# MASS TEXT

#### Sunday Year C Weekday Cycle I Divine Office: Vol. 2. Week I

Praise we now the Lord our God. in silence we adore you.

#### OT Read: Isaiah 43:16-21

#### **RP: 125**

What great deeds the LORD worked for us! Indeed, we were glad.

#### NT Read: Philippians 3:8-14

#### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Praise to You O Christ, King of Eternal Glory Even now, says the Lord, return to me with all your heart. for I am gracious and merciful. Praise to You O Christ, King of Eternal Glory

Gospel: John 8:1-11

#### PREFACE: III of Lent EUCH. PRAYER: III

# 13th April 2025 Palm Sunday of the Lord (C)

OT Read: Isaiah 50:4-7 **RP: 21** NT Read: Philippians 2:6-11 Gospel: Luke 22:14-23:56

# WEEKLY COLLECTION

St. Teresa's: £ 529.08 Holy Trinity & St. Luke's: £ 194.50 Thank you so much everyone for your generosity.

**Baptisms** can easily be arranged by contacting Father directly

Weddings normally require six months notice, please contact Father before booking.

SICK & HOUSEBOUND. Your Clergy are available to offer the sacraments of healing (anointing), Reconciliation and Holy Communion. If any parishioner requires assistance or needs to talk, please call on the Parish number.

# HOLY WEEK/ EASTER Dates for your calendar

#### LENTEN PENITENTIAL SERVICES Saturday 5th April - 4.00 pm - St Luke's Moffat

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> April - 7.00 pm – **Holy Trinity, Lockerbie** 

+ HOLY WEEK +

MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK 10am Morning Mass in St Teresa's

7.30pm Ecumenical Service in St Andrew's Church, Dfs.

### **TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK**

Morning Mass in St Teresa's 10am 7.00pm Chrism Mass, St Margaret's Cathedral, Ayr. Coach departs Holy Trinity at 4.00pm. Coach departs St Teresa's at 4.45 pm

### WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK

9.30 am Adoration/ Morning Mass in Holy Trinity

### MAUNDY THURSDAY

10am Morning Prayer in St Teresa's & Holy Trinity Confession in St Teresa's till 11am. Mass of the Lord's Supper in Holy Trinity 7pm Quiet prayer at the Altar of Repose (In Hall) Confession in HT Church till 9.15pm.

Mass of the Lord's Supper in St Andrew's, Dfs 7pm 9.30pm Night Prayer and Benediction in Holy Trinity

# **GOOD FRIDAY**

8.50am Walk of Witness, Moffat

Morning Praver in St Teresa's & Holv Trinity 10am 11am Walk of Witness, Lockerbie

- The Liturgy of the Passion in Holy Trinity, 3pm
- The Liturgy of the Passion in St Andrew's, Dfs 3pm Special Collection for the Holy Places
- Stations of the Cross in St Teresa's & Holy Trinity 7pm Confession in St Teresa's afterwards till 8.30pm.

# HOLY SATURDAY

- 10am Morning Prayer in Holy Trinity and St Teresa's, with the Blessing of Easter Food Confession afterwards in St Teresa's till 11.30am 8pm Easter Vigil Mass in St Luke's, Moffat
- Easter Vigil Mass in St Andrew's, Dumfries 9pm Easter Vigil Mass in St Teresa's, Dumfries 10pm

# EASTER SUNDAY

9.30am Mass in Holy Trinity, Lockerbie 11.30am Mass in St Teresa's, Dumfries

# **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY, 27<sup>th</sup> April**

Mass in St Teresa's (2.15 pm Confessions). 3pm

**KEEP IN PRAYER the recently deceased members:** Margaret Hart, Alfie Cummings, Kevin McGee, Manus Boyle, Liam Murray, Daphne Little, Catriona J. Lau, Rosie Biggin, Delia Moscardini, RIP. We pray for them, and their families.

The sick and housebound would appreciate a copy of the bulletin, if you can please pop one through their door. Thank you.

