

HOLY WEEK

MONDAY— WEDNESDAY

CONFESSIONS & ADORATION
@ 11:00 am - 12:00pm
EVENING ADORATION
@ 7:00pm - 8:00pm

MAUNDY THURSDAY

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER
@ 8:00pm

GOOD FRIDAY

STATIONS OF THE CROSS @ 11am
PASSION OF THE LORD @ 3pm

PASSION OF CHRIST'S MOVIE
@ 7pm in the Parish Hall

HOLY SATURDAY

EASTER VIGIL IN THE HOLY NIGHT
@ 8:00pm

EASTER SUNDAY MASSES

@ 10:30am & 5:15pm

EASTER MONDAY

RESURRECTION BRING & SHARE
@ 9am - 4pm

MASS @ 12:15pm



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Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday: 10.00am - 1.00pm

Church Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 10.00am to 4.00pm

Saturday: 10.00am to 7.00pm

Sunday: 9.00am to 6.30pm

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26th March 2023-5th Sunday of Lent – A

Total Collection: £1, 438.32

First Collection: £667.88 Second Collection: £297.99 Contactless: £263.00 Others: £ 209.45

EUCCHARISTIC MIN FOR SUNDAY MAR 26TH

Saturday 6.15pm Chris Mahoney
Sunday 10.30am
5.15pm

READERS FOR SUNDAY 2ND OF APRIL

Saturday 6.15pm Chris Mahoney
Sunday 10.30am Ann Oshea, Appo, Alisha, crowd (Choir)
5.15pm Angela Dela Liana, Brian Miclat, Nalike Lopes

ALTAR SERVERS FOR SUNDAY 26TH OF MARCH

Saturday 6.15pm Chris Mahoney
Sunday 10.30am Lillian, Livia, Tia & Mavrich,
5.15pm

Full Rota for Readers is available on our website at: <https://www.stmaryonthequay.com/about-4>

From the Parish Register



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REFLECTION

Dear parishioners, Friends and Visitors , welcome to St Mary on the Quay. This Sunday the Church celebrates the **5th Sunday of Lent**.

Did Lazarus really want to be raised from the dead? Today's dramatic gospel story is rightly seen as a preface to the Resurrection of Jesus, and his power over death. But what about Lazarus himself? He had faced the agony of his illness and been through the trauma of death. He could well have begun to experience the peace and joy of the next life. Now he had to face living all



over again. Most of us who have faced trauma and bereavement have a similar choice. Do we really want to embrace life again? Lazarus responded to Jesus' call with courage. But he also had love in his heart. For love of Jesus, and for his family and friends, and for the opportunity once more to contribute to the good of the world, he stepped out in response to the call, and allowed his friends and family to unbind him from the bonds of the past and begin to live once more.

Mass Intentions Week Commencing 26th March –1st April, 2023

Sunday 26th	10.30 am	Art & Elma Poblete	Healing & Peace
	05. 15pm	Shatti Children	
Monday 27th	12.15pm	James & Sarah	Special Intention
Tuesday 28th	12.15pm	Tim Anderson	RIP
Wednesday 29th	12.15pm	Spencer Family	RIP
Thursday 30th	12.15pm	Czeslawa Wisniewska	RIP
Friday 31st	12.15pm	For all the leaders of the world to have the fear of God	
Saturday 1st	12.15 pm	James Bruce	For inner healing
	06.15pm	Susan & Nirbert	Thanksgiving for Support

We pray for the sick in the Parish and those known to us.

Mass Time: Week Days: 12.15pm (Monday to Saturday)

Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 6.15pm (**Sunday Vigil Mass**)

Sunday: 10.30am (**Choir**) & 5.15pm (**Choir**)

Mass on Holy Days of Obligation: 12.15pm & 5.30pm

Confessions: Monday to Saturday 11.30am to 12.00pm

Baptisms: If you are planning to baptise your child please contact the Parish Office for more information or speak to a priest after the mass.

Marriage Preparation: Any couple from our parish who are intending getting married in the Catholic Church are asked to note that the Church requires **at least six months notice prior to their wedding date**. Couples need to speak to a priest so as to fill out the forms and also participate in a Marriage Preparation course. Kindly, view the guidelines on our website before making any arrangements. <https://www.stmaryonthequay.com/copy-of-matrimony>

This Sunday's Reading

Parish Mass Book Page 170 (5th Sunday of Lent)

First Reading: Ezekiel 37:12-14
Psalms: 129 "With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption"
Second Reading: Rom. 8:8-11
Gospel: John 11:1-45



The Creeds

The Nicene Creed can be found on page 11 of the Parish Mass Book.
The Apostles' Creed can be found on page 12 of the Parish Mass Book.

PARISH NEWS

RODRIQUES FAMILY'S APPRECIATION : We, the Rodrigues, Family, would like to thank you for your presence and for the love and sympathy you have offered us during the funeral of our beloved father, Custodio Francisco Xavier Rodrigues. May God richly bless you.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS WITH FR. JOSEPH : Throughout the Season of Lent, there will be Stations of the Cross **every Tuesday at 7pm and every Friday after the 12.15pm mass**. You are welcome to come and join us as we take this walk – stopping at each station for prayer and meditation. This can be a moving experience for individuals or families. Please plan to prayerfully participate in this very personal walk with Jesus. **Come, just as you are.**

TEA AND COFFEE AFTER 10.30AM SUNDAY MASS : Tea and coffee will be served on **Sunday 26th March after the 10.30am mass**. Kindly take note.

EASTER MONDAY BRING AND SHARE: We are inviting all the choirs, groups, the youth, the elderly and all the families in the Church to come and celebrate Christ's resurrection with us in the form of **bring and share**. **There will be food, games, community interactions, music and celebrations**. Kindly come and let's share the resurrection joy together as a community of faith.

NO 6:15PM MASS ON HOLY SATURDAY: There will be no **6:15pm mass** on Holy Saturday. Kindly take note.

SUPPORTING THE PARISH: We spend a lot of money to run our church every day, so we need your help to run our beautiful Parish. If you use online banking and are able to set up direct debit or standing order which would be a big support for the Church, below is our Parish Bank Account details:

Account Number: 66286573

Sort Code: 52-10-03

Thank you all for your support.

DIOCESAN NEWS

Clifton Diocese Permanent Diaconate – Vocations and Formation Programme

Interested persons should email Deacon Steve here: **ste-ve.boughton@cliftondiocese.com** and his mobile is **07342 057105**.