



Holy Week 2019

in the Scottish Episcopal Church



Keeping a Good Holy Week



The aim of this leaflet is to help you plan how you are going to keep Holy Week this year.

As always Holy Week begins on **Palm Sunday** (14 April) when we receive our Palm Crosses for the year ahead and hear the Passion story of Christ enacted, or read in full, to set the scene for our prayer and worship in the week.

St Johns Church

0945am Palm Sunday Eucharist with Palm Crosses and Passion Narrative
followed by refreshments

St Margarets Church

1130am Palm Sunday Procession & Passion animation film & Sunday School
followed by refreshments

(please note the animation is a full depiction of Christ's walk to the cross and his sufferings, there are scenes of the violence meted out to Christ and his suffering and anguish)



Holy Monday 15 April

Morning Prayer will be said in **St Margaret's Church** at 1100am
the Bible readings for the day are Isaiah 42.1-9 Ps 36.5-11
Hebrews 9.11-15 & John 12.1-11

7.30pm Ecumenical Taize worship at
Ignatian Spirituality Centre chapel,
35 Scott Street, GLASGOW G3 6PE
an hour of Taize music and silence



Holy Tuesday 16 April

Morning Prayer will be said in **St John's Church** at 1100am
the Bible readings for the day are Isaiah 49.1-7 Ps 71.1-14 1
Corinthians 1.18-31 & John 12.20-36

7pm Ecumenical invitation to join in the
Stations of the Cross at St Aidan's Church,
Tower Rd, Johnstone PA5 0AD



Holy Wednesday 17 April

Bible readings for the day are Isaiah 50.4-9a Ps 70 Hebrews
12.1-3 & John 13.21-32

St John's Church 2pm Holy Communion & homily

followed by refreshments

then Lent Group reflections on the *Lent Retreat* material for the
week

St Margaret's Church 7pm Holy Communion & homily

followed by refreshments

then Lent Group reflections on the *Lent Retreat* material for the
week

Maundy Thursday 18 April – *Principal Holy Day*

The **Chrism Mass** for the Diocese is taking place on Saturday 13 April at 11am in St Mary's Cathedral, 300 Great Western Road, Glasgow G4 9JB – the Holy Oils for the year ahead will be blessed and distributed.

St Margaret's Church Renfrew



7.30pm Eucharist of the Last Supper,
Feet Washing & Stripping of the Altar
& Vigil Watch
until 10pm



Good Friday 18 April – *Principal Holy Day*

**11.15am Johnstone Ecumenical
Walk of Witness
from Johnstone Station**

**2pm St John's Church
Service of the Nails**

**7pm Ecumenical Service
for Renfrew
at North Parish,
Church of Scotland building**



Holy Saturday 20 April

Bible readings for the day are Job 14.1-14
Psalm 31.1-4,15-16 1 Peter 4.1-8
Matthew 27.57-66

Stillness as we remember Jesus lying in
the stone tomb



EASTER DAY 21 April – *Principal Holy Day*

St John's Church

0945am Easter Celebration Eucharist
followed by Easter Tea

St Margaret's Church

1130am Easter Celebration Eucharist
followed by refreshments

Come along to the events of Holy
Week and prepare for the joy and
peace of Easter Day – we look forward
to meeting you and your loved ones



Everybody is invited and welcome



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