



Newsletter

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Parishes of St Andrew, Holy Family & St Mark*

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Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord – 20th March 2016

This Sunday, called Palm or Passion Sunday, is the first day of Holy Week. Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday are called the Triduum, three days that are the highlight of the Church year. There are two Gospels proclaimed at today's Mass. The first Gospel, proclaimed before the procession with palms, tells of Jesus' triumphant entrance into Jerusalem. Riding on a borrowed colt, Jesus was hailed by the crowds as they shouted blessings and praise to God. Luke's Gospel is the only one to report the exchange between Jesus and the Pharisees as Jesus enters Jerusalem. Jesus' response shows that this event, and those yet to come, are part of a divine plan. In today's second Gospel, the events of Jesus' passion are proclaimed in their entirety. Throughout Luke's Gospel we see that Jesus' words and actions proclaim the Kingdom of God. Jesus appears to be in total command of events at the Passover meal as he hands over the kingdom to his disciples. He welcomes them to the Passover meal announcing that this will be his last until the Kingdom of God is fulfilled. As throughout Luke's Gospel, however, the disciples show little understanding of this kingdom that Jesus often announces. Following the meal, the disciples argue about who is the greatest. Jesus takes the opportunity to distinguish the meaning of leadership in the Kingdom of God from the forms of leadership seen in the world. Jesus initiates a conversation with Simon and predicts his denial. Jesus then instructs his disciples to prepare themselves for the events that will follow. His words reveal an awareness of the challenges that all of them will face in the days ahead. As the disciples and Jesus enter the Mount of Olives, Jesus indicates the importance of the disciples' time in prayer, telling them that through prayer they will be able to face the challenges ahead. Throughout Holy Week, we will continue to reflect on the events of Jesus' passion and death. As we meditate on the cross, we ask again and anew what it means to make the statement of faith that Jesus, in his obedient suffering and dying, revealed himself to us as God's Son and brought to fulfilment the Kingdom of God.

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Parish Prayers

“Almighty and merciful God, you made St John Vianney glorious by his pastoral zeal and constant prayer and penance. Through his intercession may your holy spirit lead us and guide us as we endeavour to follow Your Son Jesus, wherever He leads. Bless our young people. Bless our sick and housebound. Bless our families and friends. Bless those most in need at this time. Unite us all in your love. May St John Vianney help us to hear the voice of Your Son Jesus when he says to us: “Be calm, do not be afraid, it is I”. St John Vianney, pray for us.” We are asked to pray for all those who have died especially Jeffrey Eves and Denise Joan Arrowsmith. We also remember to pray for their families.

Parish Finance

Gift Aid and Envelopes	£ 468.50
Other Envelopes	£ 137.60
Loose GASDS	£ 391.59
TOTAL OFFERTORY	£ 997.69
Standing Orders	£ 251.00
Bonus Ball 1	£ 79.00
Parish Building Fund	£ 122.21

Second Collection

This week's collection is for Easter flowers. On Good Friday there will be a collection for the Holy Places. Our second collection next weekend will be a Personal Gift for the Priest.

Requiem Mass

There will be a Requiem Mass THIS Wednesday 23rd March 2016 at 9.30 am in Holy Family church followed by Cremation at Springwood for the late Denise Joan Arrowsmith.

Funeral Service

There will be a Funeral Service THIS Monday 21st March 2016, at Holy Family church at 1.30 pm followed by Cremation at Springwood for the late Jeffrey Eves.

May they rest in peace.

Volunteer Pastoral Assistants:

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NOTICE:

The next Baptism Registration Meeting is Monday 4th April 2016 at 6.00pm in St Mark's Annex.

With You Always coordinator



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NOTICE:

Please could parents of children in year 3 be reminded that their child needs to be Baptised before registering for next year's W.Y.A programme.

Food Bank

We are collecting THIS weekend. Items may also be left at our three primary schools or at the Parish office.

Offertory Envelopes

Please collect your envelopes after Mass.

Pastoral Area Prayer



"Father, you never cease to call us into deeper relationship with you; always inviting, you desire that our hearts and minds may know the gift of your love and forgiveness. Through the intercession of St Therese, may we deepen our conviction to grow through the Gospel, in faith, hope and love – that you may be free in us to deepen our unity through the lives of service we offer to you throughout our Pastoral Area. St Therese of Lisieux: Pray for us.

