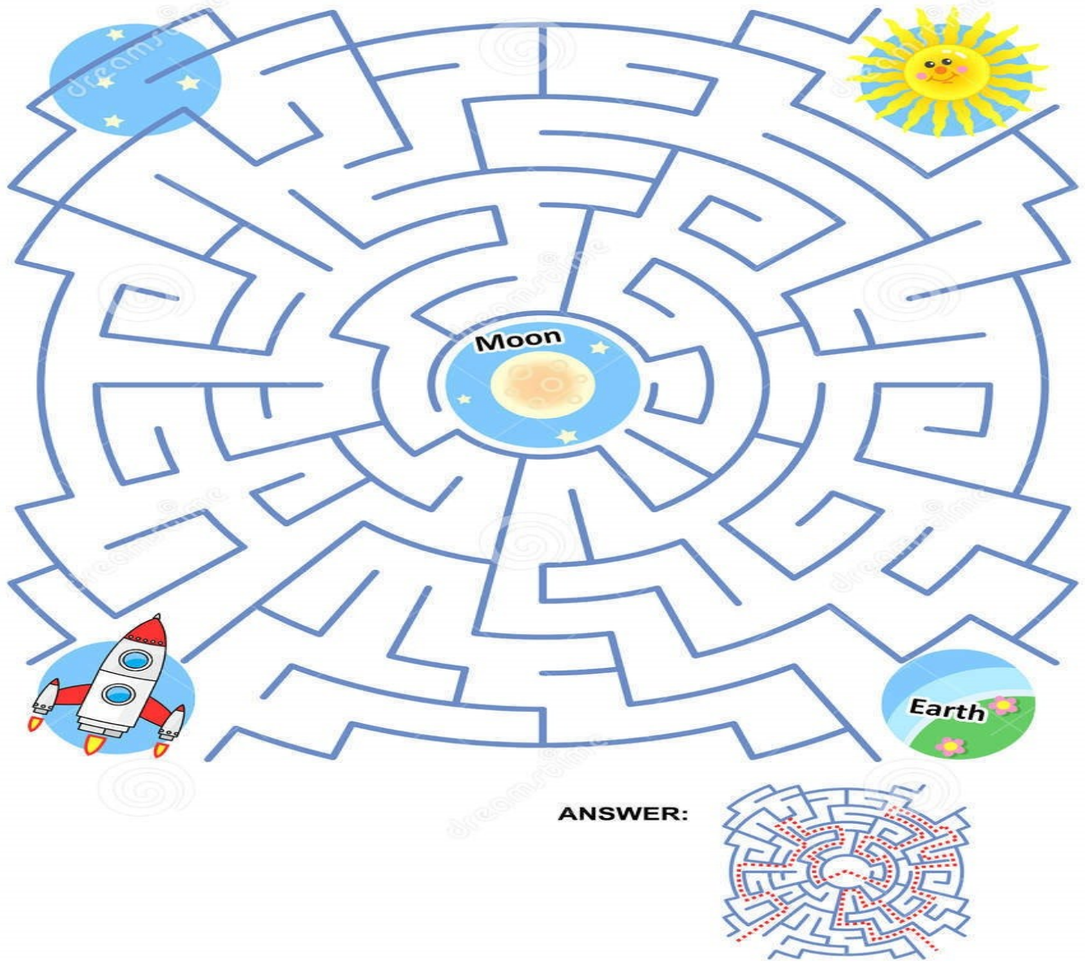
Kids Corner

Help the spaceship to fly to the Moon and then return to the Earth.



ANSWER:

Good Friday moment of silence On Good Friday, St Martin de Porres Parish Pastoral Council invite all Catholics to observe two minutes silence at 3pm this year as a mark of solidarity with all Christians who are suffering persecution worldwide. Church of St Martin de Porres, Aylesbury, Tallaght.

Easter Sunday Dawn Mass in the Gardens, - Sunday 5th April at 6am. Sing a new song of Hope and welcome the Good News. Iona Pastoral Centre, Idrone Ave, Knocklyon, 4943712.Email ionapastoralcentre@gmail.com

This weekend's Church Gate Collection.

Is in aid of the St. Vincent De Paul Advocate Collection. Part of the Sunshine Fund that provides holidays to children in need

Matt Talbot Novena Mass Palm Sunday Liturgy for Youth. Presided by Fr Kieran McDermott, Episcopal Vicar for Evangelization, Dublin Diocese. 3.00 pm, Sunday 29th March (immediately after Walk of Remembrance). Our Lady of Lourdes, Sean McDermott Street.

Passion Play in Meath Street Parish St. Catherine's Parish, Meath Street. will stage their Annual Passion Play during the 3pm service on Good Friday. The Passion Play is acted out by parishioners. On Good Friday night at 7.30 pm, parishioners will again present in tableau form the Station of the Cross with very moving meditations. All are welcome.

