

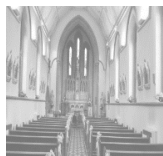
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TETBURY TOWN LITTER PICK This will take place on Monday 8th May, to which all residents are invited to partake and then bring a 'single-use plastic free' picnic to the Goods shed picnic area from 12-3pm. Litter picking equipment will be available at the Tetbury Council Offices and there will be big bins for the rubbish behind the council offices. Hope you see you there.

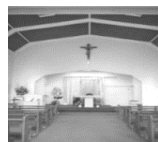
LENT CHALLENGE FOR CAFOD The three small teams who have been swimming, cycling and running during Lent have decided to amalgamate their efforts and appeal for sponsorship based on their efforts. The results are on the white board in the hall. All proceeds through Chafed to the Turkish-Syrian earthquake.

LITURGICAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR CORONATION WEEKEND

- Friday 5th May at 6.00pm in St Peter's, Mass for their majesties the King and Queen.
- Saturday 6th May at 8.00am in St Peter's, Mass of St John the Evangelist in Eastertide (John before the Latin Gate)
- Saturday 6th May NO EVENING VIGIL MASS
- Sunday 7th May, Traditional Prayer for the King at both Masses in English (Domine, salvum fac....)
- Sunday 7th May at 6.00pm in St Michael's, Coronation Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament and Te Deum



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7 St Peter's Road	Silver Street
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EASTER III – (YEAR A)

Sat 22nd Apr 6.00pm Vigil Mass in St Peter's (Pro Populo)

Sun 23rd Apr 9.00am Mass in St Michael's (Jack Harding RIP)
 11.00am Mass in St Peter's (Pro Populo)

WORSHIP EASTER WEEK 3

Mon 24th Apr **SOLEMNITY OF ST GEORGE, Patron of England**
 Mass in St Peter's 6.00pm

FR PHILIP'S DAY OFF BOTH PARISH OFFICES CLOSED

Tue 25th Apr ST MARK (Feast)
 9.30am Mass in St Peter's

Wed 26th Apr Easter Feria
 10.00am Mass in St Michael's

Thur 27th Apr Easter Feria
 9.30am Mass in St Peter's (V. Baltrag's intentions)

Fri 28th Apr Easter Feria
 9.30am Mass in St Peter's (M. Head RIP)

Sat 29th Apr ST CATHERINE of SIENA (Feast)
 9.30am Mass in St Peter's

NEXT WEEK – EASTER IV (YEAR A) – Good Shepherd Sunday

Sat 29th Apr 6.00pm Vigil Mass in St Peter's

Sun 30th Apr 9.00am Mass in St Michael's
 11.00am Mass in St Peter's (Pro Populo)

CONFESSIONS

In St Peter's Saturday 5.15pm to 5.45pm
 In St Michael's Wednesday 10.45am to 11.15am
 & by Appointment; please ring to arrange, Thank you

SOLEMNITY OF ST GEORGE: It would be nice to see you all on Monday 24th April at the 6.00pm Mass in St Peter's to celebrate the Solemnity of England's Patronal Saint. He is also patron of Portugal and of his holiness the Pope [George Marius Bergoglio]

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY (Good Shepherd Sunday) –

There is a second collection **next weekend** for the Clergy Training Fund – Gift Aid Envelopes are available, this weekend.

MASS PROPER FOR EASTER III (Year A)

Entrance Antiphon Cry out with joy to God, all the earth; O sing to the glory of his name. O render Him glorious praise, alleluia.

First Reading: Acts 2:14,22-33 *God raised Jesus to life; we are all witnesses to this*

Responsorial Psalm Show us, Lord, the path of life.

Second Reading: 1 Peter 1:17-21 *Ransomed in the Blood of Christ*

Gospel Acclamation Alleluia, Alleluia! Lord Jesus, explain the Scriptures to us. Make our hearts burn within us as You talk to us. Alleluia!

Gospel: Luke 24:13-35 *They recognised him at the breaking of bread*
Communion Antiphon *The disciples recognized the Lord Jesus in the breaking of the bread, alleluia.*

REGINA COEL' - THE EASTER GREETING TO OUR LADY

**Joy to thee, O queen of heaven, alleluia.
He, Whom thou wast meet to bare, alleluia,
As He promised, hath arisen, alleluia.
Pour for us to God thy prayer, alleluia**

Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia
For the Lord is risen indeed, alleluia

Let us pray.

O God, who by the resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ, has brought joy to the whole world, grant that through the prayers of His mother the Virgin Mary, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life, through the same Christ Our Lord. **Amen.**

BERNADETTE CHAPMAN The funeral of the late Bernadette Chapman will take place in St Michael's @ 2.00pm on Wednesday 10th May Bernadette's remains will be received into the church on Tuesday 9th May @ 4.00pm. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May her souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

- Thursday 18th May - Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord – Holyday of Obligation
- Sunday 28th May – Pentecost, the conclusion of Eastertide.
- Sunday 4th June – Most Holy and Undivided Trinity
- Sunday 11th June Corpus Christi Sunday

RESTAURATION OF THE CHALICE AT MASS the Bishops' Conference of England and Wales has decided to restore the Chalice and Communion under Both Kinds at Mass as from Maundy Thursday. As this is still early days, we shall need volunteers at first, because we have no rotas. If you are willing, please contact the relevant Parish Office. No one, has to receive under both kinds, if they are not comfortable with this.

HOW WE CAN TALK ABOUT OUR CATHOLIC FAITH Clifton Diocese in partnership with 'Light of Truth' are offering a five-week course on how we talk about our Catholic Faith with other adults, young people and children – do join us if you can.

1. How to talk about Jesus Christ Apr 27
2. How to talk about Salvation (and the problem of evil) May 4
3. How to talk about the human person May 11

4. How to talk about the Church

May 18

To sign up, parishioners need to click on: <https://www.lightoftruth.uk/event-details/further-training-for-catechists-2023-04-20-19-30>

MISSIO St Peters red box holders and donations have raised £1,373.49 towards the Mill Hill Missionaries; part of the worldwide support to the Missions. Your generosity is much appreciated, thank you. If you would like red box or support the Mission, please contact Marion through the Parish Office.

NEWMAN ASSOCIATION, there will be a talk on Tuesday 2nd May @ 2.30pm in the lounge of Sacred Hearts' Hall, Moorland Road, Charlton King s, Cheltenham, GL53 9AU. Mother Winsome, previously Mother Superior, of the Anglican Wantage sisters, has founded a new Catholic Community, the Sisters of the Blessed Virgin Mary and she will speak about their journey: Maryvale to Prinknash. All are welcome. Admission: £3 (members & students free)

CIRENCESTER FOODBANK is looking for a new trustee to join the board and help us work towards a future without the need for foodbanks. If you are looking for a rewarding, part-time voluntary role helping those in your local community then becoming then becoming a trustee may be a good fit for you. Please download the role pack below which includes an application form and more details about the role The closing date is 5th May 2023. <https://cirencester.foodbank.org.uk/trustees-wanted/>

PRAYER GROUP The next meeting of St Peter's Prayer group will take place on Tuesday 9th May @ 10.30am at Apartment 1, Woolwich House, The Waterloo, Cirencester. Tel: 01285 671156. If you are coming, please let Geraldine know. Everyone is welcome. If you would like us to pray for someone or something in particular, please let us know.