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Mass Intentions:



Sunday 10/04

9.30am Myles Edwards (R/D)

11.00am Michael Woods (R/D)

Patrick Caddell (2A)

Anne Kelly (R/D)

Monday 11/04

10.00am Kathleen Dillon (90th birthday)

Tuesday 12/04

10.00am Gráinne Ní Rabhartaigh (Intention)

Padraigín Bhreathnach (Intention)

Helen Bhreathnach (Intention)

Friday 15/04

10.00am Darren Corcoran (R/D)

Ann Leonard Keegan (Intention)

Brian Spain (Intention)

Special Intention



CHURCH OPENING AND MASS TIMES

- * Sunday Mass times are 9.30am (as Gaeilge) and 11.00am. Weekday Masses are Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday & Saturday at 10.00am. There is no mass on Thursdays
- * The government has lifted most Covid restrictions, but parishioners and visitors may choose to continue to hand sanitise on entering the church and to wear face masks during the Mass. Communion is received in the hand only.
- * **N.B.** all weekly mass intentions must be booked no later than Wednesday of the previous week in order to be included in the mass intentions list and in our newsletter.



As part of the celebrations to mark the 50th Jubilee of our church, we are planning a Glasnevin Grouping **Pilgrimage to Lourdes** from 2nd-5th September. If you would like to take part, flyers with details and booking forms are available at the back of the church. Please submit your completed booking form to the parish office (ourladyofdoloursparish@gmail.com) by Sunday 1st May. A deposit of €100 should be paid directly to Marian Pilgrimages (Tel. 01/8788159) to secure the booking.

The Office for Mission and Ministry are offering daily reflections for the Lenten Journey on www.facebook.com/officeformissionandministry



Holy Week Ceremonies



Holy Week services take place in Our Lady of Dolours church, unless otherwise indicated below. All services will be streamed via webcam accessible from our parish website www.glasnevinparish.ie

Palm Sunday 10th April

Mass and Blessing of Palms at 9.30am and 11.00am

Monday 11th April

Service of The Seven Last Words of Jesus at 7.30pm

Wednesday 13th April

Service of Reconciliation in *Our Mother of Divine Grace Church, Ballygall* at 7.30pm

Mass of Chrism in the Pro-Cathedral at 7.30pm

Holy Thursday 14th April

Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7.30pm followed by Watch and Pray Vigil at the Altar of Repose 9.00-9.45pm

Good Friday 15th April

Outdoor Ecumenical Way of the Cross at 12.00 noon **

Celebration of Our Lord's Passion at 3.00pm

Stations of the Cross at 7.30pm

Holy Saturday 16th April

Morning Prayer at 10.00am

Celebration of Easter Vigil at 8.30pm

Easter Sunday 17th April

Mass at 9.30am and 11.00am

CONFESSIONS

After Mass on Palm Sunday and immediately following the Celebration of Our Lord's Passion on Good Friday or upon request.

(*followed by by a solidarity lunch for Ukraine in the parish centre)

Reflection: We are on the cusp of Holy Week, the most solemn week in the Church year, when we relive the final days of Jesus of Nazareth, leading to his passion and death on Good Friday, and are called to reaffirm our faith that he is risen. The week begins with the blessing and procession with palms into the church on Palm Sunday and the reading of St. Luke's narrative of the Passion. On Holy Thursday at the Mass of the Lord's Supper, we commemorate the institution of the Eucharist and the commissioning of the disciples to service of one another. On Good Friday at 3pm, we gather for the solemn celebration of the Passion (this time St. John's account) and veneration of the cross. It is preceded by an outdoor Way of the Cross beginning at 12noon at the Margaret Aylward centre in the grounds of the Holy Faith convent on Glasnevin Hill. Stations of the Cross in the church will also be led at 7.30pm that evening. On Holy Saturday we gather at 8.30pm for our celebration of the Easter Vigil, beginning with the blessing of the Paschal fire outside the church. We are all too aware that our journey through Holy Week this year takes place in the context of the awful suffering being inflicted upon the country and people of Ukraine. How is it possible to proclaim Easter faith when we witness such inhumanity and depravity? For some of us too, our journey through Holy Week takes place against the background of more personal suffering: illness or bereavement. As we make this journey together, may we come to recognise the One who journeys



We now have our **Easter Novena of Masses** cards and individual Easter Mass Bouquets available from the Sacristy or the Office. All cards are also available as Gaeilge.

The **Irish Red Cross** has launched an online portal where offers of accommodation for Ukrainian refugees can be received. Contact Íde Finnegan (ide.finnegan@dublindiocese.ie) or Patrick Nelson (patrick.nelson@dublindiocese.ie) with any queries, or go directly to the Irish Red Cross portal: registerofpledges.redcross.ie



Many thanks to our kind parishioners who continually provide us with beautiful flowers for the Church. Your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated.

The monthly **Parish Pastoral Council** meeting will take place this Tuesday 12th April at 7.00pm.

Family Offering Donation €1086 1st Collection €955 Share €650 - thank you for your generous support



Holy Week begins this Sunday 10th April, Palm Sunday. Our parish Easter card, Holy Week timetable of services and offering envelope are now available for delivery around the parish. If you can assist with delivering these to the relevant homes on your street please call in to the parish office any weekday morning or enquire at the sacristy at the weekend.

We thank parishioners for your contributions to the First and Second Collections at Mass. A Tap and Go machine at the back of the church facilitates parishioners and visitors who wish to contribute to the First and Second collections but who don't carry cash. Contributions to the parish can be made through the 'Donate' button on the parish website: www.glasnevinparish.ie

Glasnevin Village Active Retirement Walking Group - Walk with us in safety and friendship Ist Walk on Monday 25TH April @11am - Meet at PC entrance on Botanic Ave at 10.55am.

The **Parish Centre Hall** will be closed Holy Week, there are no activities 8th—24th April.



The annual **Advocate Collection for Sunshine House** takes place this Palm Sunday in the form of self addressed envelopes. Parishioners are invited to leave envelopes with donations in the safe at the back of the Church or returns with weekly collections, or post the envelope back directly to the Sunshine Advocate Collection office. Envelopes are available from the back of the Church.

Anam Cara North Dublin, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 20th April at 7:15pm in the Carnegie Court Hotel, Swords, Co. Dublin. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. Please contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 for any queries.

There will be no **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** on Wednesday 13th and Wednesday 20th April. Adoration will resume on Wednesday 27th April, 3.00—4.00pm



The next outdoor collection for St. Vincent de Paul collection takes place on Sunday 24/4.