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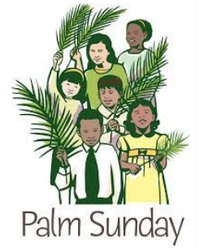
29th March 2015 - Palm Sunday 2015



Priests of the Parish

Fr Paul Tyrrell:	455 5368
Fr David Fleming:	454 2308
Fr John Deasy:	455 0955
Fr Tom Clowe:	455 5605
Deacon	
Rev Jimmy Fennell:	455 5368

St Agnes Church Mass Times

Weekday Masses:- 9.00am; 10.00 am; 7.00pm

Saturday Vigil Mass:- 7.00pm
Sunday Masses:- 9.30am; 11.00 am *(Family)*; 12.30pm *(Choir)*; 7.00pm
Holy day Masses:- 7.00pm Vigil; 9.00am; 10.00am; 7.00pm

Confession Times

Saturdays from 10.30am to 11.30am & 6.45pm

Eve of First Fridays after 10.00am Mass & 6.45pm

Last Weekend's Collections

1st Collection:	€ 2,280
Share:	€ 1,765
Family Offering:	€ 1,745

Many thanks for your continued support and generosity

Marriage and the Family.

Information and Bishops' material regarding the up coming referendum is available in the parish office.

Thought for the Week

"Age is a matter of mind. If you don't mind, It doesn't matter" Mark Twain

THE DEEP END • PALM SUNDAY

Today we read Mark's account of Jesus' Passion; yes it is the long Gospel but we should not miss out on the journey that this account offers us. A good question to ask is 'Where do I stand' in this Gospel? Are you looking on as a bystander, are you in the group of disciples, are you closer to the Roman Soldier who confesses Jesus's identity after his death – an unlikely hero?

Perhaps it is a more difficult journey as you relate to Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane, a Jesus who is 'distressed' and 'agitated' because of many things: isolation, the disappointment he must feel because of the abandonment of his closest friends, betrayal, loneliness, mocking, torture? Mark has Jesus die in total isolation.

The cry of abandonment on the cross has to be one of the most frightening aspects of this account: 'Eloi, Eloi Lema Sabbachtani?' My God, my God, why have you deserted me? At the crucial moment, even God is silent. This is not an easy journey. We know the story does not end there, but for this week we enter into the rawness of Mark's cross.

We can remember those today who stand for justice, who fight for human rights, those who are counter-cultural, who stand against oppressive systems even though the path is dangerous and lonely. And we can continue to ask ourselves: 'Where do I stand?'

Jane Mellett Email janemellett@yahoo.com

Courtesy of Intercom Magazine

Easter Schedule.
Spare copies of the Easter Schedule Card is available at church exits along with Easter Dues envelopes. Easter Schedule is also printed in this newsletter.

Eucharist Ministers required for Easter Ceremonies.
We need Eucharistic Ministers for the Easter Ceremonies. If you are available for Holy Thursday or Easter Saturday **Vigil mass** please leave your name and phone number in the Sacristy.

Palm Sunday walk with Francis Street, James' Street and Meath Street parishes. The walk of the seven churches of the south inner city will take place on Palm Sunday at 2pm starting from James' St church, visiting St. Catherine's CoI church, Johns Lane church, Merchants Quay church, St. Audoen's church, Francis Street church, and finishing in Meath Street church. There will be a short Gospel reading and meditation in each church on the route. Tea & coffee afterwards in the Little Flower Hall, Meath Street. All are welcome.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, 28th March 2015

7.00pm **Months Mind**
Christy Higgins

Anniversaries
Brigid Towell 1st
Tom Kavanagh 2nd
Mary & Charlie McGarry 4th
Patrick Daly 6th
Mary O'Donoghue 13th
James O'Donoghue
Breda Nugent
Sarah Donohue

Sunday, 29th March 2015

9.30am **Anniversaries**
Sarah and Nicholas Carberry

11.00am **Anniversaries**
Martin Byrne 2nd
Nellie Lowry 19th
Charlie Griffin 29th

12:30pm **Anniversaries**
Eva Coyle 1st
Bertie Dunne 4th
Bill Rutherford 4th
Danny Collins 19th
Samuel Greer 8th
Lena Heeney
Deceased members of the Jackson Family
Carol Yates, Birthday Remembrance

Recently deceased
Kathleen Flynn

Monday 30th March 2015

7.00pm Josephine McGrath (Months Mind)

Tuesday 31st March 2015

9.00am Esther and John Tighe
7.00pm Tommy Madden 25th Anniversary
Vicki Madden 23rd Anniversary

Wednesday 1st April 2015

7.00pm Margaret Ashmore (10th Anniversary)

May their Souls and the Souls of all the Faithful departed Rest In Peace. Amen

All Mass Intentions should be booked in the Parish Office no later than midday on the Wednesday

Our Recently Deceased

Brendan Byrne, Moeran Road
William Skerritt, Crotty Road

We express our deepest sympathies to their families at this sad time.

