



PARISH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

~ THANET ~

Parish Church: OUR LADY AND SAINT BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass Centre: CHRIST CHURCH (U.R.C.) WESTGATE BAY AVENUE, WESTGATE

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WEEKLY DIARY

Sunday 23rd April 2017
SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY



Saturday 22nd April (Evening)

Confessions 5.15 pm to 5.45 pm

Vigil Mass

6 pm BIRCHINGTON *WHITE*
Peggy Hogwood, RIP *Katie & Joanne*

Sunday 23rd April 2nd Sunday of Easter

9.15 am BIRCHINGTON
Sydney Frost, RIP *Kathleen Frost*

10.45 am WESTGATE MASS CENTRE
Geoffrey Shawcase, RIP *The UCM*

3 pm BIRCHINGTON
Divine Mercy Service

SEASON OF EASTER *Psalter week 2*

Monday 24th April (Red) *St. George, Patron of England*

10 am The Holy Souls *John & Caroline Kelly*

Tuesday 25th April (Red) *St. Mark*

10.30 am Requiem Mass
of Peter Carter, RIP

Wednesday 26th April (White) *Feria*

10 am Thanksgiving for 35th Wedding
Anniversary *Maria and Alex Cabidoy*

Thursday 27th April (White)

2 pm Requiem Mass
of Mary Lane, RIP

Friday 28th April (White) *Feria*

9.30 am EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

10 am Yvonne Kearney, RIP *Edward Kearney*

Saturday 29th April (White) *St. Catherine of Sienna*

9.45 am MORNING PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

10 am People of the Parish

Collection: 15th / 16th April 2017

Easter	Gift Aid	Loose Plate	TOTAL
Offerings £523.00 £1,229.00 £1,752.38
Mass Centre Repository £100.00		

Thank you for your generosity

Canon David wishes to thank all the parishioners for their Easter Cards and gifts, and everyone who assisted in the Easter services.

Special thanks to the Altar Servers, Choir/Church Organist, Flower Ladies in both Birchington and at the Westgate Mass Centre, Church Cleaners and those who set up the Altar, the hall, the Altar of Repose and the Ladies who served the Simnel Cake and Wine on Holy Saturday Evening.

Canon David



Divine Mercy Sunday TODAY
Devotions & Benediction
Sunday 23rd April at 3 pm

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: There will be a meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council on **Tuesday 2nd MAY** in the Parish Hall at 7.30 pm.
NOTE DATE CHANGE




LIFE ASCENDING INTERNATIONAL (ASCENT):
Sincere thanks to Rosemary and Gordon Traynor who have led our Group for the last six years.

The Meeting planned for Thursday 27th April to discuss **"The Way Ahead"** has been postponed in order to allow members to attend the funeral of Mary Lane at 2 pm.

MASS FOR THE SICK

There will be a Mass for the Sick on
Sunday 14th May
in the Parish Church Birchington at 3 pm.
Followed by a Reception in the Hall.



ANNUAL MASS FOR MARRIAGE: The annual Mass in celebration of the Sacrament of Marriage will be held at **St. George's Cathedral London on Saturday 17th June 2017** in the afternoon. **Time to be agreed.** Forms at the back of the church and the Mass Centre. **Please complete and return to Parish Office by 30th April 2017**

Requiescant in pace

PETER CARTER RIP: Peter's Requiem Mass this week on **Tuesday 25th April** at 10.30 am in the Parish Church Birchington. Committal at Thanet Crematorium at 12 Noon

MARY LANE RIP: Mary's Requiem Mass this week on **Thursday 27th April** at 2 pm in the Parish Church Birchington. Committal at Thanet Crematorium at 3.15 pm. **Reception of the deceased into the church on Wednesday 26th April at 4.30 pm**