Date	Commemoration / Readings
25th March	The Annunciation of our Lord to the Blessed Virgin Mary
	- For the courage to do God's will; the intercession of Mary
	Luke 1.26-38
29th March	Passion Sunday
SUNDAY	- Strength for those who have crosses to bear
	John 11. 1-45
31st March	John Donne, priest and poet
	- For poets, writers and all those that help us to see the world
	differently
	John 8.21-30
5 <sup>th</sup> April	Palm Sunday
SUNDAY	- Remembering our Lord's entry into Jerusalem and the
	fickleness of crowds
	Matthew 21.1-11 and 26.30 – 27.54
9 <sup>th</sup> April	Maundy Thursday
	- Jesus said: "Love one another, as I have loved you."
	John 13.1-17, 31b-35
10 <sup>th</sup> April	Good Friday
	- God so loved the world
	John 18.1-19.42
12 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter Day
SUNDAY	- Alleluia! Christ is risen!
	Matthew 28.1-10
19 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter 2
SUNDAY	- St Thomas proclaims 'My Lord and My God'
	John 20. 19- end
23 <sup>rd</sup> April	George, martyr, patron of England
	- For our country and communities
	John 15.18-21
25 <sup>th</sup> April	Mark the Evangelist
	- For those who spread the Good News
	Mark 131.5-13
26 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter 3
SUNDAY	- For those who accompany us on our journey in faith
	Luke 24. 13-35
Ist May	Philip and James, apostles
	- Encouraging others in the faith
	John 14.1-14

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3 <sup>rd</sup> May	Easter 4
SUNDAY	- For Bishop Alan, our chief pastor, and all faith leaders
	John 10. 1-10
8 <sup>th</sup> May	Julian of Norwich, spiritual writer
	- "All will be well and all manner of things will be well."
	John 20.11-18
10 <sup>th</sup> May	Easter 5
SUNDAY	- Thanksgiving that God invites us to dwell with Him
	John 14. 1-14
14 <sup>th</sup> May	Matthias, apostle
	- The substitute for Judas; for all called to "step in"
	John 15.9-17
17 <sup>th</sup> May	Easter 6
SUNDAY	- For all those who advocate on behalf of others
	John 14. 15-21
18 <sup>th</sup> May	Rogation Day
-	- For our parishes and those who live and work in them
	Luke 11.5-13
21st May	Ascension Day
	- God is gone up with a triumphant shout!
	Acts 1.1-11
24 <sup>th</sup> May	Easter 7
SUNDAY	- Jesus prays for His disciples; we pray for one another
	John 17. 1-11
26 <sup>th</sup> May	Augustine, first Archbishop of Canterbury, 605
	- For Archbishop Justin and the Anglican Communion
	Matthew 13.31-33
31st May	The Day of Pentecost (Whitsun)
SUNDAY	- The Holy Spirit is poured out on the Church
	Acts 2. 1-21 & John 20. 19-23
I <sup>st</sup> June	This Visitation of Mary to Elizabeth
	- For our families and loved ones
	Luke 1.39-56
5 <sup>th</sup> June	Boniface of Credition, bishop, apostle of Germany
-	- For our European brothers and sisters
	Luke 10.1-11
7 <sup>th</sup> June	Trinity Sunday
SUNDAY	- To be drawn deeper into the love of God
	Matthew 28. 16-20