Gift Aid and Standing Orders

If you are a tax payer and you have not signed up for the Gift Aid scheme will you please think about it. All you have to do is sign once and use envelopes or standing orders to make your donation to the parish. It means we can claim 25p back for every pound you give. Thank you. You can collect a form today from the back of church.

Statues

It is tradition to cover the statues in church from this weekend – until Easter. The saints cannot bear to look at what is happening to Jesus!

Thank You!

Thank you to my friends for their Masses and prayers.
God bless you all.

*Love and best wishes,
Sally Moore*

Seven Last Words of Jesus

A reflection on the Seven Last Words of Jesus will be held THIS Monday 21st March at 7.00 pm in Holy Family church. All are welcome.

Parish Reconciliation Service

At 7.00 pm on Tuesday 22nd March, in St Mark's church, there will be a final opportunity to prepare well for the Triduum with a parish Service of Reconciliation.

Three Schools Mass and Buffet

This will be held THIS Monday 21st March 2016, at 4.00 pm in Holy Family school.

Parents Service of Reconciliation

Every year, on the Tuesday before Christmas and Easter, we have a Parish Service of Reconciliation.

These are at 7.00 pm in the evening, which proves to be a difficult time for those of you with children. This year our Parish Ladies group, who organise these Services will "double up", to give you an opportunity to attend. So, this year there will be an extra Service at Holy Family church at 9.30 am on Tuesday 22nd March. Tea/coffee will be available from 9.00 am. The Service will last no longer than 40 minutes and General Absolution will be given if there is anything at all from your past that you feel you need forgiveness for, this is the opportunity to receive it and to make a fresh start with God and yourself.

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"Holy God whose presence is known in the structures we build and in their reshaping; establish in us a community of hope, not to contain your mystery, but to be led beyond safe harbours into new and sacred waters, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen!"

Ladies Group

Reminder of 2 Reconciliation services THIS Tuesday 22nd March. Tuesday morning at Holy Family if we could meet from 9.00 am onwards to set up for 9.30 am and Tuesday evening if we could meet at St Mark's from 6.30 pm onwards to do the same. Thanks.

Sick and Housebound Parishioners

Father Vin is continuing with his visits to all our sick and housebound, but won't be able to get to all of them before Easter. However, do keep in mind that you have until Pentecost Sunday to complete your Easter Duties. He will fit some more in the week and then continue from Easter Tuesday onwards.

Eucharistic Ministers and Readers

If you were unable to attend the meeting on Friday, please fill in the contact form at the back of church, so that we can update our records.

Due to computing problems last week, the booklets were unable to be published. These will now be ready for next week.

Vianney's Voice

The next meeting for our parish youth group, Vianney's Voice, will be held THIS Friday 25th March at 7.30 pm in Holy Family church.

Holy Saturday Ecumenical Walk of Witness

Everyone is invited to join the walk which starts at the Plaza of the Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King at 2.00 pm on Holy Saturday 26th March 2016. A Liverpool tradition is being revived on Holy Saturday as Bishop Paul Bayes and Archbishop Malcolm McMahon lead a walk of witness through the City Centre. The event is being organised by the City Centre Mission and Ministry Group with the aim of bringing the Easter message to visitors and shoppers over the Easter weekend. Starting from the Metropolitan Cathedral, the walk will wind its way through the city before finishing at Liverpool Parish Church. Along the route the walk will pause as prayers are said recalling Christ's passion. Archbishop Malcolm said, 'Our journey through the city will reflect both the road to Calvary and our longing for the joy of the resurrection. It will be an opportunity for all who journey with us to reflect on the Easter message.' Bishop Paul said 'Holy Saturday is an important time of reflection and a great day to bear witness to our faith ahead of the resurrection. I encourage as many fellow Christians as possible to join us on this walk.'

Newsletter by Email

If you would like a copy of the newsletter by email, please email the parish office and a copy will be sent on a Friday.

From the Pope's Desk



No one can be excluded from the mercy of God. The Church is the house where everyone is welcomed and no one is rejected.

