

PENANCE SERVICE

The Richborough Family Lenten Penance Service is today, Sunday 6th April, at 5.00 pm at All Saints Perry Street, Northfleet DA11 8RD. All most welcome.

HOLY WEEK & EASTER A leaflet is available for the times of services. A reminder:

- Palm Sunday (13th April) 10 am
- Maundy Thursday (17th April) 7.30 pm
- Good Friday (18th April) 9.30 am & 3.00 pm
- Holy Saturday (19th April) 7.30 pm
- Easter Sunday (20th April) 10 am

THE CHRISM MASS

Our new Bishop of Richborough will be celebrating the annual Chrism Mass in Holy Week in Rochester Cathedral on Tuesday 15th April at 12 noon. At this Mass, the Holy Oils are blessed, and priests renew their Ordination Vows in preparation for Easter. Bishop Luke hopes that as many as possible will be present from S. Augustine's and all his parishes for this service. A lunch will be served afterwards in the King's School. All welcome.

APCM SUNDAY 27th APRIL

The APCM will be held after Parish Mass on Sunday 27th April. Nomination forms for churchwarden & PCC members are on the board at the back of church. Please give any completed nomination forms to Donna.

QUIZ NIGHT

In a joint venture with our scouts, we are holding a Quiz Night on Saturday 26th April at 7 pm in the hall. £5 per head, maximum 8 per table, bring your own drinks & nibbles. Please reserve your table by speaking to Pat or emailing parish admin.

RENEWAL OF THE ELECTORAL ROLL

Please give your completed forms to Manda as soon as possible.

EASTER FLOWERS

Contributions are welcomed for Easter lilies and other Easter flowers. Please put donations in the Flower Fund box at the back of Church.

Parish Contacts

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Welcome to the Parish Church of S. Augustine of Canterbury, Belvedere

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Diocese of Rochester.

Under the Episcopal Care of the Bishop of Richborough

Sunday 6th April

5th SUNDAY OF LENT

Following an ancient tradition, the crosses and statues are veiled from today until Easter as the Church enters Passiontide.

10.00 am Parish Mass

Processional Hymn: 606

Offertory Hymn: 552

Communion Hymn: 187

Recessional Hymn: 171

MASSES THIS WEEK

Tuesday 8th April – Feria of Lent

10.00 am Mass (Please note change of time)

Thursday 10th April – Feria of Lent

10.00 am Mass

Friday 11th April – Feria of Lent

9.30 am Stations of the Cross

10.00 am Mass

Saturday 12th April – Feria of Lent

10.00 am Mass

Sunday 13th April - **PALM SUNDAY**

10.00am Commemoration of the Lord's Entrance into Jerusalem: The Blessing & Procession of Palms and Parish Mass - beginning in the Hall

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)

available after any Mass or by appointment with Fr Kevin.

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Our link parish St Mary's Chitungwiza & their Mission School

The pupils & staff of our Pre-School & Church School on school holiday.

Bexley Street Pastors.

The sick: Val, Rose, Norah, Bob, Irene, David, Richard, Muriel, Stephen, Sheelah, Sinead, Gloria, Ann, Marie, June, Freddy, Mark, Pope Francis, John.

The Recently Departed and their families & friends:

Lesley Cleary

Anniversary of Death: Tom Miles (6th)

Leonard Bunyan (7th) Jill Jones (8th)