

**Local
Parishes**

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Mass Intentions 12 – 19 April 2026

Saturday	11 April	5:00pm	Sacred Heart	People of the parish
2nd Sunday Easter	12 April	9:30am	St Richards	People of the parish
2nd Sunday Easter	12 April	11:00am	Sacred Heart	People of the parish
Monday	13 April	10:30am	St Richards	No Mass
Tuesday	14 April	10:30am	St Richards	Eucharistic Service
Wednesday	15 April	10:30am	Sacred Heart	No Mass
Thursday	16 April	10:30am	St Richards	Eucharistic Service
Friday	17 April			No Mass
Saturday	18 April	5:00pm	St Richards	People of the parish
3rd Sunday Easter	19 April	9:30am	St Richards	People of the parish
3rd Sunday Easter	19 April	11:00am	Sacred Heart	People of the parish

Huge Thank you. – I would like to say a 'huge' thank you to all those people who helped in anyway during Holy Week and the Easter weekend. Special thanks to our choirs, organists, readers, eucharistic ministers, servers, flower arrangers and those who made sure our churches were open and welcoming. Our celebrations are a team effort, so again, thank you everyone who helped make this Holy season very special.

Mass Books – Sponsorship – If you would like to sponsor a book, please complete the sponsor form available at the back of church then return it with the money in an envelope. Cash or cheques please. Each book costs £5. Once completed please leave the envelope at the back of church labelled 'Mass Book Sponsorship'. If you wish to sponsor more than one book, please complete one form per book and include them in the same envelope. Thank you.

Social Committee Meeting – Sacred Heart – A meeting of the social committee will take place 13th April at 7:00pm (Sacred Heart Parish Centre) - all welcome

Quiz Night / Bingo – St Richards Parish Centre – Everyone is invited to an evening of Bingo and quizzing at St Richards Parish Centre on **Thursday April 16th** Bingo begins at 7:15pm, get your seat early.

1960's Night! – Sacred Heart Parish Centre All are welcome to come and enjoy a 60's themed night at Sacred Heart parish centre **on 18th April 2026 (7pm)** – Music by Restless Guitar Vocal Duo, pastie and pea supper, bingo, raffle and a quiz. Please bring your own drinks! Tickets (£5) will be available after Mass or by calling **07792370141**.

No Confession and Exposition this week – Confession and Exposition will continue from next Wednesday (22nd April) at St Richards between 6pm -7pm.

Foundation Governors Required – St Richards Primary School

St Richards primary school needs you! You may have attended our primary school or have children or grandchildren who attend there. The governing body now has **four** vacancies for foundation governors. Foundation governors are those whose role is to support the school by tying it into the local Catholic community and helping to ensure its Catholic ethos. You do not need a background in education, or any particular experience - we all bring our own very different personalities and skills to the role, in the service of Christ and of our Catholic family. Please speak to Fr Carl, Sue Brown, Andrew Bowyer (the organist), or Nneamaka Eyakwanor (Louisa) for further information. We really look forward to hearing from you!"

Thanks for your help!

Last Week's Collection (Plate Only): £2009:00