

Parish Notices

Welcome to St Luke's! Especially any visitors or newcomers. Join us after our service for a cup of tea or coffee. Please take this sheet home with you.

Hymn numbers 502 , 59 , 209 , 488

Thursday, 2nd April, 7.00 pm : Maundy Thursday - Mass of the last supper followed by The Watch in the Lady Chapel until 9.00 pm

Wednesday 25 March
Stations of cross 5.15 pm , Mass 6.00 pm

Sunday 29 March Parish Mass 3 PM

In today's Gospel we see a scene with which we are all of us familiar, namely, people weeping over the death of a loved one. Jesus is at the centre of that scene. He is the one who gives hope to those who are surrounded by the shadows of death. Lord Jesus, you raise the dead to life in the spirit, you bring pardon and peace to the sinner, and you bring light to those who live in darkness and in the shadow of death.

By raising Lazarus from the dead, Jesus shows that he is Lord of life and death.

REFLECTION : I believe in death

I believe in death. I believe that it is part of life.

I believe that we are born to die, to die that we may live more fully;

born to die a little each day to selfishness, to pretence and to sin.

I believe that every time we pass from one stage of life to another,

something in us dies and something new is born.

I believe we taste death in moments of loneliness, Rejection, sorrow, disappointment, and failure.

I believe that we are dying before our time when we live in bitterness, in hatred and in isolation.

I believe that each day we are creating our own death by the way we live. For those with faith, death is not extinguishing the light; it is putting out the lamp because the dawn has come.

REFLECTION : Seeds of consolation

What can I say to you my friend, in your hour of grief?

Just a word from my heart,

In the midst of your sorrow seeds are being sown - seeds

of consolation, hope, resignation, and even gratitude.

This winter will pass, and spring will again visit the garden

of your heart. You will see these seeds grow, blossom and

bear fruit. Then your sorrow will turn into joy, a joy no-one will be able to take from you.

The Parish of St Luke the Evangelist New Rossington



Sunday 22 March 2026

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Please Pray for: our Parish and All Saints Academy and Bishop Stephen and pray for the society and Forward in Faith ,

TO PREPARE OURSELVES FOR MASS COULD WE PLEASE TRY TO OBSERVE FIVE MINUTES QUIET TIME BEFORE OUR WORSHIP BEGINS. "SPEAK TO GOD BEFORE THE MASS AND OUR FRIENDS AFTER."

IT HAS BEEN BROUGHT TO MY ATTENTION BY SOMEONE THAT PEOPLE ARE CHATTING DURING COMMUNION AND THIS IS DISTRACTING. PLEASE BE MINDFUL THAT WHEN SOMEONE HAS TAKEN COMMUNION THEY WOULD LIKE A QUIET TIME TO PRAY AND CONTEMPLATE. THANK YOU.

Sick list

Christopher , Rosa , Pamela , Rhona , Mark

Those whose Anniversary of death occurs this week:

William (Bill) Collinson

If you would like to donate towards the Easter flowers please give to Maria or Elaine thank you.

CLOCKS GO FORWARD 1 HOUR On Sunday 29 March 26

Friday, 3rd April, 2.15 pm : Stations of the Cross
3.00 pm : Good Friday : Celebration of the Lord's Passion

Sunday, 5th April, 3.00 pm : Mass for Easter Sunday : The resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Renewal of our Baptism vows.

