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Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Easter Sunday 27th March

Solemn Easter Vigil Saturday at 9pm
 Sunday: 9am (as Gaeilge); 10.30 (Choir);
 12pm (Family); 6pm Youth

No public intentions on Easter Sunday

Mon 10am MASS FOR THE SICK
 Tue 10am special Intention
 Wed 10am † Peter & Josephine Connolly (A)
 Thurs 10am Veronica McGlynn
 Fri. 10am
 Sat 10.30 † Eithne Morrissey (2nd A) &
 her husband Paddy Morrissey (4thA)

Sunday 3rd April

Sat 6.00 † Peter Noone (8thA)
 Sun 9am † Michael Ennis (11thA) &
 his brother-in-law Paddy Mullen (10thA)
 10.30 † Des Breen (1stA)
 12 pm † Maureen Delaney (4thA) &
 her husband Joe Delaney RIP
 6.00 pm Special Intention



St. Gabriel's Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes

16th – 21st June

Spiritual Director Fr. Pat McManus
 Hotel la Solitude €729 pps
 Single supplement €175
 DEPOSIT €200

*It's Decision Time now as places are filling up fast - Don't get left behind!
 Details and Booking forms available
 the Parish office (8333602)*

Jesus Loves You!

For God so loved the world that he sent his only begotten Son that whoever believes in Him shall have eternal life.

Wishing you a Blessed & Happy Easter

The Rosary in 1916

"Ireland's Loyalty to Mary" a book by Fr. Augustine OFM and published in 1952 has many interesting examples of the place held by the Rosary by those who fought in the Rising one hundred years ago. The following are some examples from that book.



Joseph O'Connor at Boland's Mill: "On Wednesday night I was able to relieve one section that moved into a railway shed for food and sleep. After a while I looked to see if they were sleeping and was surprised to find them all reciting the Rosary, the section commander giving out the prayers and the others responding."

A Man on the roof of the GPO: "I don't know how we escaped - the enemy fire was unceasing and their bullets and shells seemed to fall everywhere except on us, though some of the lads took all sorts of risks. There is only one way I can account for it - the Rosary was recited by some one of us in turn almost every half hour of the four days and four nights we were on the roof."

Julia Grennan describes a scene just before the surrender: "A number of men gathered in the back drawing room (of the house in Moore Street) and knelt to say the Rosary - a picture I will never forget. They knelt, holding their rifles, soon to be surrendered, in their left hands, their beads in their right. Tears ran down many a cheek and the responses were said chokingly. We then marched out. The GPO was still burning fiercely. On board ship on the way to prison, in prison, on the ship back after release, the Rosary was recited repeatedly. Seán Heuston, just before his death knelt at his table saying the Rosary. Major McBride, just before his execution, gave Fr. Augustine his rosary and said: 'give that to my mother'."

The confidential phone no. for the St. Vincent de Paul society is **087 2733961**

MASS TIMES St. Gabriel's
 Sat 6.00 pm
 Sun 9.00 am (As Gaeilge)
 10.30 am;
 12.00 (Family Mass)
 6.00 pm (Youth Mass)

St. John's
 Sat 6.00 pm
 Sun 10.00 am (Family)
 11.15 am
 12.30 pm (Youth)

St. Anthony's
 Sat 7.00 pm
 Sun 10.00 am (Family)
 11.30 am