

**4ND SUNDAY  
OF EASTER (OT-B)**

**SAT 20TH -  
SUN 28TH 2024  
(PTO FOR 5TH SUNDAY  
OF EASTER SERVICES)**

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**WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS**

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**SAT 20 APR 5.00PM HYTHE VIGIL MASS**  
**Feria** † **JOAN PACKWOOD RIP**  
RECESSIONAL COLLECTION FOR THE PRIEST TRAINING FUND

**Sun 21Apr 10.00am HYTHE Mass**  
**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR PEOPLE OF THE PARISH**  
**VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE**  
RECESSIONAL COLLECTION FOR THE PRIEST TRAINING FUND

**MON 22APR 11.00AM HYTHE Mass**  
**FERIA REQUIEM MASS** † **ANDREW McDONALD RIP**

**TUE 23 APR 10.00AM HYTHE EUCHARISTIC SERVICE**  
**ST. GEORGE MARTYR, PRIVATE INTENTION OF**  
**PATRON OF ENGLAND CHRISTINE & JANE**

**WED 24 APR 10.00AM CONVENT MASS (SISTERS ONLY)**  
**FERIA** † **SR. MATTHEW RIP**

**THU 25 APR 10.00AM HYTHE EUCHARISTIC SERVICE**  
**ST. MARK, EVANGELIST PRIVATE INTENTION OF**  
**KEN & URSULA**

**FRI 26 APR 10.00AM HYTHE EUCHARISTIC SERVICE**  
**FERIA** † **JOHN SCHOLES RIP**

**SAT 27 APR 5.00PM HYTHE MASS**  
**FERIA** **PRIVATE INTENTION OF**  
**JOCELYN & CHRISTINE ANTONIO**

RECESSIONAL COLLECTION FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF ST. GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL.

**SUN 28 APR 10.00AM HYTHE MASS**  
**FERIA: 5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER PEOPLE OF THE PARISH**  
RECESSIONAL COLLECTION FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF ST. GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL

**CONFESSIONS 11.15AM ON ORDINARY MASS DAYS IF A**  
PRIEST IS IN ATTENDANCE PRIVATE CONFESSIONS BY APPOINTMENT. EMERGENCY CALLS ONLY : 07857 196524

Pray for those who are sick in the Parish.  
Remember those who have recently died.  
And all those people whose anniversaries occur at this time.

And all those in our world suffering from war,  
natural disaster, grief, sorrow, fear and anxiety  
and all displaced persons in the world.



"I am with you always, even unto the end of the world."  
"Christ the Lord is Risen, Alleluia, Alleluia".  
**"Life, Human Life, has no equal in the World"**

**Film Night 27th April at 6.00pm - "RISEN"**

**Community Coffee on Sunday 21 April**

There will be Tea, Coffee, Biscuits (possibly cake) after Sunday Mass. Hosted by Mary R, Breda & Martin.

Any donations will go to the our Kitchen Refurbishment Fund.  
**All are welcome. Do come and join us.**

**Community Coffee on Sunday 28 April**

There will be Tea, Coffee, Biscuits (possibly cake) after Sunday Mass. Hosted by Marion & Elizabeth P

Any proceeds will go to the Handicapped Children's Pilgrimage Trust

**Readers & Eucharistic Ministers: Saturday Vigil & Sunday morning Masses**

**READERS**

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

Sat 20 Apr	Carola T	Sat 20 Apr	Chris Sr. Carmel
Sun 21 Apr	Elizabeth	Sun 21 Apr	Jim Carola
Sat 27 Apr	Shirley L	Sat 27 Apr	Annie H Bernadette
Sun 28 Apr	Carole B	Sun 28 Apr	Ellen Carol C
Sat 4 May	Sr. Carmel	Sat 4 May	Chris Annie H
Sun 5 May	Ada F	Sun 5 May	Elizabeth

**The Pope's Prayer Intentions entrusted to the Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network April. For the role of Women.**

Let us pray that the dignity and worth of women be recognised in every culture, and for an end to the discrimination they face in various parts of the World.

