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**WEEK COMMENCING SUNDAY 25th April 2021
(Readings-Sundays: Cycle B, Weekdays: Cycle 1, Psalter Week 4)**

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (Gospel: JOHN 10:11-18)

ST CATHERINE'S		Intentions
Sunday 25 th April: 9am	Mass and online via Zoom	Jutta Boening
Thursday 29 th April: 9.15am	Mass and online via Zoom	Tony Walsh
Sunday 2 nd May: 9am	Mass and online via Zoom	Jack Turner
ST AGNES		
Saturday 24 th April: 5.30pm	Mass	Michael and Kathleen Clancy
Sunday 25 th April: 10.30am	Mass	Mary Rowbottom
Wednesday 28 th April: 9.15am	Mass	Robert Kennedy
Friday 30 th April: 9.15am	Mass	Vera Kennedy
Saturday 1 st May: 5.30pm	Mass	Moya Gladding
Sunday 2 nd May: 10.30am	Mass	Paula, Sorcha and Niamh Riby

MASS READINGS can be found at universalis.com/mass.htm.

PLEASE PRAY FOR all who have died recently and their families especially Canon Brendan Hoban, HRH Prince Philip, Margaret Huddleston and Deacon Philip White.

PLEASE remember in your prayers all those who are sick.



ONLINE MASS via Zoom is on **Sundays** at **9am** and **Thursdays** at **9.15am**. The link is: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84015861524> All those who have contacted the Parish Office for the Zoom link will automatically be sent the link weekly.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY GROUP is this Sunday at 11.15am via Zoom.

More information and how to get involved each Sunday can be found on our private Facebook Group 'St Catherine's Children's Liturgy'. Please email Phoebe (stcathhoylake@gmail.com) in the Parish Office for details or if you have any questions.

NATIONAL LOCKDOWN: "You can attend places of worship for a service. However, you must not mingle with anyone outside of your household or support bubble. You should maintain strict social distancing at all times."



GUIDANCE FOR THE CELEBRATION OF MASS: In line with governmental and diocesan guidelines we have the following safety measures in place:

- on arrival for Mass, a steward will ask you to sanitise your hands and guide you to a suitable bench depending on whether you have come as part of a household or as an individual observing at all times the minimum 1m+ social distancing procedures.
- everyone must wear face coverings; please bring your own covering with you and **ensure it is worn correctly over your nose and mouth**. There will be some available if you do not have one.
- **please remain in your bench at the end of Mass and wait to be asked to leave by a steward. This ensures safe distancing on exiting the church.**
- please fill out on the Test and Trace form on your bench. This information will be kept by the Parish for 21 days and destroyed after this time. Please place your completed form and pen in the designated baskets at the end of Mass.
- booking is not required.
- please do not mingle after Mass and please leave the premises promptly.
- **Please bear in mind that the obligation to attend Mass on Sunday and Holy Days remains suspended.**

Thank you very much for your co-operation and understanding.

OUR LADY OF PITY ANNEXE PRESCHOOL is holding a virtual Open Evening via Microsoft Teams on Thursday 29th April at 7.00pm. Places are available for 2-4 year olds. Please contact the Preschool directly for a meeting invitation or if you have any questions: olopannexpreschool@gmail.com or 0151 632 6336.

ST JOSEPH: A MAN FOR OUR TIMES: join the UK Carmelites for an online spirituality summit on Saturday 1st May at 2pm. All are welcome. Participation is free with the option to make a voluntary donation. Further details can be found at <https://www.carmelite.uk.net/conferences-and-events/spirituality-summit/>

PRAY IN MAY with Mary's Meals: Throughout the month of May Mary's Meals are asking parishes across the country to pray with them to bless Mary's Meals, as they recognise the special place of prayer in their work. Further information on the work of Mary's Meals can be found here: www.marysmeals.org.uk/prayinmay

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES are now available for this year. Please contact Phoebe in the Parish Office (stcathoylake@gmail.com) if you would like to have your box delivered. Thank you.

