



# Orthodox Christian Church of the Holy Apostles

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## *Holy Apostles Orthodox Trust*

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## **Newsletter March 2020**



### **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

There will be no Sunday School on the 1<sup>st</sup> March 2020 as it is Forgiveness Sunday.

### **FOOD BANK**

Thank you for continuing to support your Local Food Bank. During **January** your donations helped us to support an average of **82** households every week by giving out **550+** food parcels together with Christmas treats such as mince pies, selection boxes, Christmas pudding etc. We still have ample supplies of baked beans, pasta, cereal and soup. So, the following would be helpful: •Rice •Tinned meat •Tinned fruit & puddings •

If you can help it will be greatly appreciated.

### **ROOF FUND APPEAL**

*We have made a good start to our fundraising with some donations directly to the church. Our current total is **£4150**. Please continue to share our appeal to anyone you feel will support us.*

We would love it if you took a moment to check out our GoFundMe campaign:

[https://www.gofundme.com/roof-fund-appeal&rcid=r01-153270114942-8a1d9c932b7f4da4&pc=em\\_co\\_campgmt\\_w](https://www.gofundme.com/roof-fund-appeal&rcid=r01-153270114942-8a1d9c932b7f4da4&pc=em_co_campgmt_w)

There is also a basket for donations in the church, remember to gift aid and make your donation go further. Your support would mean a lot. Thank you so much!

**XPOVIA POLLA AND HAPPY NAME DAY TO THOSE CELEBRATING THEIR SAINT'S DAY IN MARCH.**

Anyone who has not given Pres Rebecca their name day details please do so.

1 March	St David	David Walker Dawood Fard
1 March	St Eythoxia	Evyv Boutshink
16 March	St Christodoulos	Fr Christodoulos
25 March	St Mary	Pres. Mary Philomena Botros

**NEW DETAILS?**

Please let me know if you have moved to a new house, have a new telephone number or changed email address. Many thanks. rlhiggs@hotmail.co.uk 07890 208539

**MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY WHO ARE UNWELL**

If you or anyone you know from church is unwell, please do let me know so that we can help in whatever way we can. Thank you.

**CHURCH HALL**

We are happy to let you know that our church hall is being utilised on a regular basis, but if you know of anyone who is looking for hall space then please speak to a member of the committee.

**NEWSLETTER INCLUSIONS**

The deadline for any announcements, news, Christian book reviews or articles is the 26<sup>th</sup> of each month for inclusion in the following month's newsletter. If you wish for it to be included for more than one month, then please specify the length of time. All items may be emailed to Nicky at [ntpratsas@yahoo.com](mailto:ntpratsas@yahoo.com).

<b>Services and Events for March 2020</b>		
<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Service/Event</b>
1 <sup>st</sup> March	10:30am	Holy Liturgy Sunday of Cheesefare Forgiveness Sunday
2 <sup>nd</sup> March	7:00pm	Cannon of St Andrew
3 <sup>rd</sup> March	7:00pm	Cannon of St Andrew
8 <sup>th</sup> March	10:30am	Holy Liturgy First Sunday of Great Lent
11 <sup>th</sup> March	7:00pm	Pre-sanctified Liturgy
15 <sup>th</sup> March	10:30am	Holy Liturgy Second Sunday of Great Lent
18 <sup>th</sup> March	7:00pm	Akathist to the Mother of God
21 <sup>st</sup> March	10:30am	Holy Liturgy Dalton-in-Furness
22 <sup>nd</sup> March	10:30am	Holy Liturgy Third Sunday of Great Lent
25 <sup>th</sup> March	7:00pm	Pre-sanctified Liturgy
29 <sup>th</sup> March	10:30am	Holy Liturgy Fourth Sunday of Great Lent

