ST AGNES CHURCH, CRUMLIN
HOLY WEEK & EASTER 2019

HOLY THURSDAY - 18th APRIL

9:45am Morning Prayer
7.00pm Evening Mass of the Last Supper with Processing to Altar of Repose
8.00pm Gathering at Altar of Repose with music and prayer concluding at 9.00pm

GOOD FRIDAY - 19th APRIL

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 Prayer around the Cross

HOLY SATURDAY - 20th APRIL

9:45am Morning Prayer
9.00pm Easter Vigil

EASTER SATURDAY - 21st APRIL

Masses at: **9.30am; 11.00am; 12.30pm** and **7.00pm**

EASTER WEEK *(Please note there is No Evening Mass)*

Easter Monday Mass at 10.00am only
Tuesday - Friday: Masses at 9.00am & 10.00am
Saturday: Masses at 9.00am, 10.00am and 7.00pm Vigil Mass

CONFESSIONS

Holy Thursday: 10.00am to 12.00noon
Good Friday: 10.00am to 12.00noon
Holy Saturday: 10.00am to 12.00noon & 4.00pm to 6.00pm

The Priests of the Parish and The Pastoral Council invite you to join us as we celebrate the death and resurrection of Jesus in the Parish of St Agnes.

We hope that this Easter will bring new beginnings, new hope and new joy to you and your family.

VACANCIES

PARISH SECRETARY

The Parish of Our Lady Queen of Peace, Bray is currently recruiting for a Parish Secretary. This role is offered initially on a one year fixed term/ part-time basis. Letters of application attached with Curriculum Vitae should be emailed to: secretary@queenofpeace.ie before the application closing date: **14 April 2019.**

For more information go to: www.dublindiocese.ie/vacancies

VOLUNTEER NEEDED

Dublin 12 Disability Group are looking for a new volunteer. The role of the volunteer is to help the group set up games and assist with tea and coffee. They meet every Thursday at the Father Kitt hall between 2.00 and 4.30pm.

Please contact Sean O'Connell at 087 9203216 if you are interested in helping out.

Sincere thanks to our team of volunteers

who helped distribute the Easter and Holy Week schedule cards. Spare copies of the card are available at the church. This schedule is also printed on the back page of this newsletter.

J.S. Back St. John Passion Concert:

Come along to St. Mary's Pro Cathedral on Palm Sunday (April 14at 8.00pm) to enjoy the wonderful operatic voices of the Dublin Bach Singers in concert. Conducted by Blánaid Murphy and joined by the Marlborough Baroque Orchestra and many more guests. Tickets cost €25 and are available onwww.eventbrite.ie

St Agnes Parish Weekly Newsletter

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14th April 2019, Palm Sunday

palm SUNDAY

Priests of the Parish

Fr Paul Tyrrell: 455 5368
Fr John Deasy: 455 0955
Fr Tom Clowe: 455 5605

Deacon
Rev Jimmy Fennell: 455 5368

Child Protection

Dublin Diocesan Office
836 0314
E-mail: cps@dublindiocese.ie
or contact St Agnes Parish Office at 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 11.00am & 6.45pm
Eve of First Fridays after 10.00am Mass & 6.45pm

COFFEE DOCK

The Coffee Dock in St Agnes Parish Centre is open Monday to Friday from 10.00am-12.00 noon.
Call in any day to savour the friendly atmosphere, have a cuppa and some chat with neighbours and friends.

Last Weekend's Collections

1st Collection: **€ 2,275**
SHARE **€ 1,474**
Family Offering: **€ 1,305**

Many thanks for your continued support and generosity

Thought for the Week

"To experience Holy Week is to enter more and more into God's logic of love and self-giving" - Pope Francis (Twitter)

The Deep End - Towards the Cross

We know where Jesus is going to end up, and Jesus knows it too. At the beginning of today's Mass, we hear of Jesus' spectacular entry into Jerusalem. The crowds who greet him cry out and praise God – the King has come! It is similar to how victorious army generals were welcomed home. These people have set their hopes on Jesus. They are waiting for a Messiah and King, and have heard so much about this preacher – is he the one they've been waiting for?

