procession at both 9.30am and 11.00am Masses |
| Monday in Holy Week | Masses 9.45am (H.T), 12 noon, 7.00pm |
| Tuesday in Holy Week | Masses at 9.30am and 7.00pm (Chrism Mass at 11.00am) |
| Wednesday in Holy Week | Masses at 8.00am, 11.00am, 7.00pm (Liturgy of the Passion at H.T. at 2.00pm) |
| MAUNDY THURSDAY | 7.30pm SOLEMN MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER followed by Watch until Midnight |
| GOOD FRIDAY | 10.00am Watch resumes 3.00pm SOLEMN LITURGY OF THE DAY 5.00pm STATIONS OF THE CROSS, VENERATION OF THE RELIC OF THE TRUE CROSS AND MARIA DESOLATA |
| HOLY SATURDAY | 11.00pm SOLEMN CEREMONIES OF THE PASCHAL VIGIL AND FIRST MASS OF EASTER |
| EASTER DAY 1st April | All Masses as usual with Maria Consolata at the 11.00am Mass |

PLEASE PRAY FOR all who are sick especially Rosaline Arthur, Sue Stevens, Jacqui York, Elizabeth Pearce, Joan Prosser, Elaine Deadman, Lars Widell, Kerry Taylor, Leslie Burrows and Doreen Williams; for Holy Trinity and S. Silas School; for peace in the world; for those who mourn and for the departed especially Jean Wright, Elaine Langley, Sr Macrina Banner O.S.B. and Richard Lea (Pr) (recently departed), Amy Coleman, Heather Lancaster, Emrys Jones, John Taylor, Emma Shaw, Luisa Skeats, Francis Farrell, Catherine Lavin, Richard Nicholas Arnold (Pr), Maria Morton, Samuel Hall, Isabel Somerset, Harry Pickering, Margaret Cowley, Ellen Talbott, Lorna Dalziel and George Russell. (anniversaries).

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