

ST ANSELM 21 April

Consider, O my soul, and you, my inmost self, reflect, how much my entire being owes to Him.

In truth, O Lord, because you have made me, I owe my whole self to your love; because you have redeemed me, I owe my whole self; because you promise so much, I owe my whole self; no— I owe so much more than myself to your love as you are greater than I, for whom you gave yourself and continue to promise yourself.

Grant, O Lord, I beseech you, that I may taste by love what I taste by speculation, perceive by affection what I perceive by the understanding. I owe you more than my whole self; but I have no more than myself to give; nor even can I give my whole self to you without your aid. Draw me, or rather this whole self of mine, O Lord, into your love. All that I am is yours by creation; make it all yours by love. Behold, O Lord, my heart lies open before you it tries, but of itself it cannot; oh, do yourself what my heart cannot do. Admit me within the chamber of your love.

I ask, I seek, I knock. You who cause me to ask, cause me to receive. Thou give me to seek, give also what I am to find. You who teach how to knock, open to him that knocks. To whom do you ever give, if you say 'no' to him who asks? 'Who finds at all, if he that seeks seeks all in vain?' To whom do you ever open, if you shut the door to him that knocks? What do you give to him who does not pray, if you refuse your love to him who does pray? The de siring is from you; let me have the obtaining of it from you, too.

Cling to Him, O my soul; cling, cling with importunity.

Good Lord, good Lord, cast it not away; it faints of hunger for your love; revive it; let your sweet grace satiate it, and your unfailing fondness nourish it, and your divine love fulfil it, and occupy me altogether, and possess and fill me through and through; for you art with the Father and the Holy Ghost, God only blessed for ever and ever. Amen.

—from the XI Meditation of St Anselm,
'On the Redemption of Mankind'

Readings for the Fourth Sunday of Easter
Acts 4:8-12; Psalm 117; 1 John 3:1-2; John 10:11-18



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SUNDAY 15 April	THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER Saturday Vigil Sung Mass 5.00pm Holy Rood (<i>Divine Worship</i>) Mass 6.30pm Our Lady of the Rosary Mass 7.30pm Holy Rood (in Portuguese) Sunday Sung Mass 9.15am Our Lady of the Rosary <i>Pro populo</i> Sung Mass 11.15am Holy Rood <i>M&M Dennehy</i>
Monday 16 April	Monday of the Third Week of Easter Funeral Mass 1pm Our Lady of the Rosary <i>Iris Butler RIP</i>
Tuesday 17 April	Tuesday of the Third Week of Easter Mass 9.30am Our Lady of the Rosary Adoration 8.00pm Our Lady of the Rosary
Wednesday 18 April	Wednesday of the Third Week of Easter Mass 9.00am Holy Rood
Thursday 19 April	<i>St Alphege, Bishop, Martyr</i> Mass 6.30pm Holy Rood (<i>Divine Worship</i>) <i>Adoration & Confessions until 8.00pm</i>
Friday 20 April	Friday of the Third Week of Easter Mass 8.30am St Thomas More Mass 12.30pm Holy Rood (<i>Latin 1962</i>)
Saturday 21 April	<i>St Anselm, Bishop, Doctor</i> Mass 9.00am Holy Rood <i>followed by Rosary; Confessions 9.30-10.00am</i>
SUNDAY 22 April	FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Saturday Vigil Sung Mass 5.00pm Holy Rood (<i>Divine Worship</i>) Mass 6.30pm Our Lady of the Rosary Mass 7.30pm Holy Rood (in Portuguese) Sunday Sung Mass 9.15am Our Lady of the Rosary <i>Pro populo</i> Sung Mass 11.15am Holy Rood <i>Pro populo</i>

Our Lady of the Rosary, Botley, OX2 9BD ✕ **Holy Rood**, Abingdon Road, OX1 4LD
St Thomas More, Grace Dieu, Boars Hill, OX1 5DN

BRING AND SHARE | TODAY there will be a bring and share light lunch after the 11.15am Mass at Holy Rood.

OUR LADY'S SPARROWS | The next rehearsal of Our Lady's children's choir will be on **15 April**. For further information, please contact Alex Lloyd (alvlloyd@gmail.com).

PLEASE PRAY for the repose of the soul of Iris Butler, and for David and the family. Funeral will be tomorrow **Monday 16 April**, 1pm at Our Lady of the Rosary.

FIRE TRAINING | On **Saturday 28 April** at 10.30am, English Martyrs in Didcot. This is open to all but especially to our parish fire officers. Please email the office if interested.

PARISH COLLECTION TOTALS
Week ending 8 April 2018
Main collection plate: £ 396.83
Standing orders: £600
Emmaus: £100.70
Holy Places: £ 501.55
Parish giving info: Cheques should be made payable to: **PRCDTR North Hinksey Our Lady** Bank transfers to account number **00883337**, sort code **309304**. For Gift aid, please complete the gift aid declarations at the back of church and return it to the office.

FORTHCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS | 22 April Clergy Training Fund

COUNTING ROTA
Monday 16 April
Janet and Gerald

NEWSLETTER | Please send all notices for next week's Newsletter by **Thursday 10 am** to hinksey@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

CHILDREN'S DIARY
Children's liturgy runs every Sunday, during 9.15am Mass at OLOR.
For any queries please contact Blanka mccarthybb22@hotmail.com

YOUTH EVENTS
'HOT POTATO' session will now take place at 3:30pm on **Sunday 22 April**, at the Holy Rood Presbytery. This will provide an opportunity for young people (13-18) to ask Fr. Daniel any 'burning' questions they have about the Church or their faith. All teenagers are welcome! If you are coming please let Melanie know at tipayouth@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

MINI PILGRIMAGE | 19 May from 9.30 -5pm, leaving St Edmund's in Abingdon at 9:30am and walking to the Youlbury Scout Camp in Boars Hill for activities and Mass. The cost will depend on which activities young people choose, but the maximum price anyone will pay for 2 activities shouldn't exceed £20. To see videos and list of activities available please visit www.scoutadventures.org.uk. Bring a packed lunch, waterproof coats, sturdy shoes and a change of clothing. To book a place email Melanie (email above) at the latest on the **28 April** specifying which 2 activities you would like to do.

HOLY ROOD CHILDREN'S CHOIR | Singing practice after Sunday Mass resumes soon: please check the newsletter for the exact date.

JOB OPPORTUNITY | Christian children's charity Viva is looking for a full-time **Global Funding Officer** who will take our fundraising from trusts, foundations, statutory bodies and other charities to the next level. Closing date: **22 April**. More details: viva.org/jobs or phone 81 1660.

IN OUR PRAYERS
THE SICK AND THOSE IN NEED |
Andres Barranco, Anderson Barranco, Sean Hodgkins, Vanessa Clark, John Finch, Maurice McAvoy, Peggy Duhig, Anne Lansberry, Ted Renshaw, Brian Hodgkins, Moira Fryer, Marian Miller, Bob Martin, Fr Robin Sanders, Julia Craig-McFeely, Oscar Sanchez Hidalgo, Karina Sanchez Lazo.
THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED |
Iris Butler

HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS |
Universal: **For those who have Responsibility in Economic Matters.** That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open new paths.

ENCOUNTER THE HOLY SPIRIT
from the WILD GOOSE video series produced by the Franciscan Friars at St Edmund's Church Parish Centre, 1 Radley Road, Abingdon OX14 3PL on Saturday afternoons from 2 – 3:30pm. Starting on the 21 April. All welcome, no charge! Refreshments at 1:45 pm. Free study guides
For details phone Abingdon 528528. Please see poster in church for more details.

PILGRIMAGES ✕ LOURDES ✕ Bishop Philip would like to invite all those who will finish their exams this summer to join him and a group of students from the USA for a week of prayer, formation and fun from **12-16 July**.

YOUTH GROUP | As advertised
WOMEN'S READING GROUP | A group of women from the Parish meets once a month on a Monday evening, 8.30-9.30pm to read and discuss together AMORIS LAETITIA. Please contact maria.rosa.antognazza@kcl.ac.uk.
ROSARY | Saturday morning after 9.00am Mass.

ORDINARIATE | Mass, Saturdays at 5pm (for the Sunday obligation); 6.30pm on Thursdays, both at Holy Rood. Masses using the Ordinate Missal, which anyone is welcome to attend, are indicated by *Divine Worship* in the newsletter. **NB No Ordinate Mass on Saturday 7 April.** The next *Divine Worship* Mass is on Saturday 14 April at 5.00pm (for Sunday)

APOSTOLIC EXHORTATION ✕ GAUDETE ET EXSULTATE of the Holy Father Francis on the call to holiness in today's world. This new document was released on Monday and it is available to download from w2.vatican.va. The Holy Father's goal for this apostolic exhortation is to repropose the call to holiness in a practical way for our own time, with all its risks, challenges and opportunities. *For the Lord has chosen each one of us "to be holy and blameless before him in love" (Eph 1:4).*

SHARE THE JOURNEY | A joint CAFOD & CARITAS conference in response to Refugees and Migrants on **Saturday 12 May** at St Edward the Confessor Church, Chandler's Ford from 10am to 4pm. Please see poster in church with further details.

ADORE (Alton Day Of REnewal) ✕ You are warmly welcome to a mini-retreat day of spiritual refreshment and renewal, focussing on Renewal and Mission. At Alton School, Anstey Lane, Alton GU34 2NG. From 11.00am to 4pm. Talk "Setting the Down-trodden Free" by Peter Hobbs. No need to register in advance. For more information and directions, see poster in church.

SUMMER CAMP | This summer, **20-24 August**, the Fanning the Flame Catholic Mission will run their Summer camp for 10-25 year olds in the New Forest. For more information visit www.ftfcm splash.com