Church of Divine Mercy, Lucan South Parish





NEWSLETTER

9th April 2022

*See Holy Week Programme

Thu 14th Apr – 8pm*

Fri 15th Apr – 3pm*

Sat 16th Apr – 9pm*

Mass Times: All Masses are available on the Parish Webcam:

https://www.lucansouthparish.net/index.php/live-webcam-stream/ Sat 9th Apr - 6.30pm Vigil Mass* Sun 10th Apr - 10.15am Family Mass* Sun 10th Apr - 12.15pm Sunday Mass*

Mon 11th Apr - 9.15am Tues 12th Apr - 9.15am&7pm* Wed 13th Apr - 9.15am

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

Luke 22:14—23:56 (shorter form: Luke 23:1-49) From the cross, Jesus speaks words of forgiveness and promises that the good thief will be with him in paradise. Palm Sunday, also called Passion Sunday, marks the beginning of Holy Week. During this week, we prepare ourselves for Easter by prayerful reflection upon the events of Jesus' passion and death.



During this week, your family might display a crucifix in a prominent place as reminder of salvation Christ won for us. This can also serve as the focal point for family prayer during Holv Week.

Further Information available:

https://www.lucansouthparish.net/ & https://wHoly Week {rww.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgicalvear/sunday-connection/

HOLY WEEK PROGRAMME

Palm Sunday

Mass Times:

Sat: 6.30pm Vigil Mass (Saturday 9th)

Sun: 10.15am & 12.15pm Sunday

12.15pm: Procession with Palms from the Church's grounds

EASTER TRIDUUM (3 day Preparation for Easter)

Holy Thursday – 14th April 5pm Children Mass & 8pm Mass

Good Friday – 15th April Children Stations of the Cross 12.00 noon & 3.00pm Good Friday Ceremonies

Holy Saturday- 16th April Easter Vigil 9pm

Easter Sunday – 17th April Mass 10.15am & 12.15pm

Baptisms

Availability in April: 1st Sunday & 3rd Sunday at 11.15am Thursdays at 3pm Application forms available in the Parish Office The Next Baptism's preparation meetings will be held on the 3rd May at 7pm

Recent Church Collections

1st Collection: €110 2nd Collection: €65 Envelopes: €390 Our sincere thanks for your continued generosity

Adoration and Holy Hour Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Mon: 7.30pm: Divine Mercy Adoration *See Holy Week Programme

Mass Intentions for the coming week: Anniversaries, Month Mind, Recently Deceased

Sat 9th Apr - 6.30pm Special Intentions Sun 10th Apr - 10.15am Amanda Graham - Anniv Sun 10th Apr - 12.15pm

Mon 11th Apr - 9.15am Tom Mongan – 6th Month Anniv

Tues 12th Apr - 9.15amSpecial IntentionsTues 12th Apr - 7pmSpecial Intentions

Wed 13th Apr - 9.15am Frank Coyle – Rec Dec

Thu 14th Apr - 9.15am Michael Rosanna McClelland - Anniv

Fri 15th Apr -9.15am Special Intentions Sat 16th Apr – Seamus Murray - Anniv Should you wish to have a loved one included in this section, please contact the Parish Office with the details by the previous Thursday before 2.00pm.

Holy Week Readers and Eucharist Ministers			
Day	Readers	Eucharist Ministers	Mass
Palm Sunday	Joy Valenjuila Gavin Lacy Lorraine Conway	Geraldine Mulhall Alex Byrne	Sat 9th Apr - Vigil 6.30pm
	Children's Mass	Sr Thuy Sr Cecilia	Sun 10th Apr - 10.15am
	Enda Creegan Ida D'Souza Liam White	Norvil Caguioa Frank Kelly	Sun 10th Apr - 12.15pm
Holy Thursday	Children's Mass	Estelle Fox Brigid Hewitt	Thur 14th Apr - 5pm
	Linda Gogharty Linda Fernandes	John Keenan Linda Keenan	Thur 14th Apr - 8pm
Good Friday	Laila Joseph Jacquie Elatte Frank Kelly	Paul Gogharty Theresa Sheridan	Fri 15th Apr - 3pm
Holy Saturday	Siobhan O'Callaghan Hugh Nohilly Nicole Monteiro	Toussaint Mina Nzanga Monica Geraghty Florin D'Souza	Sat 16th Apr - 9pm
Easter Sunday	Children's Mass	John Reilly Joe Peck	Sun 17th Apr - 10.15am
	Shimmy P. George Anagha Jimmy	Theresa Sheridan Enda Creegan	Sun 17th Apr - 12.15pm