# Fifth Sunday of Lent (C) - 6th April 2025

The Catholic Parishes of St Teresa's, Dumfries, Holy Trinity, Lockerbie with St Luke's, Moffat. Served by **THE SPIRITANS** (Holv Ghost Congregation)

# Newsletter

Year C - Cycle 1 - Eucharistic Prayer: III - Psalter: I St. T (St Teresa's), St. A. (St Andrew's, Dumfries) St. L (St Luke's, Moffat), HTL (Holy Trinity, Lockerbie)

Saturday 5th April - Memorial of BVM (1st, 3rd + 5th Sat. in St. Teresa's)

10.00 am - St T. - Mass - Tom McCormick, Wellbeing 10.30 am - St. T. - Reconciliation, Adoration & Bene. 5.00 pm - St. L. -Vigil Mass - Young families/ Couples

Sunday 6th April - 5th Sunday of Lent (C) 9.30 am - HTL - Mass - Margaret Hart, RIP, BD Rememb'c 11.30 am - St. T.- Mass - Madeleine Callander, RIP, 1st Anni

Monday 7th April - Feria 10 llbeing

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Sunday Masses are Live Streamed from St Teresa's Church, Dumfries. Please follow the link on our website.



10.00 am - St. T Mass - Anna-Marie Budyn, Wellbei
Tuesday 8th April - Feria
10.00 am - St. TMass - Paul Joseph Brown, RIP, BD Ren
7. 00 pm - HTL Growing in Faith - "The Chosen" Talks
Wednesday 9th April - Feria
9.30 am – HTL - Reconciliation, Adoration & Bene.
10.00 am – HTL –Mass - Jenny Glffn , RIP

10.00 am – St. A. – Mass 7. 00 pm - St. T. - Growing in Faith - "The Chosen" Talks

Thursday 10th April - Feria 10.00 am -St. T.- Mass - Joan White, RIP

Friday 11th April - Feria

10.00 am - St. A. - Mass

12.00 n - St. L. Stations of the Cross 7. 00 pm - St. T./ HT.L. - Stations of the Cross

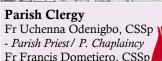
Saturday 12th April - Memorial of the BVM (2nd & 4th Sat. in St Andrew's)

10.00 am - St A- Mass -

5.00 pm - St. L. Vigil Mass - Young people of the Parish

Sunday 13th April - Palm Sunday of the Lord (C) 9.30 am - HTL - Mass - Fr Martin Birrell, Wellbeing 11.30 am - St. T.- Mass -Gerald Ondei & Family, Thanksgiving

You are very welcome in our parish community, a special place where we gather frequently for worship, fellowship, ministry, inspiration, and outreach. We all respect the need for silence, and of course, we love to welcome children, and we know that they don't always find that so easy – so relax!



**YOUNG ADULTS TALK:** Aged 18-30? Why not join us in St Teresa's, Dumfries (DG2 9DE) for another evening, Sunday 6th April, starting with Mass at 5.45 pm. The theme: 'The Paschal Triduum: Understanding Christ's Sacrifice' will explore the questions of why Christ had to die on the cross, and why he accepted death on a cross. For more info, search @rcdgyouth online.

**THANK YOU.** A most generous £205.24 was donated to SCIAF last week and has been sent to them with your very best wishes. Your Wee Boxes can be handed in from Easter Sunday onwards. Please keep using them till then.

**TEA AT ST LUKE'S.** We look forward to your coming in for a cuppa and a chat in the Proudfoot Social Club following the 5.00 pm vigil Mass, Saturday 5th April. You are welcome

CUPPA AT HOLY TRINITY. Please join us for a cuppa and a chat after Mass, in the Hall.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**. During Lent, this devotion will take place on Fridays at St Teresa's Dumfries, 7. 00 pm. St Lukes, 12.00 n. Holy Trinity, Lockerbie, 7.00 pm.

**P3 – P5 SACRAMENTS & EASTER** Fun event is on Tuesday 8th April, 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm, at St Teresa's Church Hall, is organised for all children preparing for the Sacraments, those who last year undertook their Sacraments and any who will be taking part in sacramental preparation next year (P3-P5). Snacks and drinks provided. Scan the QR code to sign up. There is no cost and children can be dropped off.



