



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

Third Sunday of Easter – 18th 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.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

For the word of God to become a living word, we need to listen beyond the words to the one speaking to us through Scripture. It is our faith that God speaks to us as we listen to “the very voice of the pilgrim people God.” This does not happen of its own accord; it calls for a listening ear and an open heart.

PRAYER:

Merciful God, anoint me with you Holy Spirit. As I read your Word, let me hear your voice speaking to me from within. Give me the wisdom to understand your message to me. Let your Word be the joy of my heart and the light to my feet. Give me strength to build my life on your Word. Let it be done to me according to your Word. May I rejoice in the blessedness of hearing your Word and keeping it? Speak Lord; your servant is listening.

CONFIRMATION

Our next Mass in preparation for Confirmation will be celebrated next Sun April 25th at 12.30pm. Please keep the Confirmation boys and girls in your prayers as they continue their journey towards Confirmation day. They have just finished an 8 week faith discovery programme which we hope will be the starting point of a lifetime's adventure with the Lord! The church will open for private prayer at the slightly later time of 2pm.

FIRST COMMUNION

This Sunday, April 18th the 12.30pm Mass is one of preparation for First Communion for both 2nd and 3rd class children. We pray that their day of meeting Jesus in this special way is not too far off. The church will open for private prayer at the slightly later time of 2pm.

STATIONS OF THE RESURRECTION

We are all familiar with the Stations of the Cross but how about the Stations of the Resurrection? It was the custom in the Early Church to use the time between Easter and Pentecost to reflect on 14 Stations of the Resurrection - 14 joyful & inspiring events that happened to Jesus and his companions after the Resurrection. See the website for info. on how to pray these for adults and the Children's Corner for how to pray them with children.

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.

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.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK:

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

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Bridie Carragher

MONTHS MIND:

Joan Lyons

Meghan McGuinness

ANNIVERSARIES:

Fiacre Forde, Terry Dunleavy

Liam & Betty Sheerin, Molly & Nancy Campion

Joan Nolan, Jean Woulfe, Jim Halpin

Patrick McTeague, Peter Donohoe

Anna C. Hession, Mary Hession.