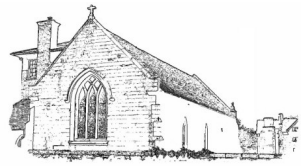


# ST MARY'S CHURCH HARVINGTON, DY10 4LR



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## *Celebrations of Holy Mass*

As of Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March, **the celebration of Mass will not be public in any setting in the United Kingdom.**

**At St Mary's**, Fr John will celebrate Mass privately each day. When he does so, the church will remain closed to the public, including all parishioners. Mass intentions attached to these Masses will be honoured.

In line with the Bishops' Conference guidance, **only priests may be present for the celebration of Mass**. The obligation for the faithful to attend Holy Mass on Sundays and Holydays of Obligation is removed until further notice.

Since all of the faithful will be asked to make a **Spiritual Communion** (rather than receiving Holy Communion) during this time, those confined to home who normally receive Holy Communion from Sunday Mass will also be asked to make a Spiritual Communion.

**Confessions** will be heard at 10.30am each Saturday following Fr John's private celebration of Mass.

**Live-streaming** of Masses is advertised on the Diocesan website ([www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk](http://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk)). Here is a link to West Midlands churches:

<https://www.mcnmedia.tv/cameras/county/west-midlands>

To recite the **Stations of The Cross** privately with the aid of prayers and images of the Stations displayed on the walls at St Mary's click on the 'Special Interest' tab on our website [www.stmarysharvington.org.uk](http://www.stmarysharvington.org.uk).

*The preparation of children for **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** and the **SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION** is suspended until further notice.*

**Anniversaries in March:** Rev John Marsden (1824), Ann Parkes (1863), Joseph Chare (1865), Rev John Brownlow (1888), Philip Alfred Haskew (1897), William Benedick Oakley (1908), Henry Mercer (1974), Anna Newton Keenan (1992), Ernest Godwin (1993), Ann Kiley (2004), Martin Amphlett (2013) Geraldine Pritchard (2017), Aubrey Campbell (2018), Tom Wilcox (2018), Anthony Francis-Flores (2018), Vincent Glynn (2019), Michael Bianco (2019)

**Prayers for the sick:** Michael Bird, Kathleen Clark, Denis Conway, Peter Handley, Jeannie Morrison, Lucinda Robinson

**MASS INTENTIONS honoured this week:**

<b>Sunday 22nd March</b>	Anthony Francis-Flores R.I.P.
<b>Monday 23rd March</b>	Maria Costanzo R.I.P.
<b>Tuesday 24th March</b>	Neal Jack R.I.P.
<b>Wednesday 25th March</b>	Ollie & Evelyn R.I.P.
<b>Thursday 26th March</b>	Doreen Millard R.I.P.
<b>Friday 27th March</b>	Holy Souls
<b>Saturday 28th March</b>	Sam & Beatie Gilt-Hill R.I.P.

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**Contributions to the Parish:**

**Weekly Offertory taken on Sunday 15th March**

Gift Aid Direct Debits	£259.00
Gift Aid Envelopes	£161.50
Loose cash	£167.62



**FOOD BANK:** There is an even greater need for us to remember those depending on the services of the local Food Bank at this time of national concern. **Please leave your donations** of food, toiletries etc in the porch. If you wish to make a cash contributions please place it in an envelope provided on the table in the porch and post it through the letter box of the Priest's House. **DO NOT LEAVE CASH** in envelopes or otherwise, in the porch.

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Father John wishes to express his heartfelt thanks for all the kindness and generosity shown to him on the occasion of his 50th Anniversary or ordination to the priesthood, celebrated last Sunday.

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**SAFEGUARDING OFFICER:** Mrs J Lloyd - 01562 754448

Call 0121 230 6240 to speak to someone about Diocesan safeguarding and the Church's work. To speak to someone independent of the Church contact the NSPCC on 0808 800 5000.

**HEALTH & SAFETY OFFICER:** Peter Boszko

**EMERGENCY EXIT:** Via sacristy and through the house