



ST. PATRICK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

29th March 2026 AD

Year A (Cycle II – Psalter Week 2)

Gospel Reading:	Matthew 21:1-11— <i>Blessed is He who comes in the Name of the Lord!</i>
First Reading:	Isaiah 50:4-7 — <i>I hid not my face from disgrace, and I know that I shall not be put to shame</i>
Responsorial Psalm:	Mt God, my God, why have you forsaken me? (Psalm 22)
Second Reading:	Philippians 2:6-11 — <i>The humbled Himself, therefore God has highly exalted Him</i>
Acclamation:	Praise to You, O Christ, King of eternal glory. Christ became for us obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted Him and bestowed on Him the Name that is above every name. Praise to You, O Christ, King of eternal glory. (Philippians 2:8-9)
Passion Reading:	Matthew 26:14-27:66 — <i>The Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ</i>
Communion Antiphon:	If this chalice cannot pass without my drinking it, Your will be done. (Matthew 26:42)

Day	Time	Service	Intention
PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD	29th March 11:00am	SUNG MASS	People of the Parish and for Pauline Brice
Holy Monday	30th March 7:00pm	Mass	Mary Webb RIP
Holy Tuesday	31st March 10:00am 11:00am 2:00pm 7:00pm	Rosary Chrism Mass at Portsmouth Cathedral Mary's Way of the Cross with CWL Mass	Followed by Hot Cross Buns in the Hall Mary Webb RIP
Holy Wednesday	1st April 7:00pm	Mass	Augustine Whiting (Birthday)
MAUNDY THURSDAY THE EASTER TRIDUUM	2nd April 11:00am 7:00pm	Funeral Mass EVENING MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER	Mary Webb RIP Ordained Clergy
GOOD FRIDAY THE EASTER TRIDUUM	3rd April 10:00am 1:45pm 3:00pm 6:00pm	Stations of the Cross (for children) Stations of the Cross Liturgy of the Lord's Passion Novena of the Divine Mercy begins Maria Desolata	
Holy Saturday THE EASTER TRIDUUM	4th April 7:30pm	No sacraments are celebrated today The Easter Vigil	Christine Hartridge
EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD	5th April 11:00am	SUNG MASS	People of the Parish and for Joyce, Elza, Felicie Rocchiccoli

Prayers For The Sick: Wendy Field, Patricia Church, John Nowaczewski, Peter van der Merwe, Maureen & Gerard Cronin, Mike Peacock, Liam Brice, Mick O'Mahony, Lizann de Souza, Liz Parkinson, Kevin Conroy, Maria Gaye, Balthazar Martin.

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of those recently departed: Mary Webb

and those whose Anniversaries occur at this time: Robert Chapman, Ursula Everett (Tue) Edith Berthould, Barbara Gale (Wed) Jean Benson (Fri)

Queen Alexandra Hospital Chaplaincy Number : 023 9228 6000

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