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SUNDAY, 5th APRIL 2026

EASTER DAY-ALLELUIA, HE IS RISEN!!!!

6.00 a.m. Benefice Service - The Great Vigil, Service of Light, First Mass of Easter at St Giles

10.15 a.m. - Second Mass of Easter Day at St Giles

WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP WITH US TODAY

This weekly leaflet contains details of next week's services, together with items of news and calendar dates. Please take it away with you.

SERVICES AND EVENTS THIS WEEK

Tuesday, 7th April: 11.00am Funeral in Church

Wednesday, 8th April: 9.30am Said Mass at St Giles

Friday, 10th April: 10.30am Said Mass at St Giles

Saturday, 11th April: 4.00pm Café Communion at St Mary's

NEXT WEEK'S SERVICES AND EVENTS

SUNDAY, 12th APRIL 2026

FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

10.15am: Holy Communion at St Giles

Wednesday, 15th April: 9.30am Said Mass at St Giles

Friday, 17th April: 10.30am Said Mass at St Giles

Saturday, 18th April: 4.00pm Messy Church at St Mary's

VISION STEERING GROUP

On Wednesday (8th) the Vision Steering group will be meeting for the second time, and we ask that you continue to keep them in your prayers as they look forward, and if there is anything you have thought of that you would like to be given to the group then please do e-mail Fr Ian, Thank you.

SUPPORTING ST GILES' FOODSHARE AND LUNCH WITH US

The next collection of food donations for St Giles FoodShare and Lunch With Us will be on

Sunday, 5th April.

Thank you.

BREAKFAST CEREALS - JAM - LONG-LIFE MILK
BAKED BEANS - SOUP - MEAT PASTES
COOK-IN SAUCES
RICE - PASTA - NOODLES - MASH
TINNED VEG
TINNED TUNA - TINNED MEAT/PIES
TINNED FRUIT - RICE PUD - INSTANT CUSTARD
BISCUITS - TEA BAGS - COFFEE - SQUASH



On **Monday, 13th April** we meet again in Church at **1.30pm**.

Our guest speaker is Ann Ramsden who will give her talk
'Domestic Abuse in the eyes of a child'.

Refreshments will follow. Do bring a friend as everyone is always welcome.

ORGAN RECITALS 2026



April 10th

Marc Murray

May 1st

Sam Wilson

June 5th

David Baker

July 3rd

Alex Woodrow

A voluntary donation of £5 is suggested, which includes tea and coffee, served from 12.30pm.



St Giles Church
Pontefract

Summer Fayre

10.00 a.m. - 2.00 p.m

Saturday 9th May

Bric-A-Brac * **Tombola** * **Books**

DVD's **Cakes** * **Bottle Tombola** * **Toys** and so much
more.

Café open for tea, coffee and cakes.

If you can help out on a stall for a few hours or all
day, please see Marjorie or Pat.

Donations of items for any of the stalls are still
required and can be handed in throughout April.

Thank you for your support.

The Parochial Church Council Of The Ecclesiastical Parish of St Giles'. Pontefract
is a charity registered in England and Wales (1135106)

Next week at St Giles' Church and Centre

St Giles' Church is open to visitors for private prayer/lighting of candles:

Monday–Thursday: 10:00am–2:00pm, **Friday:** 10:00am–12.00pm

Monday 6 April		
19:00	Bell Ringing	The Tower
Tuesday 7 April		
09:00	Standing Committee	St Oswald
11:00–12:00	Funeral in Church	The Church
12:30–14:30	Wellbeing Café	The Cafe
15:00–16:00	Chair Exercise	The Café
Wednesday 8 April		
09:30	Said Mass	The Church
09:30–12:30	Conexus Healthy Lifestyles 1:1 Sessions	St Bede
10:00–12:00	Coffee Morning	The Café
10:00–12:00	Citizens' Advice	St Aidan
12:30–14:00	Lunch with Us	The Café
16:20–17:00	Piano Lessons	St Oswald
17:00	Pontefract Junior Singers	St Oswald
19:00	Benefice Vision Steering Group	The Café
Thursday 9 April		
12:00–14:30	Pontefract Foodbank	St Oswald/ St Bede
12:00–14:30	Pontefract Foodbank Citizens Advice	St Aidan
19:00	Bell Ringing Practice	The Tower
Friday 10 April		
10:30	Said Mass	The Church
13:00	Organ Recital	The Church
17:00	Organ Tuition	The Church
18:15	Choir Rehearsal	The Church
Saturday 11 April		
09:00–12:00	Coffee Morning	The Café
10:30–11:00	Baptism Preparation Meeting	The Church
16:00	Café Communion	St Mary's