GOSPEL WORDSEARCH

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LAZARUS
BETHANY
SISTERS
MARTHA
MARY
OINTMENT
FEET
BROTHER
JUDAEA
TOMB
STONE
PRAYER

Coronavirus COVID-19

Coronavirus COVID-19 Public Health Advice

If you have fever and/or cough you should stay at home regardless of your travel or contact history.

If you have returned from an area that is subject to travel restrictions due to COVID-19 you should restrict your movement for 14 days. Check the list of affected areas on **www.dfa.ie**

All People Are Advised To:

- **Reduce** social interactions
- **Keep a distance** of 2m between you and other people
- **Do not** shake hands or make close contact where possible

If you have symptoms visit **hse.ie** OR phone HSE Live **1850 24 1850**

Symptoms

- Fever (High Temperature)
- A Cough
- Shortness of Breath
- Breathing Difficulties

How to Prevent

Stop shaking hands or hugging when saying hello or greeting other people

Distance yourself at least 2 metres (6 feet) away from other people, especially those who might be unwell

Wash your hands well and often to avoid contamination

Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or sleeve when coughing or sneezing and discard used tissue

Avoid touching eyes, nose, or mouth with unwashed hands

Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces

For Daily Updates Visit
www.gov.ie/health-covid-19
www.hse.ie

Ireland is operating a delay strategy in line with **WHO** and **ECDC** advice

Rialtas na hÉireann Government of Ireland

St Agnes Parish Weekly Newsletter

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Find us on Facebook

29th March 2020, 5th Sunday of Lent

Priests of the Parish

Fr Tony O'Shaughnessy	561 1500
Fr Tom Clowe SDB:	455 5605
Fr John Deasy:	455 0955

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 - 11.00am and 6.30pm - 6.50pm
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.

Trócaire Boxes

are available at all church exits
Please take one home and save over the Lenten Period for a worthy cause.

Thought for the Week

"Be the change that you wish to see in the world" Mahatma Ghandi

REFLECTION

We are all living through surreal times. It is like a dream. Will we waken up to a new day without this virus? A cloud is hanging over us. We feel it. We experience it in words we hear every second of the day. We are afraid. But let us not lose our hope that this moment will come to pass. And it will. We are all asked to follow directives which hopefully will help our country to overcome this virus. We each have a responsibility to act together for the good, health and well- being of one another, of our society and world. Life is different now. It is changed. Forever, maybe! Since the beginning of enacting all directives I want to thank parishioners for their understanding and co-operation. It is difficult to have to cancel our masses and liturgical gatherings, to halt life as usual. Yet, we must do this for the common good. Since the Taoiseach's speech on Tuesday, our Church will not be open during the day as it had been. We must do what is best for all of us. It is a difficult time for families who are bereaved not to be surrounded by their relatives, friends, neighbours and community. It is difficult for the sick and housebound. It is difficult for the lonely. It is difficult for all who loved attending Daily Mass and gathering in the Centre for a cup of tea and a chat every morning. It is difficult for priests everywhere as we feel somewhat helpless but we too must follow all directives. The ***EUCHARIST*** is the centre of our gathering as God's people and not to be able at this time to offer the nourishment of God's life in Jesus is very regretful. However, we can be with each other in our times of prayer, alone or with family or with a friend or neighbour. Pray the Rosary. Read the Scripture. Search out websites with prayer resources. At this time be assured of the prayers of the priests of the Parish. A vital part of our lives as St. Agnes's Community is cut off from us by the closing of the Church and Parish Centre. Let us at this time, respecting all the guidelines, be as caring and kind as we can be, ensuring that whatever we can do, we will do it for the good of one another. If any of the priests of the parish can be of assistance to parishioners, please do not hesitate to call us: *(Fr. Tony, Fr. Tom and Fr. John).* If any parishioner requires support and is unable to access it, please call on us if you wish. This parish is noted for its warmth of care, unity and hospitality, all underpinned by a deep faith, prayer and a desire to love God and one another, as Jesus asks of us. St. Agnes's is a caring community. If as a community, with our Parish Council and caring parishioners we can be of help to those in need at this time, we will respond with charity and compassion. Let us remember all the healthcare and medical frontline workers at this time: may they be strengthened. Let us remember all who are seriously ill and their carers: may they be comforted and supported. And may God bless all families and all our parishioners.

Fr. Tony: (01 561 1500).

MASS INTENTIONS

Weekend Mass Intentions

MONTHS MIND
Mary Detty Hyland
Gerard Launders

ANNIVERSARIES
Annie Heary 1st
Nancy Heary 1st
Annie Kavanagh 2nd
Jack Martin 4th
Peter Gibney 5th
Theresa Murray 6th
Bertie Dunne 9th
Patrick Daly 11th
Danny Collins 24th
Tommy & Michael Murray
Mary Collisson
Holy Souls in Purgatory

Weekday Mass Intentions

ANNIVERSARIES
Eva Coyle 6th also Husband Patsy & Daughters
Noeleen & Gladys
Ciaran Harborne 2nd
Mary O'Donoghue

All Mass intentions for the week will be prayed for at the Sunday Mass which will be behind closed doors and available on the webcam at 11.00am

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

David McGee, Clonard Road
Christopher Michael Lawlor, Moeran Road
Thomas Zambra, Windmill Park.
Ann Hudson, Balfe Avenue

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

May They Rest in Peace. Amen.