Let us pray for the Pope that, with the help of the Holy Spirit, he may continue to accompany in the faith the flock entrusted to him.

**GIFT AID WEEKLY DONATIONS**

Gift Aid Envelope Scheme boxes are at the back of the church for parishioners who donate weekly. The boxes have the name of the parishioner on the back of the box: please ensure you collect the correct box.

**2-WEEKLY PARISH BULLETIN**

The Parish Bulletin will now be published every 2 weeks with the 1st week's Masses and regular Parish notices on the first page and the 2nd week's Masses and wider Parish and Diocesan notices on the 2nd (reverse) page.

Notices for the Bulletin now need to be emailed (or hard copy dropped into the Office) to: [hytheasst1@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:hytheasst1@rcaos.org.uk) a minimum of 3 weeks before that date on which you wish your Bulletin item to appear.  
**Thank you**

The priesthood has always been essential to the life of the Church, from the time of Jesus until today. Good Shepherd Sunday is the day we pray for vocations, for our priests, and take up the Priest Training Fund second collection.

This fund pays for the formation of men to become priests in our Archdiocese.

After their ordination, our priests dedicate their lives to serving Christ and His people in our parishes, hospitals, schools, chaplaincies, prisons and in service to the needy, throughout South London, Kent and Surrey. We are blessed to have 5 men in formation to the Priesthood for our Archdiocese

However, it costs £30,000 a year to sponsor each seminarian. They study for 6 years before being ordained a Catholic priest.

We therefore rely on your generous support and prayers. Please support our priests of the future with a gift today.

**HCPT PRAYER GROUP**

THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE **WED 24TH APR AT 2.30PM IN THE CHURCH**

Praying for all ages with special needs of every kind: HCPT and other organisations who support and care

**Holy Day of Obligation**

**Thurs 9 June is a Holy Day of Obligation for The Ascension of the Lord**

## 5RD SUNDAY OF EASTER (OT-B)

SAT 27TH APR- SUN 5TH MAY 2024

### WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

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SAT 27 APR	<u>5.00PM</u>	<u>HYTHE</u> VIGIL MASS † JOHN REILLY RIP
Feria RECESSIONAL COLLECTION FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF ST. GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL		
Sun 28 Apr	<u>10.00am</u>	<u>HYTHE</u> Mass PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
FERIA: 5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER RECESSIONAL COLLECTION FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF ST. GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL		
MON 29 APR		<u>NO PARISH SERVICES</u> ST. CATHERINE OF SIENNA, VIRGIN & DR. OF THE CHURCH
TUE 30 APR	<u>10.00AM</u>	<u>HYTHE</u> MASS † BILLY NEARY RIP
FERIA		
WED 1 MAY	<u>10.00AM</u>	<u>CONVENT MASS (SISTERS ONLY)</u>
FERIA		
THU 2 MAY	<u>10.00AM (TBC)</u>	<u>HYTHE</u> MASS (TBC) SUBJECT TO CHANGE !!!
ST. ATHANASIUS, BISHOP & DR. OF THE CHURCH		
FRI 3 MAY	<u>10.00AM</u>	<u>HYTHE</u> MASS † JOHN DAVIES RIP
STS. PHILIP & JAMES, APOSTLES		
SAT 4 MAY	<u>5.00PM</u>	<u>HYTHE</u> MASS
THE ENGLISH MARTYRS		
	<u>1.00PM</u>	<u>BAPTISM</u> SOFIA LAIDLOW
	<u>5.00PM</u>	† MATTHEW PETER CLARKE RIP
SUN 5 MAY	<u>10.00AM</u>	<u>HYTHE</u> MASS PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER		
	<u>NOON</u>	<u>BAPTISM</u> - TAYLOR EVANS
	<u>3.00PM</u>	<u>HOLY HOUR WITH BENEDICTION</u>

Pray for those who are sick in the Parish.  
Remember those who have recently died.  
And all those people whose anniversaries occur at this time.