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Greenery for Easter Gardens

If anyone has any greenery plants etc that they can donate for the garden for Holy Thursday night and Easter Sunday, please can they be left at the back of both Churches before THIS Thursday 24th March. Many thanks.



Jubilee Prayer of Mercy

2016 – Liverpool

yearofmercyLiverpool.org.uk

HOLY WEEK MASSES AND SERVICES

Catechumens

Lent is a very special time of preparation for those preparing to be received into the Church at the Easter Vigil. Please pray for Meghan Arnell, Lindsey Daniels and Yvonne Stratulis from our parish. They will be received into the Church at the Easter Vigil next Saturday evening. Many thanks also to all those who have accompanied them and helped.

Thanksgiving Mass and Celebration

A Thanksgiving Mass for the candidates from both last year and this year, is to be held on Wednesday 30th March at 7pm in St. Mark's church. This is open to all parishioners and will be followed by a buffet in St Mark's Parish Club.

Chrism Mass

On Wednesday 23rd March at 7.30 pm in the Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King, Mount Pleasant, Liverpool, L3 5TQ, Archbishop Malcolm will celebrate the Mass of Chrism where many clergy, religious and lay people as possible will participate. This is the Mass where the oils used throughout the year in our churches are blessed. The priests of the archdiocese also renew their vows. All are very welcome, especially those being baptised, received and confirmed into the Catholic family at Easter.



SACRED TRIDUUM

Mass of the Lord's Supper

There will be no morning Mass on Thursday 24th March until 7.30 pm in St Mark's church: Mass of the Lord's Supper and the Washing of the Feet. Following this the Church then goes into a period of quiet, reflective mourning. The church is stripped. This is followed by a time of quiet prayer before the Altar of Repose, recalling Jesus' time in the Garden of Gethsemane until 10.00 pm when there is Night Prayer.

Good Friday

A day of Fasting and Abstinence for adults under retirement age. The money saved to be given to the poor. On Friday 25th March, at 12 noon, there will be an Ecumenical service held in the Garden at Hunts Cross (weather permitting) or inside St Hilda's. At 3.00 pm there will be a Service commemorating the Lord's Passion and Death. Father Vin will celebrate the liturgy in St Mark's and Father Pat O'Brien will celebrate the liturgy in Holy Family. The Vianney's Voice Group will lead a meditation "Watching at the Tomb", 7.00pm at Holy Family church.

Children's Liturgy

There will be a children's liturgy service on Good Friday at 3.00 pm in St Mark's Club. Parents and carers can drop their child/children off at St Mark's Club and pick them up after the main service in church. Thank you.

Holy Saturday, Easter Vigil

The church remains quiet and reflective on this day. There will be no celebration of the sacraments until the Easter Vigil at 9.00 pm in Holy Family church. This is the celebration which gives meaning to all our celebrations throughout the year.

Easter Day

Our weekend Masses will be at 9.15 am in St Mark's and 11.00 am in Holy Family churches.

Easter Monday

Mass will be at mid-day and will be held in St Mark's church.

Year of Mercy

Each of our pastoral area parishes will be doing a monthly service. The first one will be at Christ the King, Queens Drive, Wavertree, Liverpool on Sunday 3rd April, Divine Mercy Sunday at 3.00 pm

Reflection on the Faces of Mercy

There is a final session of the Faces of Mercy Reflections that we have been following on Friday mornings. There won't be a session on Good Friday, but on Easter Friday after 10.00 am Mass. All are welcome.

Baptism Annual Thanksgiving Service

The Ladies group are planning a short Baptism Thanksgiving Service for the young families who received the sacrament of baptism during the last 12 months. This is where we will re-visit that special occasion and where your child will receive a special blessing. This will be held on Sunday 17th April, 3.00 pm, at Holy Family church. This will last no longer than thirty minutes. After the Service there will be light refreshments and the Parish Ladies Group will give you information about our Parish Schools and information about some of the things that are available in our parish for you and your family. I hope you will be able to join us when the parish community will once again welcome your child into our family and assure you of their support for yourself and your family. Letters of invitation will be sent to the families over the coming weeks.

