

28 March 2021

NEWSLETTER

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Reflection

Holy Week 2021

For Christians, Holy Week is the most important week of the year. Holy Week lasts from Palm Sunday until Easter Sunday and reaches its high point in what we call the Easter Triduum – those three great days from the evening Mass of the Lord's Supper to Evening Prayer on Easter Sunday. Reflecting on the Scriptures and turning to ritual and symbols, Christians throughout the world, Journey with Jesus through those final days of his life, his passion, his death and resurrection. In the process, we experience God's redemptive presence, our faith is deepened, our hope is renewed and our commitment to living a life of love of God and one another is strengthened.

A different way of praying as a community of faith

Again this year, our celebrations will be a very different due to the restrictions in place because of the Covid-19 Pandemic. As a Christian Community we cannot gather together for our usual religious services. This will not prevent us from uniting spiritually and taking time to pray, to reflect and to make this Holy Week a truly enriching experience of the presence of God in our lives. (taken from Bringing Holy Week Home 2021, Diocese of Clonfert, Elphin and Kildare & Leighlin)

ORDER OF SERVICES

HOLY WEEK 2021

PALM SUNDAY – 28th March

St. Brigid's Parish Church, Kildare – 11am Mass, view via mcnmedia.tv

Due to COVID-19, there will be NO PENITENTIAL SERVICE this year in Parish Church, instead there will be a GENERAL ABSOLUTION for all during the Penitential Rite.

Blessed Palm will be available from :

St. Brigid's Parish Church after the 11am Mass via the Prayer Room Door

Sacred Heart Church, Nurney and Our Lady of Victories, Kildangan from 12.15pm – 2pm

HOLY THURSDAY - 1st April

St. Brigid's Parish Church

Mass of The Last Supper at 7.30pm – view via mcnmedia.tv

Carmelite White Abbey

Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7.30pm - View via Carmelite Church Kildare (Facebook Page)

GOOD FRIDAY - 2nd April

St. Brigid's Parish Church

Celebration of the Passion of Our Lord at 3pm - view via mcnmedia.tv

Church of Sacred Heart, Nurney

Stations of The Cross at 5pm - view via streamlive.ie

Carmelite White Abbey

Stations of the Cross at 10am – View via Carmelite Church Kildare (Facebook Page)

Celebration of the Passion of The Lord at 3pm - View via Carmelite Church Kildare (Facebook Page)

HOLY SATURDAY - 3rd April

St. Brigid's Parish Church

Easter Vigil at 8pm - view via mcnmedia.tv

Carmelite White Abbey

Easter Vigil at 9pm - View via Carmelite Church Kildare (Facebook Page)

EASTER SUNDAY - 4th April

St. Brigid's Parish Church

Mass of the Lord's Resurrection at 11am - view via mncmedia.tv

Our Lady of Victories, Kildangan

Mass of the Lord's Resurrection at 11am - view via streamlive.ie

Carmelite White Abbey

Holy Mass at 10am & 12 noon - View via Carmelite Church Kildare (Facebook Page)

ANNIVERSARY LIST FOR THE COMING WEEK

- Sat 27 11am **GER MOLLOY**, Walterstown.. Months Mind
MICHAEL & SARAH FLANAGAN, Fair Green
- Sun 28 11am **THE CURTAIN FAMILY**, Limerick
PADDY WATTERS, Church View.. 2nd Anniversary
TONY BURKE, Rowanville
PATRICK & ELIZABETH NOLAN
MICHAEL, BRIGID & JOHNNY BERGIN, Newtown
- Mon 29 9am
- Tue 30 9am
- Wed 31 9am **MATTHEW WILSON**, Lackagh
ANGELA MADDEN, Rowanville. 8th Anniversary
- Thu 1 **HOLY THURSDAY – 7.30pm Mass of Last Supper**
- Fri 2 **GOOD FRIDAY – 3pm Celebration of the Passion of Our Lord**
- Sat 3 **HOLY SATURDAY - 8pm Easter Vigil**
- Sun 4 11am **NEIL & ANGELA CADIGAN, RÍAN MACMAHON**
And REGGIE & SHEILA DUNNE
JOHN & BRIDGET AMES, Roscommon
THE BARRY & SMITH FAMILIES
BRENDAN O'TOOLE, Assumpta Villas.

Live Streaming of Masses from St. Brigid's Parish Church

Log into: mcnmedia.tv – cameras – Kildare – St. Brigid's, Kildare Town.
Masses : Weekday: 9am Saturday: 11am Sunday: 11am

DONATIONS

PARISH COLLECTIONS If you would like to contribute directly, both bank accounts are in Bank of Ireland, Kildare.

For **weekly envelopes** the name of the a/c is: KILDARE PARISH.

The IBAN is: IE51 BOFI 9011 6711 587935.

For the Priests' Collections: (Easter Station, Easter Collection)

KILDARE PARISH CLERGY.

The IBAN is : IE18 BOFI 9011 6727 388762. We thank you for your generosity and patience. Frs. Andy and Adrian

K & L Kildare Parish Co-Op Lotto

Draw held Wednesday 24 March 2021

Numbers Drawn were:. 10, 19, 20, 24..

There was 1 jackpot winner, congrats to WILLIAM McNAMEE – Rhode Parish who won €10,000.

We had 3 winners in the match 3 numbers game.

Congrats to Seamus Dunne, Niall & Nicole Madden – promoter Margie Sheridan and Sheila Carbery – Promoter Fr. Adrian Carbery, who won €44 each. Congrats also to Fr. Adrian Carbery winner of the subscribers draw, promoter Fr. Adrian Carbery. Tickets €2 each from, The Sweet Shop, Bernard Conway, Margie Sheridan, Fiona Reid Ann Hill. Thank You for your continued Support. Next week's jackpot will be €10,000.

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Palm Sunday

A PALM ON YOUR DOOR

Palm Sunday, March 28, 2021

You are invited to place a piece of palm or any green branch on your front door to let people know it is Palm Sunday.

Together, let us begin the greatest week of the Church year.

Photos can be sent to:
Cathriona by Whatsapp to 085 1450321 or
Cathriona.Kelly@Kandle.ie

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Chrism Mass



**Chrism Mass
2021**

Join us for this year's Chrism Mass
Monday 29th March

Video greetings from parishes
7.10pm
Mass
7.30pm

Live-streamed via the
Kildare and Leighlin Facebook Page
and the iCatholic Youtube Channel

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