

St Laurence's Church Upminster

The week from Palm Sunday to Easter is the most important time in the Church's year. In these few days we remember Jesus' arrival in Jerusalem to meet his destiny, the last meal he shared with his disciples, his arrest and condemnation. We remember his death on the cross on Good Friday and his glorious resurrection on Easter Day.

These events stand at the heart of the Christian faith. They speak of love and life which are without limit, and which are offered to us all.

You are most welcome to share in the celebration of this good news at any of the services at St Laurence during Holy Week and Easter.

If you have any questions or enquiries, please contact the Revd Susannah Brasier, Rector.

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Holy Week & Easter Services, 2018

Holy Week and Easter at St Laurence

Palm Sunday, 25th March

- 8.00am** Mass
- 9.30am** Procession, Reading of the Passion, & Sung Parish Mass
- 6.30pm** Said Compline

Monday, 26th March

- 9.30am** Footsteps service for pre-school children and their parents/carers
- 5.00pm** Mass and Address

Tuesday, 27th March

- 10.30am** Mass
- 5.00pm** Evening Prayer and Address

Wednesday, 28th March

- 11.00am** Mass
- 5.00pm** Evening Prayer and Address

Maundy Thursday, 29th March

- 8.00pm** Sung Mass then church open for prayer until midnight

Good Friday, 30th March

- Morning** Procession and service in Upminster Park organised by Churches Together
- 12-2pm** Good Friday meditations (Addresses, hymns and silence – you are welcome for all or part of the time)
- 2pm** Worship for Good Friday
- 12-3pm** Activities for children and young people in the Main Hall

Easter Eve, 31st March

- 8.00pm** Easter Vigil (with readings from scripture, lighting of the Easter Candle and renewal of baptism vows)

Easter Day, 1st April

- 8.00am** Mass
- 9.30am** Procession and Sung Parish Mass
- 6.30pm** Festal Evensong, Procession & Benediction

Children's Service, 22nd April

- 3.00pm** Singing, craft and fun to celebrate Easter. Please contact the Parish Office (see overleaf) if you would like to come.