

## PARISH OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE

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April 23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup> 2016 – Fifth Sunday of Easter

❖ Mass for the coming week:  
Monday to Friday at 10.00a.m.

❖ Sacrament of Confirmation

Please remember in your prayers the young candidates presenting for the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday next 28<sup>th</sup> April, when they will be Confirmed by Archbishop Diarmuid Martin.

❖ Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place in the church from 7-9p.m. Tuesday next 26<sup>th</sup> April. All welcome.

❖ Special Appeal for Ukraine

Pope Francis has launched a special appeal for humanitarian aid for Ukraine. This weekend, 50% of the ordinary SHARE collection will be donated to the Pope's appeal. Thank you.

➤ Castleknock Hurling & Football Club are holding their **Annual Race Night** in Kavanagh's, Laurel Lodge on Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> April at 9.00p.m. and your support would be greatly appreciated.

➤ A Terrible Beauty – Áille na hÁille

The first performance in Dublin of Charlie Lennon's Suite - Áille na hÁille commissioned by Gael Linn for the Centenary Commemoration of 1916 will take place in St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough Street on Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> May at 8p.m. This event will be accompanied by moving extracts from the accounts of priests who ministered in the streets of Dublin to the injured and the dying and to those who were executed in 1916.

No tickets are required but a retiring collection will be taken up to defray the expenses of the event.

❖ Holy Land – Year of Mercy Christian Solidarity Pilgrimage, led by Archbishop Eamon Martin.  
Departing September 9<sup>th</sup> for 8 nights – direct flights - €1,495.00 pps on a half board basis.  
Contact MAP Travel on (01) 8783111 for further information.

The Sunshine Fund would like to thank all who supported their Palm Sunday collection which amounted to €2,901.16.  
Your support is greatly appreciated.

### ❖ MASS INTENTIONS:

SATURDAY	6.30pm	Eoin O'Donovan Anniversary
SUNDAY	10.00am	Derek Canavan Month's Mind
	11.00am	Dick and Kathleen Freeman Anniversaries
	12.15pm	Patrick Kavanagh 3 <sup>rd</sup> Anniversary
	5.30pm	Rodney Little Anniversary

### ❖ REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

We extend our sympathy to the families of Jennifer Barnwell, Peter Zambra, Ben Willoughby and Penelope McGrath, all recently deceased.

Also, Patrick Naughton, Madge Smith, Harry McLaughlin, Patrick and Mary O'Dwyer, Paddy Quillan, Margaret Lacey, Jimmy Madden and Thomas Arnold whose anniversaries occur at this time and all those whose names are on the Altar List of the Dead.