**COFFEE MORNING**: The annual coffee morning in aid of the Ababa Project will be held at Moffat Town Hall on Saturday 21st June, from 10:30 am - 12 noon.



Please contact Anna-Marie & Luke if you wish to help with the stalls this year. Donations can be left at the back of the church or bring them along on the day. "

**LECTIO DIVINA.** Do you want to listen, meditate and respond to Christ speaking to you in the Scripture readings (for the coming Sunday)? By spending time pondering the Scripture, we grow in our relationship with Christ, the living Word. Like many, why not join the Lectio Divina session, every Tuesday, from 10.45 am in St Teresa's Parish Hall? A cuppa is served at the start, and we finish at 11.45 am. You're Welcome."

**THE 50/50 CLUB.** New members are always welcome, only £1 per month. Contact Julie on her email: JMApplegarth@aol.com

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Wednesdays Day time Hours @ HT. Lockerbie

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**SAFEGUARDING TRAINING** for volunteers will be offered at St Teresa's Hall on Sunday, 6th April, at 3.00 pm. It is for relevant Parish ministries that entail having a valid PVG clearance and undertaking ongoing training.

**YOUTH EASTER GATHERING:** Are you in P6-S6? Join the Diocesan Youth Office for a day of fun, games, activities and discussions as we gather to celebrate Easter on Saturday 26th April in St Teresa's, Dumfries (DG2 9DE) from 11.00 am to 4.00 pm.



Free transport is available from Saltcoats, Kilmarnock, and Ayr. Scan the QR code on the poster or search @rcdgyouth online to register to take part.

**CHRISM MASS:** Bishop Frank will lead the annual Chrism Mass at 7.00 pm on Tuesday 15th April in St Margaret's Cathedral, Ayr. The free coach will be leaving from the High Street bus stop opposite Holy Trinity, Church, Lockerbie at 4.00 pm. Please sign up in the church porch today.

**OFFERTORY ENVELOPES.** We are very grateful to those of you who make your weekly offerings using the envelope system. Please pick up the new set in the parish shop. If you can gift aid your offerings, use the weekly envelope or a Standing Order. If you would like a set of envelopes but do not yet have one ask in the shop and they will be glad to help.

**VIRTUAL CHARITY SHOP**: This is a new 'Frontier' for The Ababa Project Team. Please start clearing out 'vintage' items no longer of any use that we could sell. There will be a full list of items that we can use and another of items that we cannot use. e.g. no books, clothes. Bring your items along to church or contact Beatrice (07803 242372) for advice or to have them collected. There will be restrictions on weight to help with sorting, postage and selling to a company that will pay us a fair rate. Excited!!

THE CHOSEN. Do you want to follow the Life of Christ this Lent? Perhaps you are intrigued by the person of Jesus or simply interested in what Catholicism is about. We invite you to Come and See THE CHOSEN, a ground-breaking historical drama based on the life of Jesus Christ. Join us at Holy Trinity Hall, Lockerbie, every Tuesday in Lent, at 7.00 pm. You can ask questions, encounter God and journey with others. Thanks.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED.** This Lent is another opportunity for you to serve the community, especially as a Reader, Eucharistic Minister, Sunday's Tea & Coffee, Church or Hall Cleaning, etc. We need your help here and would appreciate your volunteer service. Please speak to Tim or the parish clergy if you can. Thanks

MARRIAGE. FAMILY AND LIFE OFFICER invites you to group sessions offered to families interested in enrichment in married and family life. Join us on 18th May 2025, from 7 pm to 8 pm at St Teresa's Church Hall. There will be a 15-minute session for more information after the 11.30 am Mass on Sunday 15th May.





BIG HORRIBLE MISTAKE: There is the story of a young woman who talked to her pastor about the sin of pride. She said, "Every Sunday I come to church and look around and think to myself that

I am the prettiest girl in the church. I try to stop but I just can't.

Am I horribly sinful?" The minister looked at her and said, "No dear, not horribly sinful; just horribly mistaken."