MINUTES OF PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

St John Vianney, Halewood

Tuesday 15th March 2016

Present: Ron Smith (Chair), Fr. Vin, Jan Cunningham (Headteachers), Jenny Jones, Jim Harrison, Jon Lester (invited), Geraldine Marsh, Jim Moore, Chris Myles, Rachel O'Neill, Lisa Parry. Sooty.

Apologies: Agnes Cannon, Carole Clancy, Peter Crompton, Kami Lester.

The meeting commenced at 6pm with prayer led by Fr Vin.

Minutes of Previous Meeting: accepted as true record

Matters arising: The potential for follow up to the *Laudato Si'* workshop was explored.

Notification of Any Other Business: parish contacts.

Correspondence: None.

Vianney's Voice: The quiz night raised £500. It is proposed to organise a Fashion Night in future for fund-raising. Five members of Vianney's Voice will be able to travel to Lourdes this year. It was agreed that the Good Friday 'Watching at the Tomb' meditation will take place at 7pm.

With You Always: 6 out of 7 Family Sessions have been completed and attendance is good. First Reconciliation for children who were unable to attend the service in December will be held on Wednesday 23rd March at 3:30pm in St. Mark's school. The Confirmation and Communion Mass will be held on Saturday 21st May at 10am, St. Ambrose church.

Tots: one group meets every Friday and continues to do very well.

Schools: The three Heads and Fr Vin had met recently. Class masses have continued. St. Andrew's recently had an Ofsted inspection and scored 'good' overall. The Council praised this achievement. Fr Vin will be having Q&A sessions with the Yr4 children before Holy Week.

Year of Mercy: a small number of parishioners attended the Pastoral Area pilgrimage to the Metropolitan Cathedral of Chris the King. They agreed it was spiritually rewarding and uplifting. Every parish in the Pastoral Area will focus on a theme each month to mark the Year of Mercy. There will be a Pastoral Area Mass for the Sick and Housebound at St. John Vianney's in July.

Easter liturgies: Fr Vin will celebrate the Mass of the Last Supper on Maundy Thursday and the Good Friday liturgy at St. Mark's church. Fr Pat will celebrate the Good Friday liturgy at Holy Family church. An Ecumenical service will be held in the Garden at Hunts Cross on Good Friday (weather permitting). 12.00noon (or inside St Hilda's). The Vianney's Voice Group will lead a meditation "Watching at the Tomb", 7.00pm at Holy Family church. The Easter Vigil is at 9.00pm at Holy Family. Masses on Easter Sunday will be as usual.

Church Development Update: Jon Lester, Ron Smith and Fr Vin have met with the architects to review the status of both churches and to explore the potential for re-ordering. St Mark's Church was opened on 6th July 1972, by Bishop Harris. The Altar had been consecrated two days earlier. Holy Family Church was consecrated on Thursday 8th March 1973 by Archbishop George Andrew Beck. Both churches are over 45 years old. Various options were discussed for both churches, but no decision can be made until the architects report back. It is highly likely that re-ordering works at Holy Family will require the church to be closed for up to 6 months. Fr. Vin has spoken to the headteachers re the possibility of holding Masses in school and they have agreed this, in principle. There is another meeting with architect this coming Friday 3.00pm.

Baptism: preparation is going well. Feedback from participants is very positive. It was agreed to look at new resources.

RCIA: currently there are three candidates for admission to the church. Training is going well and the candidates will be received at Easter. A Thanksgiving Mass for the candidates is to be held on Wednesday 30th March at 7pm in St. Mark's church. This is open to all parishioners and will be followed by a buffet.

Health & Safety Committee: the Committee has now received the Health and Safety policy manual from the Archdiocese. It was agreed that the Committee will review the various sections of the manual and report back to the Parish Council

Safeguarding: Two new modules on Safeguarding are to be held in April. Chris Myles will be attending both. She will also obtain copies of 'Keeping Children Safe' for Council members. All the new Eucharistic Ministers have gone through the DBS process. Fr Vin is the first to be going through the new online DBS process.

Ladies' Group: met on 2nd March to discuss the Lenten Reconciliation service. Everything is now in place for this. The group is also exploring possibilities for future social outings. Fr Vin attended the meeting to explore how the group can contribute to the parish celebration of the Year of Mercy. They have been asked to consider increasing spiritual/social activity in the parish. They will be holding a Barn Dance in St Mark's Club after Easter. The group is going to raise funds to erect Calvary statuary, on the Holy Family site, as a memorial of St. Andrew's parish.

