8th - 16th April 2023 Masses and Services

Ramsey			Peel	
Holy Saturday		Easter Liturgy	Easter Liturgy	
_	9.00 pm	H.E. & F. O Mahony	7.00 pm	Grumley Family
Easter Sunday				
	8.00 am	Parishioners	9.30 am	Dickinson & Kelly Families
	11.00 am	Tom Emmett		
Monday	10.00 am	Andrew Jolliffe	10.00	Communion Service
Tuesday	10.00 am	Moira Hurst	Midday	Private Intention
Wednesday	7.30 pm	Barney McGinley	-	
Thursday	10.00 am	Sam Smythe	Midday	Holy Souls
Friday	10.00 am	Benefactors	Midday	Special Intention
Saturday	12.30 pm	Mary Frost	•	·
•	6.30 pm	Parishioners		
Sunday	11.00 am	Julia Mansfield	9.00 am	Christine Leadlev

Confessions: Ramsey - Saturday, after 12.30pm Mass & 5.45 - 6.15pm: Wed. 7 - 7.20pm

Peel - Sunday, 8.30 - 8.50am

Last Week's Donations: Ramsey - £837.25 Peel - £284.15 Coffee Morning £614.25

Readings for the Week

10th April 2023 - Monday

Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 15:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Mt 28:8-15

11th April 2023 - Tuesday

Acts 2:36-41; Ps 32:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22; Jn 20:11-18

12th April 2023 - Wednesday

L1 Acts 3:1-10; Ps 104:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:13-35

13th April 2023 - Thursday

Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2a and 5, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:35-48

14th April 2023 – Friday

Acts 4:1-12; Ps 117:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a; Jn 21:1-14

15th April 2023 - Saturday

Acts 4:13-21; Ps 117:1 and 114-15, 16ab and 17-18, 19-21; Mk 16:9-15

Prayer of the Faithful: This is the day that the Lord has made; Response: **let all the earth rejoice.**

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NOTICES

With every good wish and blessings to you all for this joyful season.

You are fondly remembered and assured of prayers in Rome by **Canon Gillespie** at this great time.

Fr. Brian (Westminster) likewise sends his best wishes to you, assuring you of his prayers.

Divine Mercy Sunday

Next Sunday, 16th April, is designated Divine Mercy Sunday. In Ramsey the Holy Hour of Divine Mercy will be celebrated 2.30-3.30, preceded by the availability of the Sacrament of Confession.

Ramsey

Requiem mass for Christine Price on Monday of next week, 17th April at 10.00 am.

Easter Sunday

There will be our annual **Easter Egg Hunt** in the garden after Mass for all the children. Easter goodies plus tea and coffee will be served to all in the Presbytery after Mass. The Easter Egg raffle will be drawn during this - so please buy your tickets - all proceeds going towards the Lourdes Fund.

To Share the Eucharist

One of the many lovely things about our Catholic faith is that we can share together the blessings of the Eucharist. Over the past 2000 years there have been many different words or phrases used for what we now perhaps are more familiar with calling THE MASS - the different words all highlight one or more particular aspects of what we are doing when we gather together for THE LORD'S SUPPER, the Synaxis (the gathering) the Holy Liturgy, the breaking of the bread. To deliberately come together in one place , to receive that 'daily bread' which nourishes us and keeps us going on our Christian journey through life, to commemorate what the Lord did at the Last Supper and on Calvary..... all of these and many other things are represented by the teaching of the Second Vatican Council when it spoke of there being two tables set before us at Mass...the Table of God's Word and the table of the Holy Eucharist. Both tables nourish us by the good things which are presented to us, both tables gather us around them not as strangers but as friends and fellow pilgrims on the journey.

As in every Eucharistic celebration, the Risen Lord is encountered in the Sunday assembly at the twofold table of the word and of the Bread of Life. The table of the word offers the same understanding of the history of salvation and especially of the Paschal Mystery which the Risen Jesus himself gave to his disciples: it is Christ who speaks, present as he is in his word "when Sacred Scripture is read in the Church". At the table of the Bread of Life, the Risen Lord becomes really, substantially and enduringly present through the memorial of his Passion and Resurrection, and the Bread of Life is offered as a pledge of future glory. The Second Vatican Council recalled that "the Liturgy of the Word and the Liturgy of the Eucharist are so closely joined together that they form a single act of worship".

Pope Saint John Paul II, Dies Domini (the day of the Lord) paragraph 39, 1998