



PARISH OF SACRED HEART AND HOLY SOULS

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THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD - EASTER SUNDAY

SATURDAY 3RD HOLY SATURDAY	8.00pm	Paschal Vigil	People of the Parish
SUNDAY 4TH EASTER SUNDAY	8.30am 10.00am 12 noon	Holy Mass Holy Mass Holy Mass	Anthony & Marie Keegan Sandra Phelan & the Holy Souls Pat Ryan
MONDAY 5TH EASTER MONDAY	11.00am	Holy Mass	Annie Mortimer Peter Fagan
TUESDAY 6TH EASTER TUESDAY	11.00am	Holy Mass	Sarah Collins Eileen Bloomer
WEDNESDAY 7TH EASTER WEDNESDAY	10.00am	Holy Mass	Annie Woodhouse
THURSDAY 8TH EASTER THURSDAY	10.00am	Holy Mass	For the intentions of the Parishioners
FRIDAY 9TH EASTER FRIDAY	10.00am 7.00pm	Holy Mass Mass in EF	Mary Teresa Carroll Joe Smythe
SATURDAY 10TH EASTER SATURDAY	10.00am	Holy Mass	John Murphy & Dorothy & Catherine & Sheila Murphy No adoration or confessions today

THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER - DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

SATURDAY 10TH	5.00pm	Vigil Mass	Bridie O'Connor
SUNDAY 11TH THE OCTAVE OF EASTER DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY	8.30am 10.00am 12noon 3.00pm	Holy Mass Holy Mass Holy Mass Divine Mercy Devotions	Kenneth Wells Richardson & Rebecca Lines Wells Richardson Padraigh McGuire Michael Mullins

PUBLIC MASSES CONTINUE TO BE CELEBRATED IN OUR CHURCH
YOU CAN ALSO ACCESS OUR MASSES VIA OUR LIVESTREAM ON YOUTUBE

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCakn3udjV3T1bcYqQCEWxcA>

Christ is Risen!

Today we rejoice in the splendour of Christ's resurrection from the dead and the glorious new life that he has won for us. May the peace and joy of our Risen Lord be in our lives this day and throughout the Easter Season. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of our parishioners, their families and friends at this time.

Happy Easter!

Fr Jonathan & Fr Alex

Thank you - We owe a massive thank you to our stewards and cleaners who have done so much to make sure that we were able to celebrate all the Masses and ceremonies of Holy Week. It meant that many people were able to come and join in the different celebrations safely. Our thanks also extended for everything they have been doing since last June when we were able to open the church again.

Easter Garden - As you can see we have a beautiful Easter Garden established by the Baptistry. Thank you for the donations of spring plants which will keep it colourful throughout the Easter Season. Thanks to Alison and Beth for responding to the challenge to design and make the Easter Garden alongside their deep cleaning of the church and brass polishing! Many thanks to everybody who donated plants.

Easter Offerings - The collection at the Paschal Vigil and on Easter Sunday is the traditional gift to the parish clergy. Easter offering envelopes can be found in the porch as you leave today.

Easter Flowers - We have beautiful fresh flowers in the church for the first time in a long time. Thanks to Linda for arranging these and the lovely palms last weekend. Please God, it won't be long before our flower arrangers can come back and share their flower arranging as part of our worship of God.

Easter Booking Arrangements - Thank you for the way in which you assisted us with making bookings for coming to the Masses and ceremonies of the Easter Triduum. Special word of thanks to Fr Alex for masterminding all of this. After Easter Sunday there is no need to book to come to Mass. If you could kindly get that message out to everyone. Some people think they need to book every week and others still think the church is closed for Mass!

Parish Admin & Finance Matters

Parish Web-site - Please keep an eye on updates and new resources on our website. www.holysoulschurch.co.uk Don't forget to follow us on Facebook and Twitter.

New Offertory Envelopes - We hope to have these available next weekend and will have them ready outside of the church. If you haven't had offertory envelopes before and would like some, please phone or e-mail the parish and we will allocate a box of envelopes for you.

Gift Aid - At this time of year we appeal to all those who pay tax to consider gift aiding your offerings. This is at not extra expense to yourselves. It requires the completion of a simple form available on our website. If you need more information please contact the parish by phone or e-mail. Thanks for your support.

Direct Debit - Thanks also for all who are contributing to the parish by direct debit. again this can be arranged by completing a simple form on our website or contacting the parish by phone or e-mail for more information. Thanks so much for your help.

Finance - A huge thank you for supporting the parish financially at this time. We know this is a challenging time for all but are very grateful to many of you who have made up contributions over the last weeks and months, Our parish finances have taken a significant hit this past year. With large financial outlay in the months ahead, we are grateful for your continued support. Thank you again.

The Parish Tote -The winning numbers this week were **9, 10, 18, 19 - No Jackpot winner**. 2 people had 3 numbers. Margaret Carr and Mark Booth and receives £90 each.. The **Jackpot next week is £2,000 and will be drawn on Thursday 8th April. Please ensure you are up to date with your payments as you have got to be in it to win it**. Please deposit your completed Tote envelope in the designated collection box which is located on departure from the church or alternatively can be posted through the Presbytery letterbox up to **12 noon on the day of the draw**. Please let us know if you have any difficulties dropping off your card or payments.

Baptisms - We are now making tentative arrangements for Baptisms in the hope that restrictions will change in the months ahead. Please contact one of the priests if you need to arrange your child's Baptism.

Sacramental Preparation for Children in non-Catholic Schools - As soon as we are legally able to gather together we will recommence preparation for the children. We look forward to them receiving the Sacraments in the months ahead.

Divine Mercy Sunday - Next Sunday is the Feast of the Divine Mercy. There will be devotions at 3pm in the church with the 3pm prayer, the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, the Litany of Divine Mercy, adoration and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. There will also be the opportunity for confessions.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Recently Deceased: Maureen Lambert

Anniversaries of Death: Nicholas Day, Joseph Stanley, Norah Meyers, Joan Murphy, Robert Wilson, John Toner, Mary Carroll, Pat Ryan, Celia Clarke, Winifred Archer, William Hogan, Elizabeth Kennedy, Philomena Lyddy, Jack Cox, Catherine Meredith, Kevin Glover, Doris Last and Joan Aston, Margaret Mumford, Patricia Scott, Thomas Bird, Francis Taylor, Kevin Murray, Thomas Wilson, Margaret Cardon, Anthony Hanrahan, John Hogan, Mary Wadsworth, Luigi Sassano, Kevin Barry, Peter McMahon.

Sick & Housebound: Myra Hill, Christopher Zajac, John Stenson, Josephine Jones, Dorothy & David Cross, Ann Carolan, Ann Wilson, Tom Foley, Maisie Meehan, Peter Fagan, Steven Somerville, Mary Doherty, Maureen & Bernard Fox, Maureen Cody, Eileen Bloomer, Maureen Evans and all those suffering from the Covid-19 Virus.