

THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS PARISH

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MASSES THIS WEEK

SOUTHWOLD/CARDINAL NEWMAN HALL

Sunday 29th March

11.00 am – *People of our Parish*

Monday 30th March

9.00 am – *Monday of Holy Week – Holy Souls*

Tuesday 31st March

NO MASS

11.30 - CHRISM MASS IN ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL, NORWICH

HALESWORTH

Sunday 29th March

9.00 am – *Wisniewski & Antoni Families+*

Wednesday 1st April

10.00 am – *Wednesday of Holy Week - Seminarians*

Sacrament of Reconciliation

7.30 pm - MAUNDY THURSDAY - Mass of the Lord's Supper. Watching at the Altar of Repose – from the end of Mass to **9.30 pm**

3.00 pm – GOOD Friday – The Celebration of the Lord's Passion

7.00 pm - HOLY SATURDAY – Easter Vigil & 1st Mass of Easter

FEBRUARY 2026 COLLECTION Offertory including Dona/standing orders/cash/CAF £3439.00. CAFOD including envelope/cash/Dona/CAF - £ 711.00.

Rosemary Lewis (Treasurer)

PARISH 100 CLUB The next draw will be on Easter Sunday, at coffee after Mass in Halesworth. For information on joining please contact Stella on 01986 948315.

For reflections on Sunday Gospel & Readings please use the following link
<http://www.wednesdayword.org/parish/index.htm>

SUNDAY 29TH MARCH 2026

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

MUSIC PRACTICE BEFORE SUNDAY MASS Practices are held in the Cardinal Newman Hall before Mass on **the 1st Sunday of each Month** starting at 10.40 am. All welcome.

Nathan Williamson

GIFT AID Please could gift-aiders let me know any address change or if you no longer qualify for the scheme. Anyone wishing to sign up for Gift Aid please contact me on amt_yates@btinternet.com or 01502 723013. Weekly brown envelopes will no longer be issued but you could put your offering in the collection or setup a standing order. The Gift Aid scheme generated over £6,000.00 to our Parish funds last year.

FR CHRISTOPHER WRITES I do encourage you to follow with prayer and devotion the events of this Holy Week. Due to ongoing works in Southwold church, the Liturgies of the Sacred Triduum will be in St Edmund's Halesworth.

GOOD FRIDAY – 10.00 am – Ecumenical Service and Walk of Witness, St Edmund's Southwold.

LENT LUNCH Many thanks to all those who made soup and helped at our Lent Lunch on Friday. We raised £205 for the charity so a great result.

HOLY WEEK POSTERS These will be distributed on Palm Sunday.

FORTHCOMING 2ND COLLECTIONS

29th March - Lenten Alms, Aid to the Church in Need

Good Friday - The Holy Places in Israel & Palestine

HANDEL'S MESSIAH In St Edmund's church on Easter Monday at 6 pm there will be a performance of part of the Messiah and readings in support of 'Ambulances to the Ukraine'. For full details on posters in the CNH and our noticeboard.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR IN

HOSPITAL HM The King, Dolores Arellano, Cedric Burton, Janet Dent, Judith Etherton, Susan Goldsmith, Oliver Grantham, Rosemary Jones, Laura Kenwick-Fearns, Stephen Martin, Pat Romer-Grundy, Michael Shaw (Laurette's brother), Fr Roger Spencer, Frances Stewart, Brian & Maureen White, Oliver Williams. May they be comforted by our prayers and awareness of our love for them. Please let Fr Christopher know of any changes or additions.