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#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

# NO PUBLIC MASSES AT THE WEEKEND

6.30 pm: Mary Byrne (A)

Other anniversaries: Esther Kegan (2nd A);

Mary and Alfie Donovan (A)

10.00 am: James (Jimmy) & Elizabeth

(Betty) Silke (A); Patricia Quinn

(nee Silke), daughter

11.00 am: Thomas Byrne (A)

12.30 pm: Irene Molloy (14<sup>th</sup> A);

Josephine Hannon (14th A)

Monday 23rd

10.00 am: Charles + Annie McManus (A)

7.30 pm:

Tuesday 24th

10.00 am: Altar List of the Dead

7.30pm Vigil mass:

Wednesday 25th Annunciation of the Lord

10.00 am: Mass for the Sick

7.30pm: Andrew (Joeboy) McEvoy

(Birthday Remembrance)

Thursday 26th

10.00 am: Esther Kegan (2<sup>nd</sup> A)

7.30pm: Communion Service

Friday 27th

10.00 am: Eileen Burns RIP

7.30pm:

Saturday 28st

10.00 am:

# EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA: 29<sup>th</sup> March 2020

6.30 pm Vigil:

10.00 am:

11.00 am:

12.30 pm:

#### MASS INTENTIONS 29TH MARCH 2020

## NO PUBLIC MASSES AT THE WEEKEND

6.30 pm: John Scott (A)

Other Anniversaries: Mary and James

Kearney (A); Carmel Kearney (A);

John Mills (1st A); Jeremiah Conlon (A)

10.00 am:

11.00 am: Rosa Doherty (A)

12.30 pm: Sheila Foley (5th A);

John Foley and Brian Mangan

**ENVELOPE COLLECTION** €695

1<sup>st</sup> COLLECTION €215

SHARE COLLECTION €245



# READERS ROTA: 29<sup>th</sup> March 2020

6.30 pm Vigil:

10.00 am:

11.00 am:

12.30 pm:

<u>NOTICES</u>: All notices for inclusion in the Parish Bulletin should be submitted in writing no later than *Thursday 1pm* to the Parish House or Sacristy. *The newsletter can be read on line at www.donoreavenueparish.ie* 

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#### COMMUNION SERVICE DURING LENT

Thursdays in Lent will be a communion service or a reflection evening.

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS DURING LENT

Friday morning, at 9.40am, before the 10am mass.

#### TRÓCAIRE

Trócaire boxes are available in the church.

#### THE WAY OF THE CROSS - TALK

Due to the circumstances the talk foreseen for 26<sup>th</sup> March, 7.30pm, **is cancelled**. A Communion Service will take its place.

#### CHURCH GUIDE ST TERESA

The church guide by Fr. Alois, 60 pages A4, including coloured illustrations, is now available. It is a private publication. We would ask for a donation to cover the costs and to fund raise for a glass cabinet to exhibit some of our pieces from the church archives.

1 copy: 10 Euro 2 copies: 15 Euro The Church Guide is available (at a two metre distance) from the sacristy or from the parish house. Due to the present circumstances it is not possible to hold a launch as we had intended. This will take place later in the summer.

#### DATES FOR THE DIARY

- ➤ Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April: Prayer and Reflection to draw lent to a close and prepare for Holy Week.
- > Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> April: Parish Penitential Service at 7.30pm (to be confirmed)
- > Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> April at 12.30pm: Celebration of First Holy Communion (Please wait for further information on exact form of celebration).

# **TEXT-A-PARISHIONER**

For communication in general in our parish, but also in this time of protection from the virus, we have introduced a system using SMS messages on mobile phones. This will enable us to notify you of particular services and events and also to stay in touch in the possible absence of church services. If you wish to participate in this please write your name and mobile phone number on the sheets on the tables at the back of the church. We have used it successfully today to notify many that there are no masses this weekend.

#### SUPPORT LINE FOR OLDER PEOPLE

Alone has launched a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID 19 (Coronavirus). The line is open from 8am to 8pm Monday to Friday at 0818 222024

#### RADIO MARIA

Radio Maria Ireland is an Irish run Catholic Radio Station. Listen via TV on Saorview Channel 210 and Freeview Channel 826

<u>MASS INTENTIONS</u> – even if no congregation is present for mass at this time, we will offer mass privately for all booked intentions. Public celebrations will be re-arranged for a future date.

#### FAITH IN THE MIDST OF CORONAVIRUS:

Very sad to say that there are no Public Masses at the weekends in St Teresa's until further notice. We hope to find as many ways as possible for our faith community of St Teresa's to stay in touch. We will use: texting; Facebook; leaflet drop to houses; website; emails, Whatsapp; twitter etc. If you have any other suggestions, please let us know. Mass will continue to be said on weekdays at 10am and 7.30pm. The church will remain open during the day for private prayer and reflection, with prayer resources available.

Weekday mass is available on RTE News Now at 10.30am. RTE News Now can be accessed on Saorview (Channel 21), SKY (521), Virgin (200), EIR (517). RTE also continue to broadcast a diverse range of Christian worship every Sunday at 11am on RTE One TV. EWTN also broadcast mass SKY (559) Virgin Media (815)

**PARISH NEWSLETTER:** We will continue to produce a parish newsletter that will be available at the back of the church to take home. It will also be available on the Parish Website and Facebook page

WEEKLY PARISH ENVELOPES: a number of people have asked about these. We fully understand that you have many other pressing concerns at this time. If by chance you are in a position to do so, please consider storing your Parish Weekly Envelopes for future delivery or putting them through the door of the parish house at any time convenient to you.

It is not clear yet what shape Holy Week celebrations will take this year. But we will do something – together – but separate.

**VISIT BY A PRIEST**: Please understand that this is much reduced (not permitted in hospitals and nursing homes). Feel free to contact us.

#### **FUNERALS:**

Because of the current restrictions, attendance at funerals in the parish will be much reduced, and may be limited to family and very close friends.

### PRAYER SPACE - CORONAVIRUS

During this time of the Coronavirus we will maintain a special place in the church dedicated to this intention. You are welcome to light a candle, to use and take home the prayer resources available and specifically to remember in solidarity all those affected by this health crisis. Remember; Many events have been cancelled because of the coronavirus, FAITH, LOVE and especially HOPE however are not among them.

FOLLOW MASS VIA A WEBCAM: Our parish website (www.donoreavenueparish.ie) offers links to churches with a webcam like Dublin Pro-Cathedral.

#### HOLY WATER

Please feel free to bring a bottle and get Holy Water from the sacristy.