

# ST. MARY'S • ST. JOHN BOSCO • ST. EDWARD'S

*Second Week of Eastertide, Lectionary Year A, 2026*

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### Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> April - Saturday within the Octave of Easter

**5.30pm:** Confession - St. John Bosco's

**6pm:** Holy Mass - St. John Bosco's, Michael & Maisie McDonagh and Tom McDonagh RIP

### Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> April - Second Sunday of Easter - Divine Mercy Sunday

**9am:** Holy Mass - St. Edward's, All Parishioners

**11am:** Holy Mass - St. Mary's, Margaret and John Reilly RIP

**5.30pm:** Confession - St. Mary's

**6pm:** Holy Mass - St. Mary's, Colin Marston RIP

### Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April

**7pm:** Pause and Reflect - St. Edward's, All Welcome

### Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> April

**10am:** Holy Mass - St. Edward's, Deacon John Parker RIP

### Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> April

**10am:** Holy Mass - St. Mary's, Jenny Ayre RIP

**6pm:** Confession - St. Mary's

**6.30pm:** Exploring Faith - St. Mary's, For those exploring the Catholic faith, those considering reception into full communion, and Catholics who would like a deeper grounding in the faith.

### Friday 17<sup>th</sup> April (No Meat Today)

**10am:** Holy Mass - St. John Bosco's, Fr. Owen O'Neill RIP

### Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> April

**5.30pm:** Confession - St. John Bosco's

**6pm:** Holy Mass - St. John Bosco's, Belinda

### Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> April - Third Sunday of Easter

**9am:** Holy Mass - St. Edward's, Caelum

**11am:** Holy Mass - St. Mary's, John Ryan RIP

**5.30pm:** Confession - St. Mary's

**6pm:** Holy Mass - St. Mary's, All Parishioners

### FROM THE PARISH PRIEST

Low Week follows the great splendour of Easter and Divine Mercy Sunday, and though the outward solemnity has lessened, the joy of the resurrection remains. In these quieter days, Our Lady teaches us to keep the mystery of Christ faithfully in our hearts, pondering in silence the victory of her risen son. St. John Bosco reminds us that Easter joy must be handed on, forming souls in prayer, grace, and the sacramental life. St. Edward the Confessor shows us that the power of the resurrection must shape the ordinary order of christian life, making it more peaceful, reverent, and faithful under the kingship of Christ. So in Low Week, under the patronage of St. Mary, St. John Bosco, and St. Edward, we learn to receive Christ in faith, to form souls for him, and to live each day in the steady light of his resurrection.

### NOTICES

**Exploring Faith** returns on **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> April at 6.30pm** in St. Mary's Church

**Parish social. 2<sup>nd</sup> May 7.15pm** - St. John Bosco's Hall - Curry, DJ, Bingo Night.

**There will be no Friendship Club** on 14<sup>th</sup> April at St. John Bosco Hall

**Day out to Crich Tramway Museum** on **Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> May**, <https://cathparishmje.co.uk/diary/>

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