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LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday 12th April – Sunday 19th April 2026

Mass Readings: Sunday Year A, Weekdays Year II

Sun 12th April	6.30pm 9.30am 11.00am 12.15pm 2.00pm	Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER Divine Mercy Sunday Family Mass Baptism Adoration, Divine Mercy Prayers and Mass	P.J. Manuel (death anniv) Parish Family Cath & Tim O'Keeffe Wedding Anniv) Penny Layne
Monday	10.00am	Ferial	Fosca Gorman (health)
Tuesday	10.00am	Ferial	Sick and housebound
Wednesday	10.00am	Ferial	Ken Vieira (RIP)
Thursday	10.00am	Ferial	Holy Souls
Friday	10.00am	Ferial	Special intention
Saturday	6.30pm	Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday	Yvonne & Brian Stokes (thanksgiving)
Sun 19th April	9.30am 11.00am	THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER Family Mass	Mr Stephen White (RIP) Parish Family
Weekend Masses	6.30pm	9.30am	11.00am
Readers	Roland Young	Roseline Ngenyi	Peculiar Chinagorom
Welcomers	Jo Williams	Shaji Thomas	Ajimol Sibi

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Monday to Friday at 9.30am; Saturday 6pm and Sunday 9am.
Rosary: Saturdays 6pm and Weekdays after 10am Mass.
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays 5.45pm; Sundays 8.45am and Weekdays after Mass on request
Baptism: Please contact parish priest and collect the Baptism application form after Mass.
Marriage: 6 months' notice to be given.

The Gloria

Glory to God in the highest,
 and on earth peace to people of good will.
 We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,
 we give you thanks for your great glory,
 Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.
 Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
 Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
 you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
 you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
 you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
 have mercy on us.
 For you alone are the Holy One,
 you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High,
 Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
 in the glory of God the Father.

Amen

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
 Creator of heaven and earth,
 and in Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord,
(At the words that follow, up to and including 'the Virgin Mary', all bow)
 who was conceived by the Holy Spirit
 born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,
 was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell;
 on the third day he rose again from the dead;
 he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right
 hand of God the Father almighty;
 from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.
 I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
 the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
 the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting.

Amen

Sick and housebound: Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick including: Patricia Reynolds, Margaret Allman, Margaret Waugh, Patricia Cummins, Kay Casbolt, Prue Morrison, Fosca Gorman. Sr Suzan Geoge SMMI, Cecilia Hooper. Please inform parish priest or email parish office to add or remove from this sick list for prayers.

Death Anniversaries (12th April to 19th April): Eric Greaves (12/4), James Patrick Murphy (16/4) Thomas O'Connor, Bernard Phi8lip Clarke (Boyne) (18/4) John William Furness Clarke (19/4). The names of the dear ones are taken from the book of remembrance. If you wish to add the names of your loved ones in the Book of Remembrance, there is a form in the porch to write their names or email parish office.

Divine Mercy Sunday: Sunday 12th April the church will remain open for prayer with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions from 2.00pm. The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed at 3pm and the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be celebrated at 3.30pm.

Recently Deceased: Please pray for the response of the soul of **Ken Vieira** who peacefully died at Prospect House, Malpas on 7th April. Please also keep in your prayers specially his daughter Ena Vieira-Milton, grandson Daniel and family. May his soul rest in peace.

Help Needed: The Parish Office needs some help sending newsletter, creating rotas, maintaining the Web pages. So, if you have the IT skills and can help please speak to Fr Francis or contact Gordon Grieves on the parish office email.

Parish Census: Thanks for all those who have returned the completed form. It is most encouraging to know that many new families have registered. However, we find that many of our regular parishioners have not yet filled in or returned the form. It would be a great help if all could participate in this important exercise so that we have up to date parish records. Census record forms are available in the porch.

Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage 2026: The Pilgrimage Team are very pleased to announce that bookings are now open for our 2026 75th Anniversary Pilgrimage to Lourdes. By coach 30 July to 7 August and by air 31 July to 6 August. Brochures can be found on the pilgrimage website www.shrewsburypilgrimage.co.uk along with a link to the new online booking system.

Offertory Envelopes: The salmon coloured offertory envelopes, for the next tax year, are now available at the back of the church. Please do not use them until Sunday 12 April, 2026. If you would like a box of envelopes or are interested in setting up a standing order and/or gift aiding your contributions, please contact Richard Shrimplin or email parish office.

Job Vacancy: Two vacancies have arisen within the Shrewsbury Youth Mission Team for a **Programme Coordinator** and **Youth Mission Team Member**. Further details regarding both posts can be found on the Diocesan Website. <https://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/latest-vacancies/> Interested parties should send their CV and covering letter to Pauline McCulloch recruitment@dioceseofshrewsbury.org **Closing date Friday 29 April 2026.**

Offertory Collections: Sunday 5th March £394.50 Weekly Standing Orders - £88.00. **Good Friday** collection for Holy Places £104.96 Thank you.

Newsletter: if you have anything for inclusion in the newsletter, please email it by evening on Wednesday.

Foodbank: Please continue to support the foodbank. All donations are collected from the porch every week.

Act of Spiritual Communion: *My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.*