



# St. Margaret Clitherow's Catholic Church

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**Confessions:** Monday-Saturday 30 minutes before the Mass or at call.

**Baptism, Marriages & Visits:** please call.

## 25 April 2021: Fourth Sunday of Easter [B]

### Mass Intentions/Service Times

Saturday	24 Apr 06.30pm:	People of the parish	
Sunday	25 Apr 08.30am:	Brazilian Community	
	10.30am:	People of the parish	
Monday	26 Apr 10.00am:	Special Intention	Feria
Tuesday	27 Apr 10.00am:	Thanksgiving to St Jude	Feria
Wednesday	28 Apr 10.00am:	Gordon Heald (Wellbeing)	Feria
		Mass followed by Exposition-Adoration-Holy Rosary-Benediction	
Thursday	29 Apr 10.00am:	Thanksgiving to St Antony	St Catherine of Siena
Friday	30 Apr 10.00am:	O'Neill Family RIP	Feria
		Mass followed by Exposition-Adoration-Divine Mercy-Benediction	
Saturday	01 May 06.30pm:	Annie Costello RIP (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary)	The first Mass of Sunday
Sunday	02 May 10.30am:	People of the parish	5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter (B)

**1. Last Week's Mass Attendance:** Sat 17<sup>th</sup> Apr 6.30pm: **23** Sun 18<sup>th</sup> Apr 8.30am: **65** 10.30am: **34**

**2. Second Collection this Sunday:** Good Shepherd Sunday: World Day of Prayer for Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. Collection for Priest Training Fund/Ecclesiastical Education Fund.

### **ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:**

The merciful love of the Lord fills the earth; by the word of the Lord the heavens were made, alleluia.

### **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.

### **FIRST READING: A reading from the Acts of the Apostles (Acts 4:8-12)**

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Peter said: 'Rulers of the people, and elders! If you are questioning us today about an act of kindness to a cripple, and asking us how he was healed, then I am glad to tell you all, and would indeed be glad to tell the whole people of Israel, that it was by the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene, the one you crucified, whom God raised from the dead, by this name and by no other that this man is able to stand up perfectly healthy, here in your presence, today. This is the stone rejected by you the builders, but which has proved to be the keystone. For of all the names in the world given to men, this is the only one by which we can be saved.' The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **RESPONSORIAL PSALM** (Psalm 117)

**R: The stone which the builders rejected has become the corner stone.**

1. Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, for his love has no end.

It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to trust in men:

it is better to take refuge in the Lord than to trust in princes.

**R:**

2. I will thank you for you have given answer and you are my saviour.

The stone which the builders rejected has become the corner stone.

This is the work of the Lord, a marvel in our eyes.

**R:**

3. Blessed in the name of the Lord is he who comes. We bless you from the house of the Lord; I will thank you for you have given answer and you are my saviour. Give thanks to the Lord for he is good; for his love has no end.

**R:**

## **SECOND READING: A reading from the first letter of St John** (1 John 3: 1- 2)

Think of the love that the Father has lavished on us, by letting us be called God's children; and that is what we are. Because the world refused to acknowledge him, therefore it does not acknowledge us. My dear people, we are already the children of God but what we are to be in the future has not yet been revealed; all we know is, that when it is revealed we shall be like him because we shall see him as he really is.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;

I know my own sheep and my own know me. Alleluia!

## **GOSPEL: A reading from the holy Gospel according to John** (10: 11-18)

Jesus said: 'I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd is one who lays down his life for his sheep. The hired man, since he is not the shepherd and the sheep do not belong to him, abandons the sheep and runs away as soon as he sees a wolf coming, and then the wolf attacks and scatters the sheep; this is because he is only a hired man and has no concern for the sheep. 'I am the good shepherd; I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for my sheep. And there are other sheep I have that are not of this fold, and these I have to lead as well. They too will listen to my voice, and there will be only one flock, and one shepherd. 'The Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me; I lay it down of my own free will, and as it is in my power to lay it down, so it is in my power to take it up again; and this is the command I have been given by my Father.' The Gospel of the Lord

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

## **PROFESSION OF FAITH** (**The Apostles' Creed is used during Lent and Easter Time**)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Creator of Heaven and Earth, and in Jesus Christ His only Son, Our Lord, 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.

## **COMMUNION ANTIPHON**

The Good Shepherd has risen, who laid down his life for his sheep and willingly died for his flock, alleluia.