The Stations of the Cross

Thank you to our volunteers for the work on the Stations of the Cross video. It will allow the people in our Community who are housebound, sick or with a hearing impairment to access it through our website.

https://www.lucansouthparish.net/

Trócaire Lenten Campaign

This Lent, we hear about how communities who were already facing huge challenges due to drought and food shortages, caused by climate change, were further impacted by Covid-19. This is seen in how Covid-19 impacted people's livelihoods and access to education and food security.

Envelopes are available in the entrance of the Church. Boxes can then be returned to the Parish Office. Trócaire are hosting a series of workshops during Lent 2022 and you can find out more and sign up on their website https://www.trocaire.org/



Stations of the Cross

Painted by Anne McMullan

Divine Me



Lent Resources

Christopher, our dedicated Pastoral Worker, has designed great infographics videos resources for Lent, which are available on our website.

Reflection: <u>https://www.lucansouthparish.net/index.php/2022/03/04/friday-reflection-for-lent-week-1/</u> Lent & Easter explained for Children: <u>https://www.lucansouthparish.net/index.php/2022/03/08/lent-and-easter-explained-for-children/</u>

Ground Maintenance

A lawnmower has been donated to the Church last week. We would like to acknowledge the generous donation. The ground of the Church needs constant maintenance (grass cutting, hedge trimming, weed control, seasonal gritting).

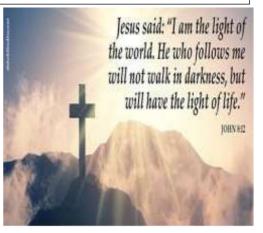
In order to reduce the costs of landscaping, the Parish Caretakers will cut the grass regularly but the Parish will need to purchase 1 lawnmower.

If you wish to donate towards the cost of the lawnmower, please contact the Parish Office.

Coffee Morning

Our Coffee Morning will take place on Wednesday 13th April at 10am (after the 9.15am Mass) in the John Paul II Memorial Hall).

WAY OF THE CROSS IN PHOENIX PARK The 17th annual Way of The Cross takes place in the Phoenix Park on Good Friday, April 15th, at 12pm, beginning at the Wellington Monument and finishing at the Papal Cross. It will be led by Archbishop Dermot Farrell. All are welcome.



Suggestion for Holy Week:

Create a sacred space in your home for the week. It can be as simple as a candle and a bible. You can add particular symbols for given days, palm on Palm Sunday, a water bowl & towel on Holy Thursday, a cross on Good Friday, a candle and holy water for Easter Sunday.

Tap and Go! You can now make your weekly "blue and red bags" Diocese donation by debit/credit card using the new contactless machine located in the Main Porch. Follow the instructions on the screen. The Tap&Go donations are allocated as follow: 60% to the Common Fund and 40% to Share. Thank you all for your kind support.



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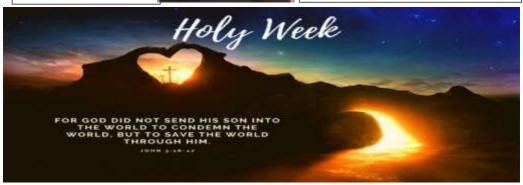
Every Saturday morning after the 10am Mass. All are Welcome!



MARCH/APRIL PHOTO COMPETITION TIME!

Well Done Everyone associated with Divine Bloom!

You'll all notice the flowers popping up around the base of the trees 🌲 also around the church grounds. Some lovely colours of yellow, purple and white. Have a look, take a photo of Flowers in the Church Grounds Only and send the photo to the email social.lucansouthparish@gmail.com over the next few weeks (deadline 17.04.2022). Winners will be announced on the 18.04.2022. Note: Only Photographs of Flowers grown in Divine Bloom will be accepted.



Parish Office Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 9.45am to 1.00pm. Closed Bank Holidays. Wide range in stock of Mass Cards, General Cards for all occasions.

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