GIFT AID: if you have previously donated with gift aid but now do not pay tax or if you now pay tax and wish to gift aid your donation please contact the Parish Office. Thank you.

FOOTBALL BOOTS: do you have an unwanted pair of football boots which could be donated to the asylum seekers (preferably adult size 8-11, but any size will be appreciated)? Please contact Sr Monica in West Kirby on 07531240457 or 0151 625 5592 who would be very happy and grateful to collect from any address. Thank you.



Would you like to contact the Parish Office or do you have any items for the newsletter? Please email stcathhoylake@gmail.com. Thank you!

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

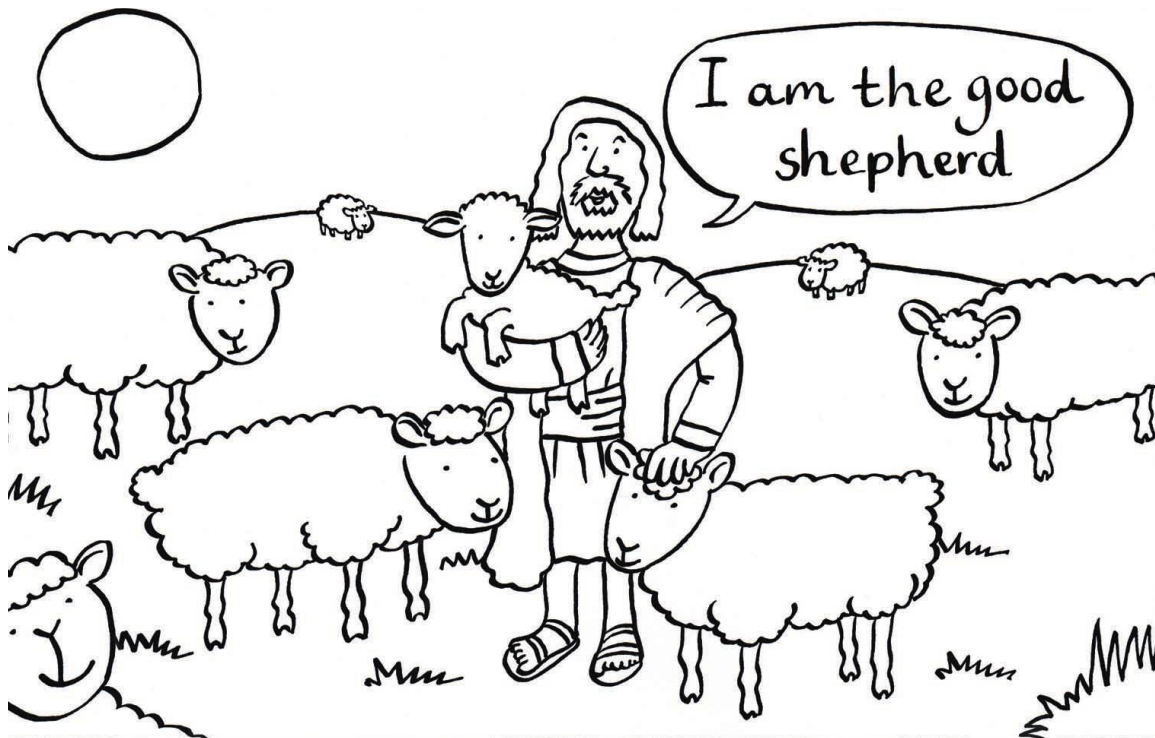
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IN THE GOSPEL TODAY... Jesus tells the people that he is the Good Shepherd and he will protect his sheep.

A PRAYER TO SAY... Dear Jesus, you are the Good Shepherd and I am one of your sheep. Thank you for loving and looking after me. Amen.

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Gospel: John 10:11-18



Find more resources at cafod.org.uk/families

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beyond reach**