

THIS WEEK

Morning Mass: Mon-Sat, 10:00am
followed by Adoration & Confession
until 11:00am, then the Rosary

Evening Mass: Mon, 6:30pm (in the
Day Chapel - use the side entrance to
enter the chapel) & **Fri, 6:30pm** (in the
main Church)

TUESDAY 14 APRIL, 6:30pm

Mass in honour of St Padre Pio

TODAY'S READINGS

Acts 2: 42 - 47

Ps 118 (117)

1 Peter 1: 3-9

John 20: 19-31

SUNDAY OFFERTORY/TITHES

FEBRUARY TOTAL: £13,005.85

Standing order & online: £ 4,559.33

Contactless: £ 1,604.00

Cash: £ 6,842.52

TOTAL: £ 13,005.85

Weekly average: £ 2,694.00

CAFOD: £ 731.00

SAFEGUARDING IN OUR PARISH

Creating and maintaining a safe environment is everyone's responsibility. Each of us plays an important role in fostering a culture of care and protection within our parish community. We are all called to help safeguard children, young people, and vulnerable adults. If you have any safeguarding concerns, please contact: our parish safeguarding representatives:

Angela Anyanwu ☎ 07979 047550

Bernadeta Dymek ✉ stamfordhillsg1@safeguardrcdow.org.uk

You may also leave a message on the Parish Office phone: ☎ 020 8800 2121

NORMAL CHURCH TIMES

Saturday Evening Mass (Vigil): 6:30pm

Sunday Mass: 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am,

-in Polish (*po polsku*): 12.30pm, 6:30pm

-in Spanish (*en espanol*): 4:30pm

Monday - Saturday Mass: 10:00am

Monday & Friday Mass: 6:30pm

Padre Pio and *Divine Mercy* Masses: 2nd
& 4th Tuesday of the month: 6.30pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

after 10:00am Mass each weekday,
Saturdays or *by appointment*.

Rosary: 11:00am each weekday.

PARISH STAFF & TEAM

☎ **020 8800 2121**

Parish Priest: Fr. Jim Conway SJ.

Assistant Priests: Fr. John McCabe SJ
Fr. Piotr Kropisz SJ

Resident Jesuits: Fr. Anthony Aduaka SJ
(ANW, KCL), Fr. Roseller Atilano SJ (PHI, LSE)
Fr. Harry Elias SJ, Fr. Jean Nyembo SJ (ACE,
Arise Project), Fr. Michael Smith SJ (JRS).

Music: Ann Bennett

Sunday Sacristan: Axel Rejas

Parish Secretary: Judy Bronson

☎ 020 8800 2262 (*Tue-Thu 9:00am 1:00pm*)

Catechetics: Aga Wiecek ☎ 020 8800 2202



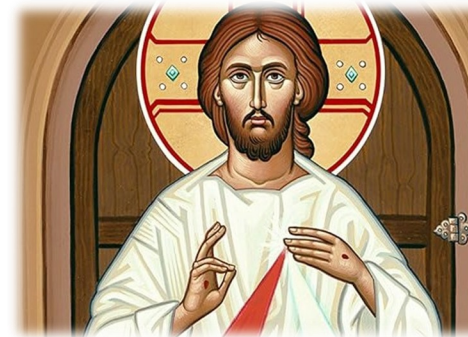
2nd Sunday of Easter (Yr A)
12th April 2026

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Divine Mercy - Peace be with you!



On this Second Sunday of Easter, we hear again those simple, healing words of the risen Jesus: "Peace be with you." In the Gospel, He comes to His disciples behind locked doors into their fear, their confusion, and even their doubt. He shows them His wounds, not as signs of defeat, but as marks of love transformed. He

breathes His Spirit upon them and entrusts them with the gift of forgiveness. Even Thomas, in his uncertainty, is gently drawn into faith. Divine Mercy Sunday reminds us that God meets us in those places that are sometimes fearful and anxious, in our woundedness, uncertainty, and in need of His compassion.

In his Easter message, Pope Leo spoke with clarity into a world overshadowed by conflict. He pleaded: "Let those who have weapons lay them down," and "let those who have the power to unleash wars choose peace." He reminded us that true strength is not found in domination, but in mercy that restores dignity and opens a path to reconciliation. As a fragile ceasefire begins to take hold in regions torn apart by violence in Iran and Lebanon, his words carry a particular urgency.

The Holy Father's Vigil for Peace on Saturday evening stands as a powerful witness to faith, an invitation to the whole Church to turn again to prayer, trusting that God's mercy can touch even the hardest of hearts. It's a quiet but profound reminder that, in a world so often marked by division, the Church continues to believe in the possibility of peace.

"Jesus, I trust in You."

Responsorial Psalm:

Give praise to the Lord, for he is good, his mercy endures for ever



ST IGNATIUS YOUNG ADULTS

Our monthly Mass for 18 to 35 year olds is **NEXT** Sunday at 3.00pm. It will be followed by refreshments in the house.

Spread the word!

ST IGNATIUS SOCIAL APOSTOLATE

A workshop on substance abuse among teenagers is being offered at 5.30pm on Saturday 18th April, in the parish hall. Gabbi, the coordinator of our social apostolate, writes:

"Are you concerned about substance use among teenagers? Join us for a warm, open, and non-judgmental meeting for parents and carers. The workshop will consider current trends affecting young people, how to start conversations at home and where to find support and advice. The session will be led by a therapist in Polish (with information available in English)"

JESUIT MISSIONS APPEAL.

Fr Paul Martin, a British Jesuit working in Guyana, South America, will speak at all of the Sunday Masses next weekend about the work of Jesuit Missions. There will be a retiring collection.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

Our new Planned Giving envelopes are available for collection this weekend (and next weekend: 18–19 April.) We are deeply grateful for your ongoing commitment, which supports the upkeep of our Church

and its mission

EASTER GARDEN

We welcome donations of flowering shrubs in pots for the Easter Garden (at St Joseph's Altar) which will be present throughout the Easter Season. We are grateful to all who give so generously throughout the year to help us with flowers to decorate the Church.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL

For priests in crisis

Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

ANNUAL MASS OF THANKSGIVING for the Sacrament of Matrimony at Westminster Cathedral on Saturday 23rd May at 2.30pm, with Archbishop Richard Moth. Couples celebrating their 5th 10th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th and 60th (and every year over 60) wedding anniversary are invited. If you are celebrating, please give your parish clergy the following details: husband and wife's names, wedding date, full postal address and contact email (or telephone number, if no email).

PILGRIMAGES WITH THE 'A DAY WITH MARY' ORGANISATION

8–15 July 2026: Pilgrimage to Fatima. Closing date: 28 April 2026.

1–10 September: Pilgrimage to Italy. Closing date: 23 June 2026

Further information is available at <https://www adaywithmary.org/>

DIOCESE OF WESTMISTER'S ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES:

Join Westminster Diocese's new Archbishop Richard Moth on this year's pilgrimage to Lourdes from Friday 17th to Friday 24th July 2026.

See: <https://rcdow.org.uk/pilgrimages/lourdes/> for more details

TEA, COFFEE & REFRESHMENTS after our morning Masses today.

Please pop-in and say hello