

PARISH OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE

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Saturday/Sunday – 29th / 30th APRIL 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)

Fourth Sunday of Easter – 30th April 2023 - GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY

First Reading: (Acts 2:14.36-41)

Jesus is both Lord and Christ. Our baptism is for our forgiveness.

Responsorial Psalm: (Psalm 22:1-6)

Even if I should walk in the valley of darkness, I will not be afraid.

You Lord are with me

Second Reading: (1Peter 2:20-25)

Christ suffered insults and violence but did not retaliate. Through his wounds we have been healed.

Gospel: (John 10:1-10)

Jesus comes to us that we may have a share in his own life and have it to the full.



Reflection: Prayer of Pope Francis for Vocations

LORD of the Harvest, **BLESS** young people with the gift of courage to respond to your call. Open their hearts to great ideals, to great things. **INSPIRE** all of your disciples to mutual love and giving - for vocations blossom in the good soil of faithful people.

INSTILL those in religious life, parish ministries, and families with the confidence and grace to invite others to embrace the bold and noble path of a life consecrated to you.

UNITE us to Jesus through prayer and sacrament, so that we may cooperate with you in building your reign of mercy and truth, of justice and peace. Amen.

Pope Francis

Today Sunday, April 30th is the Day of Prayer for Vocations and the beginning of a Year of Prayer for Vocations to the Diocesan Priesthood

LOUGH DERG: Last year a group of parishioners from St. Mochta's Parish, Porterstown headed off to do the three-day pilgrimage and had a wonderful experience. If you are interested in going this year, please phone St. Mochta's Parish on 01-8213218, email secretary@stmochtaspriest.ie or contact Ellen on 087 9668356. **The pilgrimage takes place from Friday 7th July to Sunday 9th July and we will depart from St. Mochta's Church Courtyard at 8am.**


Children's Rosary St. Philips Church Mountview every Wednesday at 3.15pm. You must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Contact Lorraine at 085 8082419.

Easter Dues - Thank you very much for your support. An amount of **€7,615** has been donated to date for the Easter Dues.

LAY MINISTRY COLLECTION: The Lay Ministry Collection will take place on the weekend of May 6TH/7TH This collection will replace the usual Share collection.

Mulhuddart Cemetery Mass: Sunday 11th June 2023 at 3pm

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY	6.30 pm	Months Mind: Mary Byrne Kathleen Hoey
SUNDAY	9.30 am	Paul Howard (Recently Deceased)
	11.00 am	Séamus Ó Núnáin (10th Anniversary)
	12.30 pm	Martin Nagle (1st Anniversary)

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Maureen Dawson, Josie Curtin, Eileen Conifrey,
Padraig Walsh, Laura Clarke **(Recently Deceased)**

Also- Kay Faughnan, Elsie Ryan
whose anniversaries occur at this time

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WOMEN OF FAITH CONFERENCE: The Totus Tuus Women of Faith Conference 2023 will be LIVE on Radio Maria Ireland on Saturday, May 6, from 2pm. Speakers include Siobhán Dunniece, Sr. Benedetta (Sisters of Merciful Jesus), Katie Ascough and Mary Anne Collins. You can follow the conference by: 1. Going online at www.radiomaria.ie. 2. Download the Radio Maria Ireland App to your smartphone or tablet. 3. Listen live via Facebook. 4. Call 01 4373277 and listen live 5. Listen through your TV on SAORVIEW Channel 210.

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.

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.



“Northside Home Care Services, Meals on Wheels is a service that delivers meals Monday to Friday, to clients in their homes. Would you like us to deliver a meal to a family member or neighbour that could benefit from a nutritious meal and a dessert for €5.50 per day. Contact Ad or Catherine 018058574/0872851280”

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.

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.

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