But Jesus is not the hero they've been expecting. He has not come to raise up an army or become a great political leader. Quite the opposite: Jesus has come to Jerusalem to die. The story takes a dark and dramatic turn, and we are plunged into a tale of arrest, trial, torture and death. Before long, the crowds are shouting 'Crucify him! Crucify him!' and taunting him on the cross to 'save himself if he is the Christ of God'. Jesus' triumphant entrance into the city is also his entry into his betrayal, suffering, and death.

We play our part in the unfolding drama today, as we first hold up our palm branches and later join the crowds condemning Jesus. In his Palm Sunday homily to young people last year, Pope Francis said the changing reactions of the crowds 'expresses the contradictory feelings that we too, the men and women of today, experience: the capacity for great love, but also for great hatred; the capacity for courageous self-sacrifice, but also the ability to 'wash our hands'.'

Today we place ourselves in the Passion of Jesus, and we look to the Cross as our consolation and our challenge.

Tríona Doherty, Athlone, Co Roscommon
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Easter Dues

Dues are an important source of income for the Priests of the parish. Spare envelopes are available at the church exits.

We wish to thank you for your continued support to St Agnes' Parish.

The annual Advocate collection for the Sunshine Fund takes place

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL The Sunshine Fund

This Saturday 13th and Sunday 14th April.

The Sunshine Fund, a special works conference of the St. Vincent de Paul provides summer holidays for children all over Dublin who need a holiday. This collection is their only source of funds. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 13th April

7:00pm **ANNIVERSARIES**
Teresa Lowe 4th; Eileen Cramer 5th
John Joseph McGuinness 5th
Anthony Kennedy 6th; Christy Kennedy 6th
Betty Manning 8th; Brendan Brady 9th
John McGuinness 9th; Jim Lawlor 10th
John Conran 11th; Teresa Greene 12th
Mary Kennedy 16th; Patrick Boylan 28th
Annie Donnelly 30th; Patrick Donnelly 40th;
Bernard Clinch;
John, Brigid & Liam O'Grady
Ann & Larry Aguis
Deceased members of Brady & O'Grady families

Sunday 14th April

9:30am **Priests Intentions**

11:00am **ANNIVERSARIES**
Charlotte Martin 2nd; Maureen Fagan 9th
James & Catherine Handley
Mary, Gerald, Maire & Ruth Howard

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE
Emer Kelly

12:30pm **MONTHS MIND**
Philip Brady

ANNIVERSARIES
Eva Rankin 1st; Michael Cartwright 1st
Jay Kelly 17th; Thomas Horan 26th
Eugene Fitzgerald 68th
Catherine Fitzgerald;

7.00pm **Pro Populo**

Monday 15th April

9.00am Gerard Thompson Birthday Rem

7.00pm Aoife Hogan Months Mind

Tuesday 16th April

7.00pm Herbert Payne & Deceased of Payne Family

Wednesday 17th April

7.00pm Marion Browne & Marion Griffin

Thursday 18th April - Holy Thursday

9.45am Morning Prayer

7.00pm Mass of the Last Supper

Friday 19th April - Good Friday

9.45am Morning Prayer

3.00pm Passion Liturgy, Veneration of the Cross, Holy Communion

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 before the Sunday Masses.

Our Recently Deceased

Nancy Heary, Windmill Ave
Ann Carroll, Wallace Rd

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, 20th April 2019

9:00pm J Green ; M McGowan

Sunday, 21st April 2019

9:30am Valerie Collins

11:00m Children's Mass

12:30m June Winders

7:00pm William Elliott

The Week Ahead…
Sunday 14th Apr - Saturday 20th Apr 2019

Sunday	Palm Sunday
Monday	Of the Day
Tuesday	Of the Day
Wednesday	Of the Day
Thursday	Holy Thursday
Friday	Good Friday
Saturday	Holy Saturday

HOLY WEEK

We encourage our parishioners and those who attend Mass in St. Agnes's regularly to join in the ceremonies to mark this most special week on the Church's calendar. We would like to highlight the family Stations of the Cross at 12 noon on Good Friday. Perhaps parents or even grandparents could encourage children to attend this ceremony.

