

PARISH OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE

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Saturday/Sunday – 25th/26th MARCH 2023

MASS TIMES FOR THE COMING WEEK

Monday to Friday at 10.00 am - Saturday Vigil Mass: 6.30 pm

Sunday Masses: 9.30 am, 11.00 am and 12.30 pm

(St Philip the Apostle, Mountview – 6.00 pm)

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT 26th MARCH 2023

In the gospel Jesus is with people who are grieving the loss of a loved one. He brings comfort and hope to those who are saddened by death.

First Reading: (Ezek.37:12-14)

This describes the Babylonian exile of the Israelites and their restoration to their homeland.



Second Reading: (Rom.8:8-11)

The God who raised Jesus from the dead will raise us also.

Gospel: (John 11:1-45)

Jesus came to offer us a life that cannot be touched by death, the kind of life that God possesses. This life is made possible by those who believe.

REFLECTION

*We are born to die so that we may live more fully
Every time we pass from one stage to another, something in us dies and something new is born.*

*We taste death in moment of loneliness, rejection, sorrow,
disappointment and failure.*

*We are dying before our time when we live in bitterness, in hatred
and in isolation.*

*Each day we are creating our own death by the way we live.
For those with faith, death is not extinguishing the light
It is putting out the lamp because the dawn has come.*

PARISH PRIVACY NOTICE: Please note the Parish Privacy Notice is currently under review. A new version will be published very soon. If you have any questions or require further information, please email Noelle Dowling at dataprotection@dublindiocese.ie.

RITE II CONFESSIONS

SUNDAY 26TH MARCH AFTER THE 9.30 AM AND 11.00 AM MASSES

SATURDAY 1ST APRIL AFTER THE 6.30 MASS

SUNDAY 2ND APRIL AFTER THE 12.30 PM MASS



THANK YOU
TURKEY & SYRIA
EARTHQUAKE COLLECTION

THE FINAL AMOUNT RAISED
€12,326.53. A sincere thank you to everyone who contributed so generously.



Stations of the Cross

During the Season of Lent there will be Stations of the Cross after the 10.00 am Mass every **Tuesday** morning.
All Welcome

OUR LADY MOTHER OF THE CHURCH BEECHPARK: Fatima 1st Saturday devotions commencing Saturday 1st April at our 10am Mass followed by Holy Rosary and short meditation on each decade.

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY	6.30 pm	MONTHS MIND: Arthur Grimes
SUNDAY 	9.30 am	Roslyn Cobbe (13 th Anniversary)
	11.00 am	Mary Kelly (20 th Anniversary)
	12.30 pm	Peter Byrne (1 st Anniversary)

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Tina Walberg, Sean Frawley, Angela Del La Mere, Liam Carroll, Peter Carroll, Kathleen McGlynn, - *(Recently Deceased)*

Also those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Seamus Quinlan, Derek Canavan, Noel Ward (2nd Anniversary) Jimmy Keegan, Margaret Healy and all the Healy Family, Nicholas Furlong (1st Anniversary), Peter Crowe, Deceased Members of the Seymour Family

The Pope's Intentions March 2023

For Victims of Abuse

We pray for those who have suffered harm from members of the Church; may they find within the Church herself a concrete response to their pain and suffering.

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BAPTISMS

Baptism Ceremonies are held on the first Sunday of the month at 1:30 pm and the third Saturday of the month at 3:30 pm. Please contact the Parish Office for more information.

PRAYERS/INTENTIONS

A basket will be left at the altar for people to place their intentions/prayer requests.



These will be prayed for at the 10.00 am Mass on the day.

Divine Mercy Sunday at St Philip the Apostle Church Mountview on 16th April

The program of events :

- Commencing at 2pm with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- Reading from the Diary of St Faustina
- Blessing of the Divine Image
- Chaplet of the Divine Mercy at 3pm
- Confessions 2pm to 3pm
- Holy Mass will follow the Divine Mercy Chaplet

Adoration takes place in the Church every Wednesday from 8 pm to 9 pm. All welcome. Also available on the parish webcam:

www.laurellodgeparish.ie

Mass Intentions: To arrange an anniversary Mass or Mass for a special intention please phone the parish office (01 8208112) or email office@laurellodgeparish.ie with the details. Mass intentions can also be booked with the Sacristan. Early booking is recommended.

TABLE QUIZ: Earthquake Response – Dublin 15

A Table Quiz will take place in **Castleknock Tennis Club**

On **Thursday 30th March at 8:00pm**

The proceeds are in support of an ACN (Aid to the Church in Need) project in Aleppo, Syria which is providing humanitarian aid and spiritual support for victims of the recent earthquake.

For further details, please contact: Edward MacManus - 0868372590

For advance table booking please contact:

Anne O'Connell - 0877818935 or Mags Condon - 0868392518

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Friday mornings 9.00am – 9.30am

Saturday evenings – 5.00pm – 5.45pm

Rite II (communal celebration) – after the 6.30 pm Mass on the 1st Saturday of the month

Fr Jamie Twohig a young Pallottine Priest will talk about his story why he became a priest at a special mass this **Friday 31st March at 7.30 in St Patrick's Church Corduff**. All are welcome. Cup of tea afterwards in the Pastoral Centre.

AWARE – SUPPORT & SELF CARE GROUPS

If you or those with whom you work wish to connect with people in relation to your mental wellbeing, consider using Aware's phone-in and Zoom support and self-care groups, support line or support mail. For more information, visit www.aware.ie.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

The Irish Hospice Foundation provides a free Bereavement Support Line. This National Freephone Service is available from 10am to 1pm, Monday to Friday, by calling 1800 807077. Visit www.hospicefoundation.ie for more information.