And all those in our world suffering from war, natural disaster, grief, sorrow, fear and anxiety and all displaced persons in the world.

### The Pope's Prayer Intentions entrusted to the Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

May For the formation of men and women religious, and seminarians.

Let us pray that men and women religious, and seminarians, grow in their own vocational journey through human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, that leads them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.

Let us pray for the Pope that, with the help of the Holy Spirit, he may continue to accompany in the faith the flock entrusted to him.

### World Communications Sunday 12 May 2024

The collection on World Communications on Sunday 12 May, the 7th Sunday of Easter, supports the work of the Catholic Communications Network (CCN), the media office of the Bishops' Conference of England & Wales. The CCN seeks to be of service both to the Church and the world in offering professional channels of communication, and provides support to the Bishops of England & Wales and the wider Church in promoting the Gospel through the media on current issues.

Its office is the focus for media enquiries on national matters, and seeks to develop the public profile of the Church and its teachings. The CCN provides up-to-date news releases, features and podcasts, information from the Bishops' Conference of England & Wales, and trains spokesmen and women.

Your Kind generosity to CAFOD for the recent Lenten Fast Appeal raised £525. Thank you. When I next able to ccess the noticeboards, the thank you letter will be posted for you to read..

### Vacancy within the Archdiocese

The Agency for Evangelisation and Catechesis has developed a strong reputation for effective and creative support for parishes in terms of evangelisation, catechesis and formation. This is chiefly expressed in the *Some Definite Service* approach to parish growth.

We are looking for a new Evangelisation and Outreach Advisor to join our well-respected and vibrant team. This is a full-time post and further information can be found on the Agency website: <https://aec.rcaos.org.uk/latest/job-vacancy-evangelisation>.

Deadline for applications midnight 15 April.  
Interviews 22 April 2024.

### DOVER DEANERY WEEKEND PILGRIMAGE TO ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX, FRANCE (Normandy)

Dover Deanery is organising a 3-day (2 nights) pilgrimage to Lisieux from Fri 6 - Sun 8 Sep 2024.

The cost will be around £350 pp all inc. Interested?: Please email: Fr. Leo [dover@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:dover@rcaos.org.uk) or call/text 07936 573155

## St George's Cathedral Second Collection

28th April

For over half a century, St George's Cathedral has been the Mother Church of the Archdiocese of Southwark, home to 175 parishes and over 50,000 Roman Catholics. For many Catholics living and working across London and the South East of England, St George's has been a beacon of light.

Today, St George's Cathedral continues to attract thousands of worshippers and visitors each year, as well as serving a lively local parish community which proudly reflects the rich cultural and ethnic diversity of South London.

The Cathedral frequently hosts important Diocesan and national celebrations, as well as concerts and events for various Catholic charities. There is a rich musical tradition, maintaining a choir of boys and men, as well as a girls' choir, both of which sing at Sunday Masses and on major feasts. In many respects, St George's Cathedral serves as a spiritual home and 'beehive' for Catholic evangelisation and mission across the Archdiocese of Southwark.

St George's Cathedral is entirely reliant upon the generosity of its parishioners, volunteers and the Archdiocese of Southwark to keep its doors open. It does not receive Vatican or government funding, nor has an endowment to rely on.

Your support can enable the Cathedral to remain open daily to those seeking a place of peace, prayer and worship.

### National Day of Prayer & Fasting For Life

On Saturday 27th Apr, the 56th anniversary of the legalisation of abortion, please pray and fast for the end of abortion and euthanasia. Your prayer and fast is urgently needed. Pray especially that 'buffer zones' will not be introduced around abortion centres.

For more information on the Day of Prayer & Fasting contact ;  
**The Good Counsel Network on 020 7723 1740**