

FROM THE PARISH

Parish Office: Our office will be closed from the 15th of April until the 21st of April.

From everyone here at St. Mary's we wish you all a blessed and happy Easter.

Altar Society: If you wish to donate Lily flowers in memory of a loved one that cannot be with us this Easter please leave them on the steps of the Altar, or if you wish to make a donation towards the cost of flowers to decorate the Cathedral for Easter please drop your donation in an envelope into the collection box.

Parish Shop: The Parish Shop in the Gillooly Hall will be open on Saturdays from 11am to 2pm and after 10.30am and 12 Noon Sunday Masses.

Sunday Collection: Income 3rd April 2022—€2,580 (Ukraine Collection €5,820)

Parish Expenditure— €12,870.87

Thank you for your on going contributions, we deeply appreciate your continued Financial support. Tap & Go System in the car park and also at the back of the Cathedral for donations.

Good Friday National Holy Face Public Prayer Vigil will take place on Good Friday at 12.00 noon in Tesco Car Park. It is an opportunity to come out publicly and pray with others and to honour Jesus and make reparation. *"Everyone who acknowledges me publicly here on earth, I will also acknowledge before my Father in heaven."* Matt 10:32.

Divine Mercy Novena: will start on Good Friday. Novena leaflets will be available at the back of the Cathedral for those who need them.

Rosary at the Grottos: The Rosary will be prayed each day during the month of May at hundreds of grottos around the Island of Ireland. To see a list of locations, or to register a grotto (or other suitable location) simply visit www.coastalrosaryireland.ie You can also register by texting 087 278 6552. We are praying for Ireland and for peace in the world.

FROM THE DIOCESE

Synodal Pathway in our Diocese: The Catholic Church throughout the world is beginning a series of conversations about what God wants of his people. These conversations are often referred to as a Synodal Process. "Synodal" comes from a Greek word which means "walking together". In our diocese, the fruit from our conversations will be gathered in a report and will feed into a national report which, in turn, will be submitted to Pope Francis later this summer. See www.synod.ie and www.elphindiocese.ie/synod to learn more.

Mass of Chrism: Bishop Kevin invites you to attend the Mass of Chrism on Wednesday 13th April at 7.30pm in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Sligo. During the Mass, Bishop Kevin will bless and consecrate the oils used in the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Orders and the Sick and the priests of the diocese will renew their commitment to their priestly ministry. All are very welcome to attend.

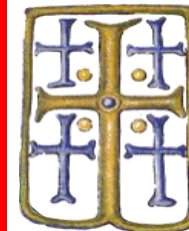


CATHEDRAL OF THE
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, SLIGO

NEWSLETTER

Sunday 10th April 2022

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion



PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

CATHEDRAL MASS TIMES

EASTER PROGRAMME

Monday 11th-Tuesday 12th at 10.30am & 7pm

Confessions 11am-12 Noon

Wed. 13th 10.30am, Chrism Mass 7.30pm

Confessions 11am-12 Noon

Holy Thursday 14th Morning Prayer 10.30am

Confessions 11am-12 Noon

Mass of the Last Supper 7pm,

Prayer in the Garden 11pm

Good Friday 15th Morning Prayer 10.30am

Confessions 11am-12 Noon

Passion 3pm

Stations of the Cross 7pm

Holy Saturday 16th Morning Prayer 10.30am

Confessions Saturday 2pm—5pm

Vigil Mass 9.00pm

Easter Sunday 17th at 8.30am, 10.30am 12.00 Noon & 7pm.

MONDAY - APRIL 18th - FRIDAY 22nd NO 7PM MASS

Mass at 10.30 a.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

TODAY - PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION - 10th April

Our Lord Jesus Christ reaches the apex of His mission on Earth in obedience to God The Father. He entered triumphantly into Jerusalem in preparation for His Passion. He knew what was ahead of Him (Death on the Cross) yet, He embraced this for the Redemption of humanity. For this Divine Act of Ultimate Love, we say—"Thank you Lord for saving us."

Monday in Holy Week, 11th April

10.30am Mass: Eilsh Mitchel (Anniversary)

7.00pm Mass: Stephanie Conlon (Anniversary)

Tuesday in Holy Week, 12th April

10.30am Mass: Margaret Clancy (Anniversary)

7.00pm Mass: Michael Muldoon (Anniversary)

Wednesday in Holy Week, 13th April

SPY WEDNESDAY

10.30am Mass: Bernard Murray & deceased Murray family (Anniversary)

7.30pm Chrism Mass

Holy Thursday 14th April

10.30am Morning Prayer of the Church

7.00pm Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday 15th April

10.30am Morning Prayer of the Church

3.00pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion

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Holy Saturday 16th April

10.30am Morning Prayer of the Church

9.00pm Mass

Sunday Readings for 17th April

1st Reading: Acts 10:34, 37-43; 2nd Reading: Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6-8;
Gospel: Jn 20:1-9.

REST IN PEACE

Your prayers are kindly asked for the repose of the soul of:
Doreen Maye, Liam O'Shaughnessy, Margaret McMurray, Angela McKinney
MAY GOD GRANT THEM ETERNAL REST IN HIS HEAVENLY KINGDOM, AND COMFORT AND
CONSOLE THEIR FAMILY AND FRIENDS.

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Thursday: 9:30am-4pm & Friday: 9:30am-2pm
Phone: 071 9162670

If you would like to donate to the Cathedral Parish please make cheques payable to the following A.I.B. bank account:

Elphin Diocese Cathedral No.1 Parish account.

THANK YOU for your support of our Parish and Cathedral.