



**St Margaret Mary,
Birmingham
EASTER IV**

**Good Shepherd Sunday, World
Day of Prayer for Vocations.**

30th April, 2023

Welcome

*If you need detailed readings they are on p.262 of
the yellow books available from the back of church.*

Priest: ✠ In the name of the
Father and of the Son and of the
Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen**

Priest: The Lord be with you

All: **And with your Spirit.**

Confiteor: I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned,
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done and in what I
have failed to do, through my fault,
through my fault, through my most
grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed
Mary ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,

to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Priest: May Almighty God have
mercy upon us, forgive us our sins
and bring us to everlasting life.

Amen.

Kyries

Gloria in excelsis

Glory to God in the highest, and on
earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore
you, we glorify you, we give you
thanks for your great glory, Lord
God, heavenly King, O God, almighty
Father. Lord Jesus Christ, only
begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of
God, Son of the Father, you take
away the sins of the world, have
mercy on us, you take away the sins
of the world, receive our prayer, you
are seated at the right hand of the
Father, have mercy on us. For you
alone are the Holy One, you alone are
the Lord, you alone are the Most
High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy
Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

First reading: *Acts 2.14, 36-41.*

*Peter stands up with the eleven disciples to
witness to the crucified Lord.*

Psalm Response: *The Lord is my
shepherd, there is nothing I shall want.*

Second reading: **1 Peter 2.20-25**

*You have come back to the shepherd of your
souls.*

Gospel Acclamation: (Please

stand): *I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I now my own sheep and they know me.*

The Gospel: John 10.1-10. *I am the gate of the sheepfold.*

Homily

Apostles Creed I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only son, Our Lord, *who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary*, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and life everlasting. Amen.

Bidding Prayers

Offertory hymn

This is the day, this is the day
That the Lord has made,
That the Lord has made.
We will rejoice, we will rejoice
And be glad in it,
And be glad in it.
This is the day that the Lord has made,
We will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day,

This is the day that the Lord has made.

This is the day, this is the day
When He rose again,
When He rose again,
We will rejoice, we will rejoice
And be glad in it,
And be glad in it.
This is the day when He rose again,
We will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day,
This is the day when He rose again.

This is the day, this is the day
When the Spirit came,
When the Spirit came,
We will rejoice, we will rejoice
And be glad in it,
And be glad in it.
This is the day when the Spirit came,
We will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day,
This is the day when the Spirit came.

Pray Brethren that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the almighty Father.

All: **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

Sanctus: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The Mystery of faith: Save us, Saviour of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection, you have set us free.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are called to his supper of the Lamb. All: **Lord I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

Communion

Blessing and Dismissal: Go forth in peace. **Thanks be to God.**

Notices * Figures for 23/4/2023:
Gift Aid: £69, Building Fund: £300,
Loose: £296.61 Mary's Meals:
£213.17 Attendance: 242

*APF Missio Red Boxes – please would you bring in your red box before 7th May.

* A Coronation Tea Party commemorating King Charles III will take place after the 11am Mass on 7th May, Easter V. If you would like to help, please inform Fr Simon.

* The Portal magazine
portalmag.co.uk is out on 1 May:
<https://soundcloud.com/user-666404058> for the weekly podcast.

***Sycamore Course Summer 2023**

6pm-7pm, Wednesdays
Newman Gallery in Church (upstairs)
10 May The existence of God
24 May A God who speaks
7 June Who is Jesus?
21 June The Holy Spirit and the Church
12 July The Holy Bible
19 July Gift of Faith
26 July Baptism and the Sacraments

*Donated toys available from the back of church for any families who are in need.

*Pope Francis Apostleship of prayer for May: *For church movements and groups We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.*

* Archdiocese Pilgrimage to Lourdes is 27 May – 2 June, for details and booking, go to <https://www.tangney-tours.com/pilgrimages/lourdes/birmingham-lde> If you would like to join the Lourdes pilgrimage and would like to join the music ministry band, please contact Jobe Sullivan on ceolgency@gmail.com

***Prayers for the departed:**

William Charles Edwin Chew, Mick Lawrence, Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, Sr Deidre Michael SBVM, Fr Michael Beattie SJ, Cyril (Ray) Bricknall, Cardinal George Pell, David Bevington, Rita (Margaret) McNamara, Joan Dyke, Shirley Williams, John Montague, Peter Iriabe, Mick Lawrence, Mary Margaret (Molly) Wilson, Christiana K. Chukwurah, Mary Russell, Richard Edwards, Rachel Upham, Jane Young, Fr Richard Smith, David Coffey, Janina Demska, George Grouse, Bishop David McGough, Kathleen Rogers, Shannon McDermott Brazell, May Veasey, Gordon Baker, Denise D'Caccia, Marion Fuller, Bishop Christopher Budd, Peter Celestine Ezenwaegbu, Ivan (Luka) Ogirko, Stephen McLoughlin, Maureen Dodds, Terence John Mesley RIP

THIS WEEK

Saturday, 29th *'Spring into Summer'*
Community event on The Ring, Witton Lodge 12 -3pm. St Margaret Mary Church will be running a chocolate lucky dip stall. Please let Fr Simon know if you are interested in helping. Proceeds to J T Hospice. 5.45pm-6.15pm Confessions. 6.30pm Vigil Mass (Kathleen Eustace RIP).

Sunday, 30th April **Easter IV** 9.30am Mass (Barry Kelly RIP). 11am Mass (Maureen Dodds). 2nd *Collection: clergy training fund.*

Monday, 1st May St Joseph the Worker. 9.30am Mass at *The Convent of the Sisters of the Blessed Virgin Mary, 99 Old Oscott Hill, Kingstanding.* 6.30pm Adoration & Benediction. 7pm Mass (Joseph, father of Thomas Joseph).

Tuesday, 2nd St Athanasius. 8.55am Rosary. 9.15am Mass (For the souls in Purgatory)

Wednesday, 3rd St Philip and St James. Apostles. **No Mass.**

Friday, 5th 9.15am Mass (King Charles III). 7pm *First Friday Mass at Sacred Heart, Maryvale.*

Saturday, 6th 5.45pm-6.15pm Confessions. 6.30pm Vigil Mass.

Sunday, 7th **Easter V** 9.30am Mass (Greta Merle Agnes West RIP). 11am Mass, followed by Coronation Party on the lawn.

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