

## Holy Week

<b>Palm Sunday</b>	5:30pm	Blessing of Palms & Passion Reading
<i>Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April &amp; Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> April</i>	9:00am	Blessing of Palms & Passion Reading
	11:00am	Blessing of Palms, Procession & Passion Reading (Children's Liturgy)
<b>Monday 10<sup>th</sup></b>	7:30pm	Reconciliation Service at St Mary's
<b>Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup></b>	7:30pm	Reconciliation Service at Bishop Eton
<b>Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup></b>	7:30pm	Chrim Mass at the Cathedral

## Easter Triduum

<b>Maundy Thursday</b>	9:00am	Morning Prayer
<i>Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> April</i>	7:30pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper (followed by watching)
	9:45pm	Night Prayer
<b>Good Friday</b>	9:00am	Morning Prayer
<i>Friday 14<sup>th</sup> April</i>	11:00am	Stations of the Cross (& Children's Stations)
	12noon	Churches Together in Woolton Witness
	3:00pm	Celebration of the Lord's Passion
	7:00pm	Prayers at the Foot of the Cross
<b>Holy Saturday</b>	9:00am	Morning Prayer
<i>Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> April</i>	9:00pm	Easter Vigil
<b>Easter Sunday</b>	9:00am	Mass of Easter Day
<i>Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> April</i>	11:00am	Mass of Easter Day

## Parish of Saint Mary (Woolton)

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# Lent & Easter 2017

# Pope Francis' Message | Lent 2017

Dear friends,

Lent is the favourable season for renewing our encounter with Christ, living in his word, in the sacraments and in our neighbour. The Lord, who overcame the deceptions of the Tempter during the forty days in the desert, shows us the path we must take.

May the Holy Spirit lead us on a true journey of conversion, so that we can rediscover the gift of God's word, be purified of the sin that blinds us, and serve Christ present in our brothers and sisters in need.

I encourage all the faithful to express this spiritual renewal also by sharing in the Lenten Campaigns promoted by many Church organizations in different parts of the world, and thus to favour the culture of encounter in our one human family.

Let us pray for one another so that, by sharing in the victory of Christ, we may open our doors to the weak and poor. Then we will be able to experience and share to the full the joy of Easter.

– Pope Francis



## The season of Lent

Lent is a favourable season for deepening our spiritual life through the means of sanctification offered us by the Church: fasting, prayer and almsgiving. At the basis of everything is the word of God, which during this season we are invited to hear and ponder more deeply.

– Pope Francis

<b>Ash Wednesday</b>	12noon	Mass with Distribution of Ashes
<i>Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> March</i>	7:30pm	Mass with Distribution of Ashes
<b>Tuesdays</b>	10am	Mass with Children from Much Woolton School
<i>7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> March</i>		
<b>Each Friday</b>	7:00am	Early Morning Mass
<i>not including Good Friday</i>	6:00pm	Exposition
	8:45pm	Night Prayer led by the Choir
<b>Each Saturday</b>	11:00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
<i>not including Holy Saturday</i>		Confessions
		<i>Please note no Rosary during Lent</i>
<b>Each Sunday</b>	4:00pm	Stations of the Cross
<i>5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> March &amp; 2<sup>nd</sup> April (not 26<sup>th</sup> March)</i>		Reflections on our Lord's Passion
<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> March</b>	11:00am	Family Mass for Mothers' Day – all welcome

