

Parish Bulletin



24th March 2024

**PARISH OF
HOLY ROSARY**

**PARISH OF
ST BERNADETTE**

PALM SUNDAY MASS TIMES

St Bernadette's Parish 6.00pm & 11am
Holy Rosary Parish 9am, 10.30am & 12.30pm

WEEKDAY MASSES FOR HOLY WEEK

Monday 9.30am St. Bernadette's
Tuesday 9.30am St. Bernadette's (Novena)
Wednesday 9.30am St. Bernadette's



GOOD FRIDAY ACT OF COMMON WORSHIP

The traditional shared Service of Prayer for Good Friday will take place in the Ormeau Park at 11am, organised by the various Churches in the Ballynafeigh area. It concludes at 11.30am with a short Ecumenical Prayer Service in Cooke Centenary Presbyterian Church. Everyone is cordially invited.

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TRÓCAIRE LENTEN CAMPAIGN 2024

This year's Lenten Campaign will draw to a close at the end of Holy Week. Trocaire Boxes can be returned to the church during Mass times. Please do not leave boxes when the church is unattended.

If possible, it would be appreciated if you would change coins into notes to assist the parish counters.

OUR FAITHFUL DEPARTED

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Sean Dempsey, Geraldine Boyle, John O'Rawe, Patricia Sinead Cashman, Valerie Moore (nee McGarry),



ANNIVERSARIES:

Fr Tom Hamill, Nora Connolly, Brian Goldsmith (6.00pm)
Rita McCann (9.00am), Angela Jenkins (10.30am)
Seamus White (11.00am), Tony McKee (12.30pm),
Nancy Feeney, Patrick & Evelyn Cunningham,
Marie Cairnduff, Michael Bannon

**St Bernadette's Bethany Bereavement
Support Group ☎. 07385591055**

**Holy Rosary's Bethany Bereavement
Support Group ☎. 07818090323**

ST BERNADETTE'S FINANCES



Weekly Collection £1122.24.45
Needy Parishes £474.82

The Collection for Catholics in The Holy Land will be taken up on Good Friday, 29th March.

The Easter Voluntary Collection will be taken up at all the Mass next weekend (31st March)

Once again thank you for your continued generosity toward all the collections taken up in our parish.



New boxes of envelopes are available for collection in the corridor outside the sacristy. Parishioners who wish to start contributing to the parish either by Standing

Order or envelopes are asked to either email the parish – stbernadettes@downandconnor.org or leave their name, address and email address in the sacristy and Philomena will be in contact with you.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER LITURGIES



SPY WEDNESDAY

The Mass of Chrism will be celebrated in St Peter's Cathedral at 12 noon.

HOLY THURSDAY:

St Bernadette's Parish Morning Prayer 9.30am
Holy Rosary Parish: Morning Prayer 10.00am

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER:



St Bernadette's Parish 8.00pm
 Church remains open for private prayer. Night Prayer 9.30pm
Holy Rosary Parish 7.00pm
 Church remains open for private prayer Night Prayer at 9.00pm



GOOD FRIDAY:

St Bernadette's Parish Morning Prayer 9.30am
Holy Rosary Parish Morning Prayer 10.00am

SOLEMN LITURGY OF THE PASSION AND DEATH OF OUR LORD

St Bernadette's Parish 3pm Stations of the Cross 7.30pm
Holy Rosary Parish 3pm Stations of the Cross 7.00pm



HOLY SATURDAY

St Bernadette's Parish Morning Prayer 9.30am
Holy Rosary Parish Morning Prayer 10.00am

EASTER VIGIL



St Bernadette's Parish 7.30pm
Holy Rosary Parish 8.00pm



EASTER SUNDAY

St Bernadette's Parish 11am
Holy Rosary Parish 9am; 10.30am; 12.30pm



St Bernadette's Parish
Dates of The Children's Liturgy

7th & 21st Apr;

5th & 19th May;

2nd & 16th June.



BINGO

Holy Rosary Parish Centre:
Bingo this Sunday 24th March.
Other dates for your diary.
 21st April;
 9th May.



Fun for Seniors

The Senior Citizen's Club will meet after Easter Holy Rosary Parish Centre on Monday 8th April and every other Monday evening thereafter. All welcome.

CHILDREN'S CORNER



Sunday 24 March 2024
Mark 14:1 – 15:47
Palm Sunday of the Passion
of the Lord

In the GOSPEL TODAY

Jesus' friend

Peter was one of Jesus' best friends. He loved Jesus.

Unscramble these words to see what Peter said to Jesus at the Last Supper



Peter got very scared when Jesus was arrested.

What did he say about Jesus then?



Jesus loved Peter too.

Even though he let Jesus down, Peter was sorry and put it right.

Peter was the first leader of the Christian Church.

A PRAYER TO SAY

I am so sorry, Jesus, that you suffered. Please help me to always be a good friend and never let people down when they need me. Help me to treat others

We hear the story of holy week today. Jesus is welcomed as a king by the crowd – but later this week they turn against him. Jesus is taken and treated cruelly by lots of different people.



Maze

Naomi got left behind. Help her run to the city gate to welcome Jesus the King.

Matching up

Match the picture and draw a line to the day it goes with.



Palm Sunday

Maundy Thursday

Good Friday

What happened to Jesus?

Fill in the missing letters to find out.

Jesus eats his last meal with his _____ ds (rifen).

One of his friends b _____ ys (eart) him.

Peter is afraid and pretends that he does not _____ (nwok) Jesus.

The priests want Jesus to _____ (ied).

Pilate orders for Jesus to be cru _____ ied (fici).

Joseph takes Jesus' _____ (dyob) away and buries him in a tomb.

Answers: Jesus' friend: I will never leave you. I don't know him. What happened: betrays, know, die, crucified.