

SATURDAY

Weekday

Entrance Antiphon:

O chosen people, proclaim the mighty works of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light, alleluia.

First Reading: Acts 13: 44-52

We must turn to the pagans.

Responsorial Psalm:

All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia! Christ, having been raised from the dead will never die again. Death has no power over him anymore. Alleluia!

Gospel: John 14: 7-14

To have seen me is to have seen the Father.

Communion Antiphon:

Father, I wish that, where I am, those you gave me may also be with me, that they may see the glory that you gave me, alleluia.

SYNOD PRAYER

Father, we thank you
for the love you have shown us
in the gift of Jesus, your Son.
We thank you for the gift of the Church,
through which you show us
that you are always with us
and are always at work in our lives.

As we journey together to Synod 2020
help us to become the Church that you are calling us to be.
May your Holy Spirit be powerfully
at work among us.

Strengthen each of us and guide Francis, our Pope
and Malcolm, our Archbishop.

Help us to respond
to the challenges of our times in new ways
to bring your love to all our sisters and brothers.
We make this prayer through Jesus Christ Our Lord.
Amen

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WEEKDAY MASS SHEET

EASTER WEEK IV

3rd May - 9th May 2020

OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

We pray especially for: New Members of the Church; Vocations; The Right Use of the Media; the Church; Human Work.

HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS

Evangelisation - For Deacons: We pray that deacons, faithful in their service to the Word and the poor, may be an invigorating symbol for the entire Church.

MONDAY

THE ENGLISH MARTYRS

This group of religious, secular, clergy, laymen and laywomen suffered death for conscience's sake during a period of 150 years following the religious changes brought about by King Henry VIII.

Entrance Antiphon:

These who are clothed in white robes are they who have survived the time of great distress and have washed their robes in the blood of the Lamb, alleluia.

The Gloria

First Reading: Acts 7: 55-60

Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.

Responsorial Psalm:

Into your hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia! We praise you, O God, we acknowledge you to be the Lord; the noble army of martyrs praise you. Alleluia!

Gospel: Matthew 10:17-20

You will be dragged before governors and kings for my sake, to bear witness before them and the pagans.

Communion Antiphon:

To the victor I will give the right to eat from the tree of life, which is in the paradise of my God, alleluia.

TUESDAY Weekday

Entrance Antiphon:

Let us rejoice and be glad and give glory to God,
for the Lord our God the Almighty reigns,
alleluia.

First Reading: Acts 11: 19-26

*They started preaching to the Greeks,
proclaiming the Lord Jesus.*

Responsorial Psalm:

O praise the Lord, all you nations!

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia! The sheep that belong to me
listen to my voice, says the Lord, I know them
and they follow me. Alleluia!

Gospel: John 10: 22-30

The Father and I are one.

Communion Antiphon:

The Christ had to suffer and rise from the dead,
and so enter into his glory, alleluia.

WEDNESDAY Weekday

Entrance Antiphon:

I will praise you, Lord, among the nations; I will
tell of your name to my kin, alleluia.

First Reading: Acts 12: 24-13: 5

Set Barnabas and Saul apart.

Responsorial Psalm:

Let all the peoples praise you, O God; let all the
peoples praise you.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia! You believe, Thomas, because
you can see me. Happy are those who have not
seen and yet believe. Alleluia!

Gospel: John 12: 44-50

I, the light, have come into the world.

Communion Antiphon:

I have chosen you from the world, says the
Lord, and have appointed you to go out and
bear fruit, fruit that will last, alleluia.

THURSDAY Weekday

Entrance Antiphon:

O God, when you went forth before your people,
marching with them and living among them, the
earth trembled, heavens poured down rain,
alleluia.

First Reading: Acts 13: 13-25

*God had raised up one of David's descendants,
Jesus, as Saviour.*

Responsorial Psalm:

I will sing for ever of your love, O Lord.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia! You, O Christ, are the faithful
witness, the first-born from the dead, you have
loved us and have washed away our sins with
your blood. Alleluia!

Gospel: John 13: 16-20

Whoever welcomes the one I send welcomes me.

Communion Antiphon:

Behold, I am with you always, even to the end of
the age, alleluia.

FRIDAY Weekday

Entrance Antiphon:

You have redeemed us, Lord, by your Blood,
from every tribe and tongue and people and
nation, and have made us into a kingdom,
priests for our God, alleluia.

First Reading: Acts 13: 26-33

*God has fulfilled his promise by raising Jesus from
the dead.*

Responsorial Psalm:

You are my Son. It is I who have begotten you
this day.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia! Since you have been brought
back to true life with Christ, you must look for
the things that are in Heaven, where Christ is,
sitting at God's right hand. Alleluia!

Gospel: John 14: 1-6

I am the Way, the Truth and the Life.

Communion Antiphon:

Christ our Lord was handed over for our
transgressions and was raised again for our
justification, alleluia.