Any Other Business: draft parish contact information for use on a need to know basis was provided for review. Signage style was discussed for completion when the church re-ordering is complete. The placement of flowers at Holy Family church was discussed.

The meeting closed at 8:00pm.

Date of next meeting: Tuesday 24th May 2016 at 6pm, St. Mark's Annexe. This will be followed by the next meeting on July 19th, the Council will have a social gathering afterwards.

Safeguarding Department Training Event

The next Safeguarding Training Event will take place at LACE, Croxteth Drive, Sefton Park, Liverpool, L17 1AA on Monday 25th April 2016, beginning at 10.00 am and finishing at 2.30 pm.

Creating a Safe Environment Policy and Practice, is Module 3 of the Catholic Safeguarding Advisory Service (CSAS) National Training Program and is open to all who volunteer within the Parish.

Those attending this training will on completion be able to:

- Identify risk and protect factors
- Identify safeguarding policies and procedures that help promote a safe environment;
- Identify relationships/behaviours that help to promote a safe environment;
- Identify who is available to support them in their safeguarding tasks;

Those wishing to book a place for this event can do so by contacting the Safeguarding Department via telephone on 0151 522 1043 or by emailing safeguarding@rcaol.co.uk

The cut off for all applications to this training is Monday 4th April 2016.

Responding to the Call

Vocation Discernment Group

To support those exploring Vocations to the Priesthood in our diocese, a monthly day of recollection has been organised for the first Saturday of each month. These days will help men who feel called to ordained ministry to discover more about diocesan priesthood and meet others discerning a call to priesthood. There will be an opportunity to talk with and hear from priests who minister in the diocese, and also a time for prayer and discussion. The next day of recollection will take place on **Saturday 2 April** at St. Charles' Presbytery, 224 Aigburth Road, Liverpool. For further information, please contact Fr James Preston, Vocations Director for the Archdiocese of Liverpool, at frjamespreston@gmail.com or telephone: 0151 727 2493. Regular updates will be posted on our Facebook page: Archdiocese of Liverpool Vocations

Songs of Praise at Liverpool Cathedral

Television Camera Recording for Songs of Praise, Saturday 14th May
4.30 pm – 7.30 pm, Liverpool Cathedral, St James' Mount, Liverpool, L1 7AZ

Admission is by free ticket. Application forms and where to send them back to are at the back of each church and the closing date is Tuesday 26th April 2016.

St Mark's and Holy Family Repository's

Both St Mark's and Holy Family now have in stock cards and gifts for First Holy Communion and Easter.

Becoming a Dementia Friendly Parish

Do you know anyone who lives with dementia or cares for someone who does? Would you like to know more about what dementia is and how we can help people to live well with dementia? As part of the Archdiocese's action plan to build dementia friendly communities, we will have our first Dementia Friends information session [after the 10,00a.m. Mass on Monday 11th April](#). It is particularly important for our Eucharistic Ministers to attend but **EVERYONE IS WELCOME**.

It only takes an hour and you will come away informed and inspired.

Reflection

Pope Pius XI gave the name 'subsidiarity' to the principle that a higher authority should not interfere with the powers of a lower authority. The European Union adopted the principle of subsidiarity as it enables individual states to retain their sovereignty while belonging to Europe. We are going to hear much about Europe in the next few months and the relationship of our country to the European Union, and the principle of subsidiarity will be much quoted. One thing I am sure of is that we will only hear the negative meaning; we don't hear much about the principle's positive aspect. The word subsidiarity is derived from the Latin word 'subsidium' that we translate as 'help'. The positive meaning of the principle is that the higher authority has a duty to support other smaller and weaker bodies and organisations even though they have a right to govern themselves. During this month when we remember Christ's passion, death and resurrection we can reflect on the way in which God our Father has freely offered us the Divine Help while also enabling every person to retain their individuality and free will. We should give thanks to God for the freedom of mind and body that we enjoy, and pray for the grace to make generous, balanced and wise choices.