May they Rest in Peace. Amen.

St Agnes Parish Reader's Roster

If you cannot make your scheduled Reading please contact John Green

Saturday 4th April 2015

9:00pm	C Heavey

Sunday 5th April 2015

9:30am	John Green
11:00am	Mary Finnegan
12:30pm	Catherine Nagle
7:00pm	John Green

The Week Ahead…

Sunday 29th March Palm Sunday
Monday 30th March ————-
Tuesday 31st March ————
Wednesday 1st April St. Ceallach
Thursday 2nd April Holy Thursday
Friday 3rd April Good Friday
Saturday 4th April Holy Saturday

The Parish is planning a Pilgrimage to the Shrines of Europe - Fatima, Santiago De Compostela and Lourdes from 28 August to 6 September 2015

The Cost of the trip is €799 including tax and insurance per person (sharing).

If interested please call to the Parish Office for further details and to leave your contact details or if you wish to book a place a Deposit of €200 will be require

Please note that there are now only a limited number of places left

Congratulations

To the girls and boys of Saint Damian's School who made their Confirmation on Saturday 28th March. May the Spirit always guide their young lives and may their parents and families always be a good example to them by the way they follow Jesus Christ

St Agnes Church - Holy Week & Easter 2015

Holy Thursday 2nd April	**9:45am** Morning Prayer **7.00pm** Mass of the Last Supper with Procession to the Altar of Repose **9.00pm** Night Prayer
Good Friday 3rd April *(Day of Fast & Abstinence)*	**9.45am** Morning Prayer **12.00pm** Family Stations of the Cross **3.00pm** Passion Liturgy, Veneration of the Cross, Holy Communion **8.00pm** Stations and Veneration of the Cross
Holy Saturday 4th April	**9.45am** Morning Prayer **9.00pm** Easter Vigil
Easter Sunday 5th April	**Masses: 9.30am: 11.00am; 12.30pm, 7.00pm**
Easter Week	**No Evening Mass** Easter Monday Mass at 10.00am only Tuesday to Friday Masses at 9.00 am & 10.00am Saturday Masses at 9.00am, 10.00am, & 7.00pm
Confessions	Holy Thursday 10.00am - 12.00noon Good Friday 10.00am - 12.00 noon Holy Saturday 10.00am - 12.00noon and 4.00pm - 6.00pm

The Priests of the Parish and the Pastoral Council invite you to join us at St Agnes Church for the celebration of Holy Week and Easter. May we wish you the Joy of Easter as we celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus Christ

RECENTLY BAPTISED

Sofia Carroll
Lara Kate Una Carroll
Mason Brandon O'Keeffe
Mason Thomas Hinch
Eva Teresa Flanagan

We welcome them into our Christian Community and wish them every blessing in their lives ahead.

The Way of the Cross proceeds through the Phoenix Park on Good Friday 3rd April. Starting at 12 noon at the Wellington Monument proceeding to the Papal Cross. Led by the Most Reverend Diarmuid Martin, Archbishop of Dublin. Communion and Liberation - Tel: 086-8112047. Email: cldublin@eci.ie or visit the website ie.clonline.org

Marriage Jubilees

It is coming to that time of the year again when we invite couples celebrating significant wedding anniversaries, Silver, Ruby, Golden or Diamond to come with their families to the 12.30pm Mass on Sunday, 19th April 2015.

We will join with you in marking the occasion. The anniversary itself may be months away, or has already been earlier in the year, but it is good to add a spiritual dimension to your celebrations this year. PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR NAMES TO THE PARISH OFFICE 455 5368.

PARISH REPOSITORY

We have a selection of Prayer books and Rosary beads for First Holy Communion as well as various other religious objects and Catholic Newspapers in The Repository located at the back of the Church.

It is open weekdays from 9.30am to 11.00am and after Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses.

MUSINGS

We are very familiar with the passage in the Gospel of John which relates how Pilate had a sign erected over the cross which read 'Jesus of Nazareth, King of the Jews' and that this was written in three languages – Hebrew, Latin (Iesus Nazarenus Rex Iudaeorum) and Greek. However, an old Irish tradition claims that there was a fourth language also used on the sign – Irish! The reasoning was that the shorthand for this sentence in Latin, the acronym INRI, spells out the Old Irish word for 'the King' (In Ri). And thus was celebrated another uniquely Irish contribution to world history!

Salvador Ryan St Patrick's College, Maynooth