### The Regina Caeli

(To be said at the end of the Bidding Prayers during the Easter Season)

O Queen of Heaven, rejoice! Alleluia. For he whom you did merit to bear, alleluia, Has risen as he said, alleluia. Pray for us to God, alleluia. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, Alleluia. For the Lord has risen indeed, Alleluia.



**Pope Francis writes:** 

"Dear young people, we will all have in our hearts some areas of unbelief. Let us

say to the Lord, I believe." Today's word is

Believe. Jesus' resurrection—his victory over death—is the greatest event in history! Even though, like Thomas, we may sometimes have doubts, be assured that when we do, Jesus is still truly close to us and ready to help us believe. As we journey through Easter what will help us the most to deepen our belief in Jesus?

<b>Ministers</b>		<u>April 28th</u>		
<u>Liturgy o</u>	f the Word		Liturgy of the Eucha	
6.00pm	P.Redshaw		C.Hall/S.Dyson	
8.30am	M.Crewdson		S.Crewdson/M.Booth	
10.00am J.Sheard			M.Kehoe/G.Leggat	
<u>May 5th</u>				
6.00pm	M.Jefferis		T.Spalding/C.Hall	
8.30am	M.Howell		S.Crewdson/M.Booth	
10.00am	A.Kirkman		C.Ward/K.McKune	

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New Rotas at the back of the church. New Readers and changes to Ministers.

### LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS

First: £350.38 Second: £93.47 Shop: £269.52 Thank You Holy Places: £143.92 CAFOD Sponsored Walk: £243.46 Thank You Cheques please to DIOCESE OF LEEDS— SACRED HEART



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# Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy) April 28th 2019 (Luke's Gospel)

### **Times of Masses & Intentions**

	Saturday Vigil	6.00pm	Tara Dyson
Sunday		8.30am	Aiden Healey
		10.00am	People of the Parish
			Refreshments after Mass
	Monday	9.30am	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
	Tuesday	9.30am	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Wednesday		12.00noon	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
	Thursday	9.30am	Hugh Nelson
	Friday	12.00 noon	Sr Monica Sheehy (Recovery) First Friday
	Saturday	10.00am	Yorkshire Brethren
	Saturday Vigil	6.00pm	Harry Dubois
	Sunday	8.30am	Siobhan Cooper
		10.00am	People of the Parish

Confessions: After the 10.00am Mass on Saturday and on request Exposition: 40 minutes before Mass each weekday When there is a Service of the Word & Holy Communion there is no exposition

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## Children's Liturgy of the Word

This will take place during the 10.00am Mass this Sunday. It is a real opportunity of rour younger parishioners to hear and think about the gospel passage at their own level. Today's Gospel is from St John and it tells of Jesus appearing to the disciples first without Thomas and then with him!



The next meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council will take place this coming Thursday, May 2nd staring at 7.00pm in the Parish Centre. Among the items discussed will be Liturgical matters, Catechetical matters, Maintenance and Finance matters. Please

give any items for the Agenda to Nick or Fr Bernard as soon as possible.

## **CAFOD BUCKET APPEAL & SPONSORED WALK**



Last week a cheque was sent to CAFOD for the magnificent amount of £741.19, £497.73 from the Bucket Appeal and £243.46 from the Sponsored Walk. This has been earmarked for the Mozambigue Disaster Fund. Thanks to everyone who has so generously supported this appeal.



Dear Friends at the Sacred Heart RC Church Charity Shop, Thank you so much for raising £50.00 from the sale of Easter Chicks...The funds we raise the Easter Chick Appeal go a long way to supporting the work we do here at Francis House. Francis House is a special place to many families Caring for children with a short life expectancy across the North West who are caring for a child with a

short life expectancy. We are there for these families through all their times of need, offering a place where they can turn for respite, comfort and care. Contributions like yours help us to go on supporting our children and young people throughout their short lives.



Whenever you find yourself doubting how far you can go, remember how far you have come. Remember everything you have faced, the battles you have won and all the fears you have overcome. (Anon)



When the world seems a defeat for God. and you are sick with the disorder, the violence, the terror, the war on the streets; when the earth seems to be chaos. say to yourself,

'Jesus died and rose again on purpose to save, and his salvation is already with us.' When your father or your mother, your son or your daughter, your spouse or your friend are on their deathbed, and you are looking at them in the pain of parting, say 'We shall see each other again in the Kingdom; courage...' Every departing missionary is an act of faith in the resurrection. Every newly-opened leper-hospital is an act of faith in the resurrection. Every peace treaty is an act of faith in the resurrection. Every agreed commitment is an act of faith in the resurrection. When you forgive your enemy When you feed the hungry When you defend the weak You believe in the resurrection. When you have the courage to marry When you welcome the newly born child When you build your home You believe in the resurrection. When you wake at peace in the morning When you sing to the rising sun When you go to work with joy You believe in the resurrection. (Carlo Caretto)