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**THIRD & FOURTH WEEKS OF EASTER 3<sup>RD</sup> - 18<sup>TH</sup> MAY YEAR C**

Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Third Sunday of Easter	6:00pm	Vigil Mass	Our Bishops & Leaders
		8:30am	Mass	The Parish
Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup>		10:30am	Mass	David Watson RIP
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup>		6:00pm	Evening Prayer	
		6:15pm	Adoration	
		7:30pm	Mass	The Conclave
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup>		7:30am	Church open for prayer	
		12:00noon	Mass	Openness to the Holy Spirit
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup>		7:30am	Church open for prayer	
		10:10am	Morning Prayer	
		10:30am	Mass	Deacon John Higgins RIP
Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Fourth Sunday of Easter	6:00pm	Vigil Mass	Children preparing for 1 <sup>st</sup> Holy Communion
Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup>		8:30am	Mass	Vocations
		10:30am	Mass	The Parish
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup>	St Matthias	6:00pm	Evening Prayer	
		6:15pm	Adoration	
		7:30pm	Mass	Fr. David Annear
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup>		7:30am	Church open for prayer	
		12:00noon	Mass	Chalisse James
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup>		7:30am	Church open for prayer	
		10:10am	Morning Prayer	
		10:30am	Mass	The leadership of the Church
Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Fifth Sunday of Easter	6:00pm	Vigil Mass	Paul Hyland RIP
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup>		8:30am	Mass	The Parish
		10:30am	Mass	Retired & Sick Clergy

**POPE FRANCIS RIP**

Thank you to all those who attended our special Mass last week. It was a truly poignant and beautiful celebration. I expect many of you will have watched the funeral on television, and what a powerful and evocative send off it was! May he indeed be received into the House of the Father.

**THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER 3<sup>RD</sup>/4<sup>TH</sup> MAY**

**Entrance Hymn** No: 471 Jubilate everybody  
**Psalm Response** I will extol you Lord for you have raised me up  
**Offertory Hymn** No: 694 vv1-4 All creatures of our God and King  
**Communion Hymn:** No: 627 This is my body  
**Procession** No: 365 Immaculate Mary  
**At the Statue** No: 368 Regina Coeli

## FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 10<sup>TH</sup>/ 11<sup>TH</sup> MAY

<b>Entrance Hymn</b>	<b>No: 407</b>	Baptised in water
<b>Psalm Response</b>	<b>We are his people the sheep of his flock</b>	
<b>Offertory Hymn</b>	<b>No: 924</b>	Brother, sister, let me serve you
<b>Communion Hymn</b>	<b>No: 772</b>	Lord Jesus Christ
<b>Recessional Hymn:</b>	<b>No: 368</b>	Regina Coeli

**OUR LADY'S MONTH OF MAY** – A time of joyful celebration and new life.

At the end of the 10:30am Mass on the 4<sup>th</sup> May we will process into the garden to say a decade of the rosary at the statue of Our Lady and join with her as we continue to give thanks for the complete victory of her Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, over all sin and all death.

### RECONCILIATION -

The month of May, what a great time to make our confession! First Confessions will be at 4:00pm on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> May. Do come and join the children, their parents and catechists.

I will also be hearing confessions at 5:15pm on Saturdays 3<sup>rd</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> May.

**MUSIC** – Such an integral part of our life together as Catholics! I am writing this before our Divine Mercy Music Festival has happened, so don't yet know what musical options might emerge.

Another initiative for men aged 16+ is to **LEARN TO SING GREGORIAN CHANT** first meeting 4:30pm Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> May.

**LOSTWITHIEL MASS** – In the Anglican parish church 10:30am Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> May.

**BECOMING A CATHOLIC** – preparing for Baptism and /or Confirmation. A new season of classes start at 7:30pm Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May. Classes are also open to all those wishing to renew and deepen their faith.

### PLANT SALE AND CREAM TEAS – SATURDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> MAY 11AM – 1PM

Time for a purchase and / or a chat.

Are you a gardener /green fingered? Do you have some cuttings/ plants/flowers/ arrangements to include in this sale, please? You are more than welcome to come and help explain/help sell your contributions. Do contact [margaretclark84@gmail.com](mailto:margaretclark84@gmail.com) for further details.

### THE TRIUMPH OF THE IMMACULATE HEART

You who radiate peace, dear Mary,  
Help us to break this obsession with war  
and vanquish the culture of death.

Too many people have died, Blessed Mother,  
And no amount of official explanations  
and strategic manipulations  
can possibly justify such suffering.

At this very moment, all over the planet,  
dozens of battles are raging,  
like burst of flame exploding from different zones of a forest on fire.

Whether they take the form of the massive bloodshed of entire communities  
or single acts of domestic violence,  
your Mother-Heart will not tolerate such hatred.

You break yourself open  
and offer us the only true antidote to the poison of global strife:  
universal love.

[A prayer to Our Lady by Mirabai Starr]

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK** and especially:- Helen Gardner, Brendan Bowe, Brian Byrne, Susan Hamilton, Marion Rolfe, Sharon Mileham, Alan Cartledge, Jacquie Davies, Jenny, Peter Houlihan, Yvonne Bradbury, Lyn Whittington, Catherine Simpson, Thomas Ferris, Angela Falvey, Kay Pearce, Hilary Illsley, Anne Day, Catherine Venture, Helen Ledwidge, Sally Tabb, Sylvia Austin, Joseph Poole, Teiaia Bradbury, Jesus Mauri-Oria, James & Margaret Clapp, Suzi Hill, Teresita Hill, Carmen Matthews, Paddy Wellington, Gerry and Daniel Good and Sharon Noy.