



**St. Theresa's Birstall and Sacred Heart Rothley**  
**53 Front Street Birstall LE4 4DQ**  
**Served by the Rosminian Fathers**  
**Diocese of Nottingham**  
**Registered Charity No. 1134449**



**5th SUNDAY of Lent (Passion Sunday) (Year B Page 86)**

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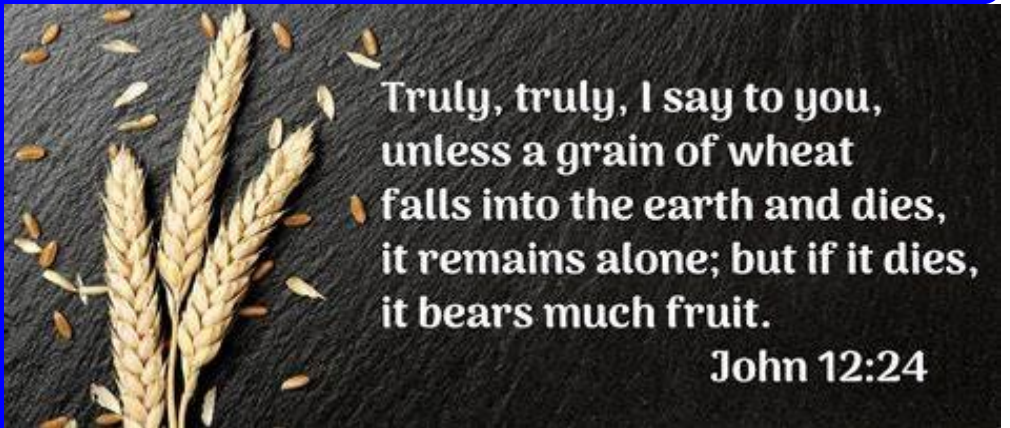
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Mon, Tue & Wed (9.00 AM-12.30 PM)



Truly, truly, I say to you,  
 unless a grain of wheat  
 falls into the earth and dies,  
 it remains alone; but if it dies,  
 it bears much fruit.

**John 12:24**

**House blessings**

If you would like your home to be blessed with the new Easter Water, please leave your name and contact details on the list in the narthex / porch. Fr. Jenson will be in touch with you after Easter to arrange a mutually convenient date and time to visit you.

Sat 16th March	<b>Lenten Feria</b>	<b>6.00PM</b>	Mass (ST) Jean Newell RIP
Sun 17th March	<b>Fifth Sunday of Lent (Passion Sunday)</b>	<b>9.15AM</b>	Mass (ST) Brenda Bentham RIP Thomas and Diane Law 50th Wedding Anniversary
		<b>11.15AM</b>	Mass (SH)
Mon 18th March	<b>Lenten Feria</b>	<b>9.15AM</b>	Mass (ST) Brenda Bentham RIP
Tues 19th March	<b>St Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Solemnity)</b>	<b>9.15 AM</b>	Mass (SH)
Weds 20th March	<b>Lenten Feria</b>	<b>9.15AM</b>	Mass and Adoration (ST) Fr John Daley RIP
Thurs 21st March	<b>Lenten Feria</b>		No Mass
Fri 22nd March	<b>Lenten Feria</b>	<b>9.15 AM</b>	Mass and Stations of the Cross (SH)
		<b>3.30 PM</b>	Funeral for Brenda Bentham RIP (ST)
		<b>6.00 PM</b>	Stations of the Cross and Mass (ST)
Sat 23rd March	<b>Lenten Feria</b>	<b>6.00 PM</b>	Mass (ST) Brenda Bentham RIP Confessions: 10 am -12pm (SH) 4pm - 5.30pm (ST)
Sunday 24th March	<b>Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord</b>	<b>9.15 AM</b>	Mass (ST) Marjorie Henebery RIP
		<b>11.15 AM</b>	Mass (SH) Fr. John Daley RIP

### Offertory Collection

Envelopes: £  
Loose Plate: £  
Total : £  
Bishop's Charities collection: £  
Thank you

Next weekend - Easter Flowers

### Direct Debit details of Parish Account

For those who would like to use our online banking: Standing Order—Account name: St. Theresa Birstall RCP  
A/C No 03831076  
Sort Code: 309618  
If you are setting up a Direct Debit for the Lottery, please mark it Charity Account.

### Easter Confessions

There will be Confession at both churches on **Saturday March 23rd** as follows:

Sacred Heart-10.00-12.00pm  
St Theresa's - 4.00 - 5.45pm

Easter Flowers There will be a collection after all Masses next week-end for Easter flowers

Easter Confessions Please see the entry above for Confession Times before Easter

Communion to the housebound - Please contact either phone number from the newsletter if you are housebound and would like to take communion at home.

Quiz Night The quiz on March 8th raised £160 which will be given to Gt Ormond St. Hospital for Sick Children. The next quiz night will be held on Friday June 21st at 7.00pm.

Teas and Coffees after Mass - Please note there will be no refreshments in the hall after Mass at Sacred Heart on March 31st (Easter Sunday) or at St Theresa's on Sunday April 28th.

Beer and Hymns Night at The White Horse, Birstall on Monday April 22nd from 7.00-8.00pm.. Come and listen to live music and classic hymns. There will be themed St George food specials available.

Eucharistic Ministers- All Eucharistic Ministers are invited to Adoration on Monday 25th March 7 pm at St. Theresa's

Maundy Thursday Please add your name to the list in the narthex at both Churches if you would like to have your foot washed as part of the Maundy service. 12 people are needed at St. Theresa's and 6 at Sacred Heart.

Easter Cards are now in stock at both churches

Passover Supper - Wednesday March 27th at 6.30 PM. Ticket only event - £15.00. **Please note if we do not have sufficient numbers by 17th March this event will be cancelled.**

Prayers for the Sick - Due to new updates on data protection , we are no longer able to put names in the newsletter, however you can ask Father to pray for them at Mass.

Charity draw. - Due to an increase of entries , from April ,we will be adding an extra prize each month of £50 making 7 winners instead of 6. If anyone would like to join or requires further information please speak to Gordon/Daphne /Hazel

Offertory envelopes For those who give donations by weekly envelopes, the new boxes are available in the narthex at both churches for collection. If you would like to start giving your weekly donations in this way, please contact the office.

Dates For Your Diary Tuesday March 20th 2.00-3.00pm Lenten Course at St Theresa's  
March 27th - Passover Supper at St Theresa's at 6.30 pm  
April 26th - Turlough evening at St Theresa's at 7.00 pm

### **MARCH ANNIVERSARIES**

**Mary Marvin, Vera Teresa Murphy, Marjorie Henebery, Veronica Cross.**

### **Recently Deceased**

**John Birch**

**Brenda Bentham**

**Fr John Daley**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK IN THE PARISH**