



# OUR LADY OF DOLOURS SERVITE CHURCH

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**5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER (YEAR B) 28<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2024**

## Mass Times

**Vigil Mass:** Sat 6.30 pm  
Sunday 9.30 am  
11.00 am  
Spanish Mass 12.30 pm  
6.30 pm  
Mon to Sat 10am & 6.30 pm

## Sacrament of Confession

Saturday 10.45 – 11.15 am  
6.00 – 6.30 pm  
Mon – Fri 6:15 – 6:30 pm

## Parish Office Opening Hrs

Mon – Fri 9am to 5pm  
(Lunch from 1.30pm to 2.30pm)

## Rosary

Every Wednesday after  
10am Mass followed by Tea  
in the Founders Room.

- Rosary also held on Sundays at  
3pm in the Colonnade.

## Legion of Mary

Every Tuesday at 7pm in the  
Parlour.

## Holy Hour

1<sup>st</sup> Friday of every month after  
10am Mass. The **Blessed**

**Sacrament** will be exposed for  
Rosary, Litany Divine Mercy &  
Benediction.

## Safeguarding Office

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## Saints Days

**Mon 29<sup>th</sup>** – St. Catherine of Siena

**Tue 30<sup>th</sup>** – St. Pius V

**Wed 1<sup>st</sup>** – St. Joseph the Worker

**Thu 2<sup>nd</sup>** – Celebration of the Feast of  
St. Peregrine

**Fri 3<sup>rd</sup>** – Sts. Philip and James

**Sat 4<sup>th</sup>** – St. Peregrine of Flori



## St. Peregrine Mass of Healing

Our next St. Peregrine Mass of  
Healing is on **29<sup>th</sup> of May 2024**  
at 6:30pm.

## Relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis

Exposition of this Relic on every  
Monday after our 10am Mass.

**Blessed Carlo, Pray for us.**

## **Abide in Love**

*This section of the gospel of John 15:1-8 is the centerpiece of the entire sequence at the Last Supper and features what is possibly the best known and best-loved text from the entire address: Jesus' description of himself as the "True Vine". In the sentences that follow, aspects of this image are unfolded in the interest of the disciples' "remaining" of "abiding in love".*

*When Jesus describes himself here as "the true vine" there is an implied contrast with Israel as the unfruitful vine, while he himself is the nucleus of a renewed Israel which will yield the "fruits" that God, the owner of the vineyard, seeks.*

*"Apart or cut off from me you can do nothing" (15:5), as Jesus can do nothing without the Father. The Father expects the disciples, his children, to bear fruit. He is glorified-revealed-in the Son, in his obedience and in the perfect accomplishment of his work. The glorification-revelation-of the Father also in the obedience and fruitfulness of those who are joined to the Son. The Father's activity and that of the disciples come together in the production of fruit, with Jesus as the 'vine' and the 'place' where growth and fruit are achieved.*

*As the Risen Christ has lived and conducted his mission by remaining/abiding continually within the divine love, so we his disciples should remain/abide within the extension of the divine love that we have experienced and will continue to experience from Jesus.*



**First Holy Communion** – The practices for the First Holy Communion are scheduled on 1<sup>st</sup> May 2024 at 3:45pm for Group "A" and 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2024 at 3:45 pm for Group "B".

**Holy Communion** – by intinction (or dipping of the host to the Blood of Christ) is not recommended in the Dioceses of England and Wales.

**Feast of St. Peregrine** – The Feast of St. Peregrine will be celebrated in our parish on 2<sup>nd</sup> of May 2024 (Thursday) in our regular masses at 10:00 am and 6:30 pm.

**Gift Aid Envelopes** – you may now claim your Gift Aid Envelopes for the new financial year at the parish office.

## **The Jubilee Prayer**

Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally. May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever.

Amen.

