

Church of St. Vincent De Paul, Marino, D09 KN83

Second Sunday of Easter – 11th April 2021

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MASS TIMES:

Sundays: 11.00 a.m. via webcam. Weekdays 10.00 a.m. via webcam.

The Church will be open for Private Prayer from 11.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. on week days and 12.00 noon to 5.00 p.m. on Sundays.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

This Sunday, 11th April is the Feast of The Divine Mercy.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

How did any of us make the journey towards faith in Christ? No doubt a great part of it is simply what we received—usually from family. At some point, did I make a conscious choice? Perhaps at other times, I felt like walking away the faith project? What kept me going? Did a more personal ownership of faith result? Perhaps I can identify with the intuition of John O'Donahue, "Faith is helpless attraction to the divine." In spite of everything, in spite of myself, somehow it is part of who I am

PRAYER:

Mysterious God, we are those who have seen and at the same time not seen. Help to look beyond the simple gifts of each day to see you the giver behind—and in—every gift. Help us embrace the grace that we may know true blessedness in believing.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The next Mass in preparation for First Communion for 2nd and 3rd class children and their families will be celebrated on Sunday next the 18th of April at 12.30pm.

The church will open for private prayer at the slightly later time of 2pm on Sunday 18th.

CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to all our Confirmation candidates who have just finished an 8 week programme of exploration of their faith. We pray that this preparation is just the start of their life adventure with God!

CHILDRENS CORNER

Please visit the Children's Corner on the website or at the back of the Church.

EASTER DUES

The priests of the parish are grateful for the receipt of Easter Dues.

By now all households should have received their Easter dues envelopes – if by any chance you didn't, spare envelopes are available at the back of the Church or alternatively you can use your own.

Easter dues envelopes may be placed in the safes at the back of the Church or handed into the Sacristy.

TRÓCAIRE BOXES

Trócaire Boxes may be returned to the Sacristy any morning between 9.30 a.m. and 12.30 p.m.

HEART TO HAND - Good Friday Food Collection

Sincere thanks to all the Parishioners who supported this year's Good Friday Food Collection in aid of Heart to Hand. Your response was extremely generous as usual, in spite of the difficult times we are in at present and 'Heart to Hand' is very appreciative of your efforts.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK:

Please pray for all in the parish who are seriously ill.

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Mary Caulfield, Mary Byrne

MONTHS MIND:

Sheila McPartlin

ANNIVERSARIES:

Frankie & Harriet Duffy Patricia Phelan John Glover Paddy & Madge O'Malley Maureen & James McCabe Deceased Members of White & Doyle Families Sean White Seamus Murray Brigid McCarthy Isabelle Meek