

Queenstown Area Catholic Church

St Joseph's Queenstown / St Patrick's Arrowtown / Community Church Glenorchy

PALM SUNDAY YEAR C 13th APRIL 2025

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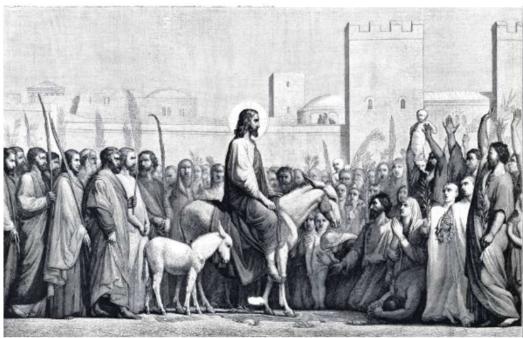
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"Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he, humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey."





LITURGY OF THE WORD

1st Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7

The suffering servant places his trust in the Lord.

Reading: Philippians 2:6-11

Christ humbled himself in obedience, but the Father raised him beyond all

others.

Gospel Reading: Luke 22:14 – 23:56

Christ's death on the cross reveals the depth of his passion for us.

MASS TIMES

Catholic Diocese of Dunedin

Queenstown

Saturday Vigil 6:30 PM Sunday 9:00 AM Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9:30 AM

Exposition, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary every Friday 5:30 PM – Will resume after holy week

Tagalog Mass

3rd Sunday of the month at 7:00 PM

Portuguese Mass

4th Sunday of the month at 6:00 PM

Arrowtown

1st, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sunday at 11:00 AM 2nd Sunday - Liturgy with Holy Communion at 11:00 AM

Tuesday weekly at 4:30PM

Glenorchy

2nd Sunday of the month at 11.30 PM

Reconciliation

Queenstown 10:00 AM to 10:30 AM - Friday after mass otherwise when requested.

NOTICES OF THE WEEK

Caritas Lenten Appeal

Your compassion in action: Restoring hope and saving lives. With your help we can continue to act with love to bring dignity and hope to the world's most vulnerable communities. Your gift this Lent will ensure that more families continue to receive the assistance they urgently need. This year, Caritas are encouraging you to give online or through direct deposit, if possible, to reduce costs and make processing donations faster. To learn more or donate visit: www.caritas.org.nz/lent

HOLY WEEK MASS TIMETABLE

Holy Thursday - 17th April 2025

St Joseph's Church – 7:00 PM until 9:00 PM St Patrick's Church – 7:00 PM until 9:00 PM

Good Friday - 18th April 2025

St Joseph's Church – Commemoration of the Lord's Passion 3:00 PM St Patrick's Church Arrowtown–Commemoration of the Lord's Passion 3PM

Holy Saturday – 19th April 2025

St Joseph's Church – Easter Vigil 8:00 PM St Patrick's Church – Easter Vigil 8:00 PM

Easter Sunday - 20th April 2025

St Joseph's Church – Mass of the Resurrection 9:00 AM St Patrick's Church – Mass of the Resurrection 11:00 AM

St Joseph's Parish is hosting this year's Way of the Cross Friday 18th April 2025, 10:00 AM, starting from St Peter's Anglican Church to St Joseph's Church

Enjoy a cup of tea and some hot cross buns at the conclusion of the walk at St Joseph's school library.

Volunteers to assist with serving morning tea would be greatly appreciated.

We pray for all who have died recently, and for those whose anniversaries occur about now:

Peter Harrison, Maureen Forde, Helen Marie Topliss, Myrna Pineda, Benjamin Moores and Armando Balila

May they rest in peace.

St Joseph's Choir Practice

The Choir is practicing at the Church on Thursday evenings at 6.30. We warmly welcome new members, if anyone is interested in joining us, please ring Jeanette on 027 414 8288. We are also looking for people to assist with the playing of music at Mass. This could be as an organist, pianist, guitarist or to play the recorded music on the organ. If you would like to help, please contact Vicki on 021 918 853.

Food Donations

Non-perishable food items and household items such as dishwashing liquid, washing machine powder and personal items such as toothbrushes, toothpaste, baby foods and hair shampoo are gratefully received at the back of the church. St Patricks food donation is the first Sunday of the month delivered to Basket of Blessings and St Joseph's is the third Sunday of the month to Happiness House.

PARISH ROSTER	QUEENSTOWN		ARROWTOWN	
VIGIL	12 th April	19 th April		13 th April
WELCOME	Patricia Burdon	Patricia Burdon	LEADER	Ann-Marie McCrostie
READERS	Angela / Eliza	Fae / Tuska	READER	Ruth de la Mare
COMMUNION	Fae Robertson	Sharon Wild	PRAYERS	Bernese Byron
ALTAR SERVER	Tehan	Tehan	COMMUNION	Trish Ramsay
PROJECTOR	Joseph Leyden	Joseph Leyden	POWERPOINT	Tram Le
SUNDAY	13 th April	20 th April		20 th April
WELCOME	Rochelle D'Souza	Rochelle D'Souza	LEADER	Fr Cipriano
READERS	Phil Wlison	Josephine / Phil	READER	Sue O'Connor
COMMUNION	Alan Brown	Sebastian	PRAYERS	Ann-Marie McCrostie
ALTAR SERVER	Lucas and Ari	Lucas and Ari	COMMUNION	Mary May/Trish Ramsay
PROJECTOR	Amy Balila	Amy Balila	POWERPOINT	McRae Family

NOTE: Anyone unable to meet roster commitment as listed above, must provide their own cover.

Donations can now be made on our EFTPOS terminal at the back of the pews.

Our two churches of St Joseph's and St Patrick's are both Category 2 historic buildings and require ongoing maintenance. Your help is much appreciated.

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