

## Holy Week Timetable

### Warkworth, Holy Name

#### Saturday Vigil

23rd March 6.00 p.m.

#### Passion (Palm) Sunday

24th March 10.30 a.m.

#### Chrism Mass

at St Patrick's Cathedral  
Monday 25th March  
at 7.30 p.m.

### The Paschal Triduum

#### Holy Thursday

28th March at 5.15 p.m.  
Washing of the Feet  
Altar of Repose

#### Good Friday

29th March at 3.00 p.m.  
Commemoration of  
Our Lord's Passion & Death  
Reconciliation thereafter

#### Holy Saturday

30th March  
No morning mass

#### Easter Vigil at 7.00 p.m.

#### Easter Sunday

31st March at 10.30 a.m.

### Puhi, Sts Peter & Paul

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24th March 8.30 a.m.

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Stations of the Cross  
Reconciliation thereafter

#### Easter Sunday

31st March  
8.30 a.m.

**May the Glory**

**of the**

**RISEN LORD**

**fill your heart with joy.**

## Holy Week – 2024

### Holy Name, Warkworth & Saints Peter & Paul, Puhi

From earliest times, great emphasis has been placed upon the last days of Jesus Christ's mortal life, represented for us by the last week of Lent, beginning on Passion (Palm) Sunday, through to the Resurrection (Easter).

In this most important week of the church's year we remember and celebrate the last climactic events of Jesus' life: His joyful entry into Jerusalem; the Passover Meal with his chosen twelve and the institution of the Eucharist; the agony of the decision to be made; his betrayal by Judas; being denied by Peter; the public humiliation and scourging; the utter desolation and degradation of crucifixion.

The timeless nature of the paschal mystery makes it present to us in 2020. In a real sense we accompany Jesus and rejoice with the crowd as he enters Jerusalem; we share the paschal meal with his apostles.

We are witness to what follows -  
his horrendous treatment at the hands of a sinful world.

We watch him die.  
We wait in the upper room, bereft and confused, not knowing what to do.  
Doubting, questioning.

Could things possibly have gone any worse?!

But with the dawn comes news of an empty tomb – what can this mean?

Glimmers of understanding and hope.

We encounter the Risen Christ in the garden,  
on the road, in the upper room... in our lives.

What joy, what blessed relief!  
Death is conquered!  
Our salvation has come through this One Man

Jesus, the Christ of God

## Passion Sunday

Jesus rides into Jerusalem on a donkey, and The people shout, "Hosannah! Blessings on Him who comes in the name of the Lord!" (Mark 14:1-15:47)

The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ  
According to Mark 14:1-15:47



### Mass of Holy Oils – Chrism Mass

At the Cathedral, this mass is con-celebrated by the Bishop with his priests in a display of unity and Faithfulness. At this time the holy oils are blessed: Oil of the Sick, Oil of Catechumens, Oil of Chrism. Lay representatives from each parish receive the oils from the Bishop to take back to their respective parishes.

St Patrick's Cathedral, Auckland  
Monday 25th March, 7.30 p.m.

## Paschal Triduum

*Celebration of the Paschal Triduum is the culmination of the entire liturgical year.*

The three days that begin on Holy Thursday with the Mass of the Lord's Supper, celebrates the paschal event, and that newness of life which flows from the sacrifice of the crucified, buried and risen Christ.

The **paschal event** recalls the first Jewish Passover when the people were saved by the blood of the lamb. Jesus is the Lamb of God whose Blood now saves us all. So this is personal.....

I keep watch and pray;  
I stand at the foot of the cross;  
I wait;

I find the empty tomb.

And we might ask ourselves: How do I respond to His call to follow him? Do I stay? Or do I flee?

Do I betray him (like Judas) ?  
Do I deny him (as Peter did) ?

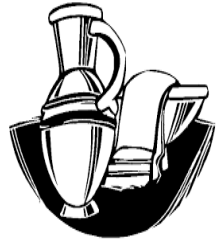


## Holy Thursday – Mass of the Lord's Supper

We must follow Christ's example of self-giving and service.  
A new commandment: Love one another as I have loved you.

Are you ready to say to him, or ourselves,  
"This is my body which is given to you"

Exodus 12:1-8,11-14; Psalm 116B, 1Corinthians 11:23-26  
Gospel John 13:1-15



*Jesus washes the feet of the disciples.*



### Good Friday

*A day of fasting and abstinence. Collection for the Holy Places.*

### Celebration of the Lord's Passion

- + we **listen** to scripture to understand the meaning of his suffering; the meaning of sacrifice.
- + we **pray** with him for the needs of the world.
- + we **venerate** the cross as symbol of his triumph, our salvation.
- + we enter into **Communion** with Him who is our Saviour and our life.

Isaiah 52:13-53:12, Ps 31, Hebrews 4:14-16,5:7-9, John 18:1-19,42

*The Passion: "Yes, I am a king"*

### Easter Vigil

**Part One: Christ the light** of the world.

**Part Two:** the Word – we listen to all the wonderful things God has done for us from the beginning – the story of salvation.

**Genesis 1:1-2:2, Exodus 14:15-15:1, Isaiah 54:5-14, Romans 6:3-11**

**Part Three:** the Eucharist – the whole Church is called to the table which the Lord prepared for his people by his death and resurrection.

Mark 16:1-8 "Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified, has risen."

### Easter Sunday

John 20:1-9 "The teaching of scripture is that he must rise from the dead."

*He Has Risen.... Alleluia*

