



A Day of Celebration

"They have taken the Lord out of the tomb," Mary of Magdala said, "and we don't know where they have put him." On the first Easter morning there was a sense of excitement among the disciples but it was mixed with anxiety and fear. They didn't know what was happening but they knew that something was. As we celebrate our Easter we can know exactly what has happened. However we can be so familiar with this wonderful truth that we may have little if any excitement about it. It was not the soldiers who took the body of Jesus from the tomb but rather the power of God. And where God has put Jesus is into our hearts, our minds, our company with one another, above us, below us, all around us. The deepest reality of our lives has been changed forever by what happened today and Jesus is risen and living among us in our homes and in our faith community. We need to attend to him there.

Fr. Johnny Doherty, C.Ss.R.

# RESSUREXIT SICUT DIXIT HE IS RISEN

We are this year able to Celebrate the great feast of Easter in a more normal way than for three years.

While we rejoice in the progress towards normality we are very conscious of all those who have suffered and indeed continue to do so as a result of the pandemic.

Website:



We are especially conscious of those who have suffered bereavement.

This Easter is very much overshadowed by the terrible events in the Ukraine along with the other countries such as Myanmar where there is little to rejoice about.

The Easter message is one of Hope over the greatest adversity and light in the darkest of situations. The Easter message of the Risen Christ is the only real meaning in a troubled world.

We wish you all the Blessings of Easter and thank you for your constant prayers and support for us and our parishes.

Fr. Dermott

Fr. Eamonn



A VERY BIG THANK YOU to everyone who worked so hard to make the celebration of Holy Week & Easter so special - all who came to the celebrations, joined us online, to all who took part in any way and alos the team of people behind the scenes.

EASTER WEEK MASS SCHEDULE Monday 18th April to Friday 22nd April NO MASSES or ADORATION Saturday 23rd April No Morning Mass

Saturday 23rd April - 2nd Sunday of Easter

7.30pm Vigil: Anniversary Mass for Willie Donnelly and also Anniversary Mass for Colum P. Mullan

Sunday 24th April: 9.00am - Special Intention

11.00am: Month's Mind Mass for Robert Beattie and also Anniversary Mass for Anthony Beattie

**Greenlough Mass Schedule: 25th April - 1st May 2022** 

**Monday 25th April:** 9.00am

**Tuesday 26th April:** No Mass

Wednesday 27th April: 9.00am Thursday 28th April: 9.00am

**ADORATION to 6.00pm** 

Friday 29th April: 7.30pm

Anniversary Mass for Mickey Cassidy

Saturday 30th April: 10.00am

Saturday 30th April - 3rd Sunday of Easter 7.30pm Vigil: Month's Mind Mass for Brigid Madden

Sunday 1st May: 9.00am & 11.00am: Anniversary Mass for Jimmy Lynn & Charlotte Maguire

# **CONTINUOUS PRAYER MOVEMENT**

Friday 29th April is Our Parish Day of Prayer for Marriage & Family Life.



**Greenlough Sick Visitation** 

Fr. Graham will visit the Sick & Housebound on Wednesday 4th May.



Email:

greenloughparish@gmail.com

# MASS TIMES **SUNDAYS:**

*Vigil: 7.30*pm Morning:

9.00am & 11am **WEEKDAYS:** 

> Mon - Thurs: 9.00am

Friday: 7.30pm Saturday: 10am

First Fridays: 7.30pm

CONFESSIONS As Announced

**BAPTISMS Sunday After** 11.00am Mass

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**Neighbouring Parishes** 

Bellaghy Mgr. Dolan 028 7938 6259

#### LAVEY PARISH MASS SCHEDULE

Monday 18th April: 9.15am & 7.00pm Mass

7.00pm Mass: Month's Mind Mass for Jim Carmichael

**Tuesday 19th April:** 9.15am Mass Wednesday 20th April: 9.15am Mass Thursday 21st April: 9.15am Mass Friday 22nd April: 9.15am Mass

### 2ND SUNDAY IN EASTER

Saturday 23rd April: 7.00pm Mass

Month's Mind Mass for Tommy Rankin

Sunday 24th April: 9.00am & 11.00am Mass

Please note: No Masses Monday 25th - Friday 29th April

Adoration Friday 29th April 9.30am to 5.00pm

## **3RD SUNDAY IN EASTER**

Saturday 30th April: 7.00pm Mass **Sunday 1st May:** 9.00am Mass

Anniversary Mass for Eamon Higgins

11.00am Mass **Sunday 1st May:** 

Collections 10th April: Wkly: £898.13;

Mthly: £108; Cash: £222.13; Trócaire £60.

Thank you for your generosity. **Trócaire Boxes -** can be left in the box

in the Church. Thank You.



Trócaire **Boxes** 

The Greenlough Camogie Club will be holding a **Coffee Morning** in the Bannvalley Hall this Easter Sunday Morning from 9.00am to 12 noon.



The Parish Office will be closed this week - reopens Monday 25th April.

There is no newsletter next Sunday please leave all notices and anniversary names into the sacristy by Saturday Evening. Happy Easter Everyone!!