Most Rev Malcolm McMahon OP
Archbishop of Liverpool

Marriage

Any couple wishing to celebrate the sacrament of marriage needs to contact the Parish Office as soon as possible. The Parish website now has a new section on marriage, giving couples all the information they need.

School's Prayer

St John Vianney give us strength so we'll do our best. Help us, guide us and look after us in work, fun and rest. Make us patient, kind and loving and always willing to try. And let us see for ourselves that we are unique in God's eyes.

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Headteacher: Sr Brigid Halligan.

St Mark's Club

Manager: Mrs Emma Harvey
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Opening times are: Monday-Friday from 2.00pm Saturday & Sunday from 12 noon. There is regular entertainment on Sunday evenings. Bingo on Tuesdays & Thursdays. Please note that the Club has a large function room available for hire for Baptisms, Weddings and all other family occasions for only **£55.00** (Plus returnable security fee). We do not make a charge for Funeral Receptions. ***It is vital for the future of the Club and for the support of the work of the parish, that parishioners make use of this facility, especially for family functions.***

St Mark's Parish Club Events

On Sunday 6th March 2016 in St Mark's Parish Club there will be a fantastic vocalist 'Mark Shaw' at 5.00 pm followed by Karaoke at 7.00 pm and popular vocal entertainer 'Alan Jay' on stage at 9.30pm. Free entrance.

Charity Concert for Macmillan Nurses

On Saturday 23rd April 2016, at 7.30 pm in St Mark's Parish Club there will be a charity concert raising money for Macmillan Nurses. There will be various artists including a raffle. Tickets are £5 and can be purchased from the Club.

The Club will be closed Good Friday.

Question of the Week

Adult: When have you felt that you betrayed the confidence of another, as Peter did when he denied Jesus? **Child:** When have you let someone down who trusted you? How did you feel?

Palm Sunday Sunday 20th March 2016

Date – 2016	Holy Family Church	St. Mark's Church
Saturday 19th March <i>First Mass</i>	5.00 pm - Confessions 5.15 pm - Mass [Deceased members of the McGrath Family]	
Sunday 20th March <i>Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord</i>	11.00 am - Mass [Parishioners]	9.15 am – Mass [Father Colbert <i>RIP</i> Anniversary + Victoria Jones <i>5th birthday</i>]
Monday 21st March <i>Monday In Holy Week</i>	4.00 pm – 3 Schools Mass [Sadie & Jimmy Devine] 1.30 pm – Funeral Service – Jeffrey Eves 7.00 pm – Seven Last Words of Jesus Reflection	10.00 am – Mass [Bill Tobin <i>Lately Dead</i>]
Tuesday 22nd March <i>Tuesday In Holy Week</i>	9.30 am – Parents Service of Reconciliation 10.15 am – Mass [Joan Jones <i>Birthday Remembrance</i> + Mary Millar <i>Birthday Remembrance</i>]	7.00 pm – Parish Reconciliation Service
Wednesday 23rd March <i>Wednesday In Holy Week</i>	9.30 am – Requiem Mass – Denise Joan Arrowsmith	7.00 pm – Chrism Mass @ Metropolitan Cathedral
THE SACRED TRIDUUM Thursday 24th March <i>Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper</i>	7.30 pm – Mass 10.00 pm – Night Prayer	
Friday 25th March <i>Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord</i>	3.00 pm – Good Friday Liturgy 7.00 pm – Watching at the Tomb	12 Noon – Ecumenical service @ Garden, in Hunts Cross (Opp. Hunts Cross station) 3.00 pm – Good Friday Liturgy
Saturday 26th March <i>Holy Saturday, Easter Vigil</i>	5.15 pm – NO VIGIL MASS 9.00 pm – Easter Vigil [Catechumens + Parishioners]	
Sunday 27th March <i>Easter Day</i>	11.00 am – Mass [Mary Lamb <i>Birthday remembrance</i> + Kerry O'Neill <i>RIP Anniversary</i>]	9.15 am – Mass [John Magill <i>Sick</i>]

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Easter Sunday - Made new by Christ

Reading I	Acts 10:34, 37–43	(Peter's discourse)
Reading II	Colossians 3:1–4	(mystical death and resurrection)
Gospel	John 20:1–9	(Peter and the disciple at the tomb)