The Week Ahead…
Sunday 29th March - Saturday 4th April 2020

Sunday	5th Sunday of Lent
Monday	Of the Day
Tuesday	Of the Day
Wednesday	St Ceallach
Thursday	St Francis of Paola
Friday	Of the Day
Saturday	St Isidore

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Please join our growing faith family!

ALONE COVID-19 Helpline

ALONE has launched a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus) in Ireland. Professional staff will be available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary.

The support line will be open Monday to Friday, 8am -8pm, by calling 0818 222 024, and hours may be extended to meet the demand where necessary.

THE HUNGRY DUCK

We wanted to reach out to let you know that for the period of the lockdown we will be offering a **free delivery service** of our full menu for businesses and anyone self-isolating.

As a small local eatery, The Hungry Duck is open with social distancing measures in place, however for anyone who is not able to come out particularly older or infirm parishioners if you could let them know this is an option that would be greatly appreciated. Our telephone number is 01 4651944

Sunday Mass will be available online at 11.00am behind closed doors on www.crumlinparish.ie or www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-agnes-crumlin

St Agnes Parish Crumlin—COVID 19 UPDATE

Dear Parishioners of St Agnes, as Covid 19 is progressing it is unfortunate that we have to close our Church to protect our parishioners. We pray that with God's help and by helping one another we can get through this crisis together.

Archbishop Diarmuíd Martin has cancelled public Sunday and Weekday Masses in the Archdiocese of Dublin from Wednesday 25th March until further notice.

We cannot guarantee the safety for our parishioners due to candles and statues being touched by so many people and large numbers gathering, therefore for the health and safety of everyone we have to close today Wednesday 25th March 2020.

Mass will be streamed live ONLY on Sundays at 11 am

Those who have booked masses can rearrange them in the Parish Office or one of the priests will offer mass for that intention privately.

Please refer to a parish website **cumlinparish.ie** for further updates.

We entrust each of you to the loving care of God our father.

Thank you again for your understanding at this difficult time.

A REMINDER - SUMMERTIME

This weekend the clocks go forward by one hour. We have reached summertime. This will mean one hour less in bed on Saturday night!

PARISH OFFICE

The Parish Office and Parish Centre will be closed until further notice. If any parishioner is in need of help or support please phone 01 4555368 or 087 2774544

PRAYER AT THIS DIFFICULT TIME

Loving and healing God, we, the people of St. Agnes Parish turn to you in prayer, confident that you are with us and with all people in every moment.

We stand before you as people of hope, trusting in your care and protection. May your faithful love support and soothe the anxieties of our hearts at this time.

Generous God, fill us with compassion and concern for others, young and old, so that we may look after one another in these times. Bring healing to those who are sick with the virus and be with their families. May those who have died rest in your eternal embrace. Comfort their families and friends. Strengthen and protect all medical professionals caring for the sick and all who work in our health system.

Give wisdom to our leaders at this time that they may make the right decisions for the well-being of people.

O God of creation and life, we place ourselves in your protection. May the mantle of your peace, healing and constant love enfold us every moment of each day.
AMEN.

St. Agnes, Patroness of our Parish, pray for us.

St. Laurence O' Toole, Patron Saint of our Diocese, pray for us.

Sacred Heart of Jesus, we place all our trust in Thee. Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us.

God of merciful love, be with us

PRAYERS FOR THIS TIME OF TRIAL on the web

⇒ Log on to the ***Irish Catholic Bishop's Conference*** for prayers and reflective resources for your personal use.

⇒ Log on also the ***Kandle.ie,*** the website for Kildare and Leighlin which also has lots of material for prayer.

⇒ Have a look also at the ***Poor Clare Sisters, Galway*** where you'll find some beautiful prayers.

HELPING ONE ANOTHER

In these days of worry and uncertainty it is important that we remain caring towards one another and not lose our hope for an end to this pandemic. It is important that if we can do anything for those who are most vulnerable we should act with great care and kindness. If any parishioner is in need of support which we as a Parish Community can give, please do not hesitate to contact the Parish Office at 01-***4555368*** between ***9.30am – 4.45pm*** or any of the Priests of the Parish or members of the Parish Pastoral Council***. (John Greene, Gerry Cully, Antoinette Doyle, John Graham, Fr. Tony, Fr. Tom).*** Whatever we can do as St. Agnes's Parish Community we will do it together in the strength of God's love.

RTE is broadcasting DAILY MASS each day at 10.30am on the RTE News Now channel.