Padre Pio Prayer Group (St Pio)

The next meeting will take place on Tuesday 16th April. Rosary 6.45pm Mass 7.00pm followed by Benediction & Blessing. **All Welcome.**

New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week.

Something 'holy' is something set apart for God's purposes. This Holy Week - the most sacred and solemn week of the liturgical year - allow yourself time apart, holy time, to focus on how you are spiritually renewed through the suffering, death, and resurrection of Jesus.. May it be a time to unclutter your mind, lay down your burdens, and renew your faith. New Pilgrim Path has some superb online resources to help you, at www.NewPilgrimPath.ie

Good Friday Ecumenical Walk and Taize Prayer around the Cross

On Good Friday evening, April 19 2019, Archbishop Diarmuid Martin and Archbishop Michael Jackson (Church of Ireland Archbishop of Dublin) shall once again lead a silent walk through Dublin's city streets carrying a cross from Christchurch Cathedral to St Mary's Pro-Cathedral. This begins with a moment of prayer in Christchurch at 7.15pm after which the two Archbishops will quietly lead us through the city centre as they carry the cross of the ecumenical monastic community of Taizé across the Liffey to St Mary's arriving around 8pm. Those who wish can stay in the Pro-Cathedral for a meditative Prayer around the Cross with the chants of Taizé which lasts approximately an hour. All are welcome.

Way of the Cross Procession: Most Reverend Diarmuid Martin, Archbishop of Dublin will led the Way of the Cross through the Phoenix Park on Good Friday 19th April 2019. The procession will proceed from Wellington Monument at 12.00pm to the Papal Cross in the Phoenix Park. For more information contact: info@clireland.com

Lenten Reflection in the Church of the Ascension of the Lord, Balally.

Psalms, Plain Song and Dánta Dé (Hymns of Ireland).

Join vocalist Kerrie O' Connor; harpist Mary Louise O' Donnell; and violinist Naomi O' Shea for this reflection on Sunday 14 April at 4pm. All welcome. Listen-Sing-Reflect

The Eir 2019-2020 Printed Phonebook Directory

will not be delivered to you unless you pre-order it. You have the right to request one for the geographical location of your home phone number between 1 April – 30 June 2019. Please call Freephone 1800 273246 / email: phonebook@eir.ie or write to: Eir Phonebook, PO Box 13044, Tallaght, Dublin 24. If requested in advance you can collect free of charge between 1 September and 31 October 2019 from your nearest Eir retail store or have it delivered (for pre-notified distribution charge) to your primary please of residence or business. Alternatives to the phonebook are electronic directories, which are available online. More details at www.comreg.ie/printed-phonebook-directory

Handel Highlights

Our Lady Choral Society presents a fabulous night of opera music to honour the 260th Anniversary of Handel's death on Sunday 14 April at 3.00pm in Merchants Quay Church. Admission is Free - (There will be a collection for the Merchants Quay Project and Focus Ireland). All welcome.

Family Stations of the Cross

The Family Stations of the Cross will take place on Good Friday at 12.00noon followed by a Cuppa and Hot Cross Buns in the Parish Centre. Please come along

ACCORD Dublin Catholic Marriage Care Service CLG - Recruiting Volunteers!

ACCORD Dublin Catholic Marriage Care Service CLG is currently recruiting volunteers as Marriage and Relationship Counsellors and Marriage Preparation Facilitators to prepare couples for the Sacrament of Marriage. If you know anyone in your parish community who you think would like to volunteer with Accord Dublin we would greatly appreciate you approaching them and asking them to contact us by 30th April 2019. Training will be provided for both roles through the Pontifical University in Maynooth.

- Potential Marriage Preparation Facilitators: Contact Frances Stephenson on 4784400.
- For information on Counselling Roles: Please contact Emma Keane on 4784400.

Very many thanks for your help.

Emma Keane Director of Counselling; *Frances Stephenson*, Director of Marriage Education

For further information please phone: 4784400