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Palm/Passion Sunday (Year C)

10th April 2022

Sunday Reflection

Today's celebration of Jesus entry into the city of Jerusalem is popular called Palm Sunday. On closer reading of Luke's account, he presented the multitude of disciples as saying, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!" For St. Luke the whole life of Jesus is contained by the angelic and human refrain: "Glory to God, peace to men..." Peace is the gift of God, achieved through the birth, ministry, passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus. Peace is the overcoming of all divisions, of evil, of death – won by Jesus, Prince of Peace, who suffered and died for the glory of God and the salvation of humanity.

Let us pray for peace especially for Ukraine.

Reconciliation Service – On Ash Wednesday we had our foreheads marked with ashes in the sign of the Cross and we set out on a journey of conversion and repentance. We promised to die to sin and to experience God's loving forgiveness. We celebrate God's mercy in our Reconciliation Service with individual Absolution on **tomorrow, Monday 11th April at 7.30pm**. Sinners are most welcome, saints are excused!

Chrism Mass (Tues 12th April): The Mass will be celebrated at Westminster Cathedral at 12 Noon. All Welcome!

Maundy Thursday – This is the entrance into the sacred Triduum. We remember Christ's self-giving in the Eucharist and the handing on of His priesthood to his disciples, and his new commandment of loving service to one another symbolized in "the Washing of the Feet". What a rich Liturgy we will have at 8pm!

Good Friday: A Day of the Way of the Cross. The Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion will take us to the Cross of Christ. The love revealed is stronger than human sin and death. **This is at 3pm**. At 8pm we pause with Mary in her "Desolata at the Foot of the Cross".

Holy Saturday – The story of Holy Week reaches its climax in the Resurrection of Jesus. The joy of New Life is celebrated with the Easter Vigil at 9pm and continued on Easter Day. You just can't miss any part of this story!

Easter Card – In the Colonnade, Please take one for all our Easter Service Times.

*The Servite Community wish you all
A Happy, Peaceful & Joyful Easter*

New Envelopes - New Financial Year Parishioners who are members of our planned giving scheme, your new box of Planned-Giving Envelopes are now available for collection in our Colonnade. We have a new Standing Order and Gift Aid form in line with GDPR requirements. We are asking all **Gift Aid and Standing Order** people to fill out a new form please. Sorry for the inconvenience. This is a chance to review your offering. Thank you all for your contributions and co-operation.

Lord Jesus

*I give you my hands to do your work, I give you my feet to go your way
I give you my eyes to see as you do, I give you my tongue to speak your words
I give you my mind that you may think in me, I give you my spirit that you may pray in me
Above all, I give you my heart, That you may love in me, Your father and all mankind
I give you my whole self that you may grow, In me so that it is you Lord Jesus
Who live and work and pray in me. Amen. © The Grail Society*

Mass Times

**Please see our Easter Card
For Mass Times**

Sacrament of Confession

Saturday 10.45 – 11.15am

6.00 – 6.30pm

Mon. – Fri. 6:15 – 6:30pm

Parish Office Opening Hrs

Mon – Fri 9am to 5pm

(Lunch from 1.30pm to 2.30pm)

Rosary

Every Wednesday after
10am Mass followed by Tea
in the Founders Room.

- Rosary also held
on Sundays at 3pm
in the Colonnade.

Legion of Mary

Every Tuesday at 7pm in the
Parlour.

Holy Hour

1st Friday of every month
after 10am Mass. The hour
will include Rosary, Litany
Divine Mercy & Benediction.

Saints Days

Thu 14th – Maundy Thursday

Fri 15th – Good Friday

Sat 16th – Holy Saturday

Relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis

Exposition of this Relic on every
Monday after our 10am Mass.
Confessions can also be heard
at this time.

Blessed Carlo Pray for us.