

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

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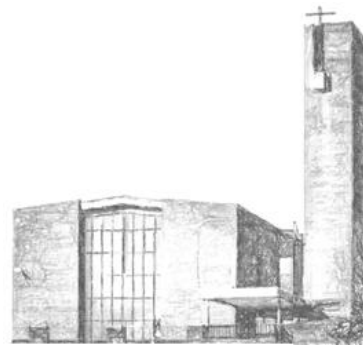
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19th April 2026

3rd SUNDAY of EASTER MASS

SERVICES FOR 20th – 26th April 2026

Monday	
09:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Mass
18:00	Reception of Remains - Margaret Woods
Tuesday	
09:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Funeral Mass for Margaret Woods
Wednesday	
09:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Mass
Thursday	
09:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Mass
19:00	Evening Mass
Friday	
09:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Mass
18:00	Reception of Remains - John Taggart
Saturday	
09:25	Litany & Holy Rosary
10:00	Funeral Mass for John Taggart
16:00	Vigil Mass
Sunday 4 th Sunday of Easter	
09:00	Mass
11:00	Mass

COLLECTIONS & DONATIONS - THANK YOU

Offertory cash	£1,287
Envelopes	£310
Votives	£140
Stall	£60
Digital - Offertory	£222

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

READING 1 ACTS 2:14, 22-33

It was impossible for him to be held in the power of Hades.

PSALM PS 16:1-2. 5, 7-11 R. 11

Show us, Lord, the path of life.

READING 2 1 PET 1:17-21

Your ransom was paid in the precious blood of a lamb without spot or stain, namely, Christ.

GOSPEL LUKE 24:13-35

They recognised him at the breaking of bread.

REFLECTION ON THE READINGS

The speech of Peter in Acts and the dialogue with the Risen Christ on the road to Emmaus both feature a lot of explaining. The nothing-has-changed and yet everything-has-changed reality of life after the Resurrection seems to run counter to so many expectations for an immediate and outward overthrow of the current order. The new era of living in faith in what has been revealed in Jesus Christ is beginning.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

RIP Hugh Quinn, Bill Shaw, Joan Davie, Simon Loftus, James McGinn, John Taggart

SICK Julie McCarthy

ANNIVERSARIES Joe Rock, John Tennyson, May McKeown, Stephen & Patricia Lynch, Mae Mulgrew, Una Cortopassi, Mary Nocker, Jim Douglas

MONTHS MIND Rose Tierney

BIRTHDAY REMEMRANCE Hugh & Betty Ward

FUNERALS

Margaret Woods - Reception of Remains Mon 20th April 6pm

Funeral Tues 21st April 10am

John Taggart - Reception of Remains Fri 24th April 6pm

Funeral Sat 25th April 10am.

NOTICES, FUTURE EVENTS & SERVICES

KILT WALK

Michael and Anne Goldie are setting up a team to take part in the Kilt Walk on Saturday 25th April starting at 9:30am. All money raised will go towards the church roof repair fund. If you're interested in joining them, contact Michael on 07824445912 for more details.

Each participant will have to pay £20 to cover costs.

UPDATE ON RENOVATIONS

On the weekend of 9th & 10th May 2026, the Parish Finance Committee will provide an update on the proposed building works together with ways in which we can collectively contribute to the repayment of the Diocesan Loan. We are confident this major project, which is essential to the future of the Church, will be delivered with the generosity of parishioners and express appreciation for the fundraising which is already underway.

SCIAF- THE 'WEE BOX'

If you have not already done so, please return the 'Wee Box' as soon as possible.

WALKING PILGRIMAGE FROM MOTHERWELL TO ST ANDREWS

We are organising a Diocesan walking pilgrimage from Motherwell Cathedral to St Andrews, walking around 10-12 miles each Tuesday. It started on 7th April and will continue until 9th June. The pilgrimage is free; the only cost will be for transport back to our starting point. If you would like to join us, or would like more details, contact Jim McKelvie at pilgrimage@rcdom.org.uk or call 07957 847290.

AFTERNOON TEA

Some of the ladies in the Parish are organising an Afternoon Tea in the Church Hall, to help raise funds for our forthcoming Building Renovations.

The Afternoon Tea will take place on Friday 15th May 2026, from 1pm until 3pm.

Tickets, priced £10, will be available after all Weekend Masses, from 18th April.

GOOD FUN – GOOD FOOD – GOOD CAUSE

CATHOLIC FAMILY HOLIDAYS IN THE LAKE DISTRICT

Castlerigg Manor in Keswick (heart of the Lake District) is offering budget-friendly holidays for Catholic families during May, August, and early September. Breakfast and evening meal are included and there will be Mass on site. Guests have full use of the site including the grounds, games room, chapel, and lounges, and Castlerigg is just a short walk from Keswick and Lake Derwentwater. Ideal for individuals, couples, families, or groups of friends. Head to www.castleriggmanor.com to stay with us or contact director@castleriggmanor.co.uk / 017687 72711

YOUTH MINISTRY GAP YEAR OPPORTUNITY

Do you know anyone aged 18-25 who is looking for a new challenge? The Diocese of Lancaster has a Youth Ministry team based in Keswick in the Lake District. They run retreats at Castlerigg Manor and also work in Churches and schools around the area. The 'Youth Ministry Internship' scheme comes with high quality training, experience, and recognised qualifications and gives young people the chance to join a welcoming community and a vibrant team doing some amazing work. Interested?

Contact director@castleriggmanor.co.uk or www.castleriggmanor.com to join the team

CAMP OUT FOR HOPE

Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) Scotland are excited to invite you to the Camp Out for Hope! This will be a powerful event to show solidarity with our suffering and displaced Christian brothers and sisters around the world. Come along for an all-night prayer vigil, opportunities to learn how you can make a real difference in the lives of others, and time to relax and build new friendships!

Join us on Saturday, 30th May - Sunday, 31st May at Carfin Grotto from 8pm - 8am. Head to trybooking.com to sign up or scan the QR code. Spaces are limited, so signing up is essential! Signing up is free, and there is a special fundraising element woven into this event. Every bit helps - but the more we raise the more lives are changed! £50 is a great starting point. When you sign up, you'll get a fundraising pack and a link to join our JustGiving team



page.

Contact ACN Scotland at scotland@acnuk.org or 01698 337 470 for more information. Note that you must be age 16+ to participate.

DIGITAL SUNDAY OFFERING

The following QR Code or link takes you to a secure web page that can be used for your Sunday Offering.



Please note that not only can you donate your weekly donation online, there is also provision to give a donation for any special collections.

<https://donate.mydona.com/our-lady-of-lourdes-church>

You can also register for Gift Aid or Gift Aid your offering. Only those who Gift Aid will have their details recorded. You can also include a short message.