

Church of the Resurrection, Bayside

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Anniversaries

Each week we bring to mind those whose anniversaries occur, and Masses will be offered at a later date.

Link to Mass on our website. Note Mass Times –
Monday to Saturday 10am; No weekday evening Mass.
Saturday 7pm, Sunday 8.00am, 10am, 11.30am.
See Kilbarrack/Foxfield Mass times on its website.

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

ACCORD Dublin

ACCORD continues to provide marriage preparation courses for couples in the diocese.

Information from Ichambers@accordublin.ie.

Parish Office

The parish office is fully open. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9am-1pm Wednesday 11am to 4pm

Easter Dues, Family Offerings and Collections

Easter dues and family offerings may be left with the parish secretary or the parochial house 1 Bayside Square Nth. An option to donate will be available shortly on the website.

Guidelines for Returning to Church Services

- The obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days is suspended. You may wish to come on a weekday instead.
- Our experience of Mass will be different for many months yet – thank you for your patience.
- Keep the doors and porch clear.
- Pews are clearly marked for seating. The longer pews allow for seating in the middle of the pews. As physical distancing is vital, please take the middle seats first to allow others to sit at each edge.

- Sanitize your hands on entry.
- Please go to and remain in the place shown you by volunteer stewards, following the signs on the floor.
- There is no physical Sign of Peace at the moment.
- Those distributing Holy Communion must wear a face mask.
- Please observe social distancing and follow the floor signs when coming forward, up the middle aisle in single file for Communion and back side aisles.
- Please leave patiently and promptly after Mass.
- Keep the lighting of candles at shrines to private visits at times other than for Mass.
- Hand sanitizers can be flammable, so ensure your hands are completely dry before lighting candles.
- If you feel unwell, please do not come to the Church.
- You may like to wear a facemask coming to Mass.
- Enter by the front door and leave by the side door.
- Please be aware that all of the above is open to change depending on Government advice.

The Church seats and doors are sanitised each day by volunteers - your cooperation is essential.

Sacraments in Our Church

At the moment we are planning for the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and First Holy Communion. As you can imagine, setting dates is challenging for a number of reasons, but mainly because a maximum of 50 people are allowed in the Church. First Communion will be celebrated in the autumn. Fr. Finnerty is speaking with parents re dates for Confirmation.

Reflection on Sunday's Gospel

Come to me, and I will give you rest'

Jesus declares in the Gospel that he is one with the Father, and that all things have been entrusted to him. He invites those who are overburdened to come to him, for his yoke is easy, his burden light.

The Spirit of Christ living within us gives us hope, that even in the midst of the trials of our times, Jesus is with us, sharing in our suffering, carrying us in ways that we may not yet even recognise. Let us pray that we, as the body of Christ in the world today, will have the courage and strength to carry compassionately all those who feel weighed down by the effects of the pandemic.

Support Services Available during Pandemic

ACCORD –01 531 3331 9am-8pm for relationship difficulties;
ALONE -Monday to Friday, 8am-8pm. Call 0818 222 024.
SeniorLine, Freephone 10am -10pm on 1800 80 45 91; **Age Action** and the **Irish Red Cross** -for once-off grants per person/household, up to €500. Lo Call: **1890-369-369** Email: hardship2020@redcross.ie, **Women's Aid** - for women abused by current/ former boyfriends/partners/husbands. Tel: 1800-

341-900 or [01-678-8858](tel:01-678-8858); email info@womensaid.ie 24 hour; **Men's Aid**, supporting men and their families experiencing Domestic Violence in Ireland. Tel: [01-554-3811](tel:01-554-3811) Tel: [01-539-4277](tel:01-539-4277) E-mail: hello@mensaid.ie; **ISPCC** Dublin, child protection charity. Call: [01-676-7960](tel:01-676-7960) Email: ispcc@ispcc.ie; **The Samaritans** 24 hours a day, 365 days a year., call Freephone. [116-123](tel:116-123).; **Pieta House**- free therapy to those self-harming, with suicidal ideation, or bereaved by suicide. No referral needed. Freephone 1800-247-247; **Jigsaw** for younger people experiencing a hard time, or for those worried about a young person. www.jigsaw.ie <https://www.jigsaw.ie/news-and-events>; **HSE Resources** –See www.healthpromotion.ie; **Covid 19 Tech Help** - Some I.T people offer free tech support to cocooning seniors-Tablets, Phones, PCs, etc. No personal details requested. Web <https://covid19tech.ie/about/>

Manresa

Check out the various online events on www.manresa.ie

New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week

Listen to the complete Bible in one year! The NIV Audio Bible, beautifully recorded over 200 hours by British actor, David Suchet (of *Poirot* fame), is the first full-length audio version of the Old and New Testaments recorded by a single voice. You can access it at www.newpilgrimpath.ie

Poetry Corner

We love to get poems and reflections from adults and children – If you are sending them, please keep them short as, at the moment, we have very little room.

Poetry Corner

Pat Ryan

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As we near the end of C Nineteen
 We are allowed to again convene
 Thanks to all our Frontline carers
 Doctors, nurses and all risk bearers.
 Mass and worship are again allowed
 Only in groups of a smallish crowd
 The pews in the Church are sanitized
 In accordance with the rules devised
 Can we now go out, you rightly ask
 Yes but it's best that we wear a mask
 Lessons learned make some demands
 Chief of which is to wash our hands.

Reflection

When asked what surprised him most about humanity, the Dalai Lama answered –
 Man sacrifices his health in order to make money to recuperate his health. And then he is so anxious about the future that he does not enjoy the present; the result being that he does not live in the present or the future; he lives as if he is never going to die and then dies having never really lived.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR WEEK COMMENCING 6TH JULY

MONDAY	PAT McGRATH (R/D)
TUESDAY	NOEL McELROY (R/D)
WEDNESDAY	ANTHONY BANKS (A)
THURSDAY	
FRIDAY	HUGH PARNELL (M/M)
SATURDAY	

MASS INTENTIONS WEEKEND 11TH/12TH JULY

SATURDAY	7.00PM	BERNIE McCARTHY (4 TH A)
SUNDAY	8.00AM	
	10.00AM	
	11.30AM	

Line Dancing has started back in the Community Centre – Monday Evenings @ 8.00pm

A Walking Group meet every Wednesday morning @ 10.30am at Bayside Church

Chopsticks

A woman who had worked all her life to bring about good was granted one wish: "Before I die let me visit both hell and heaven." Her wish was granted. She was whisked off to a great banqueting hall. The tables were piled high with delicious food and drink. Around the tables sat miserable, starving people as wretched as could be. "Why are they like this?" she asked the angel. "Look at their arms," the angel replied. Attached to the people's arms were long chopsticks secured above the elbow. Unable to bend their elbows, the people aimed the chopsticks at the food, missed every time and sat hungry and miserable. "Indeed this is hell!" She was then whisked off to heaven. Again she found herself in a great banqueting hall with tables piled high. Around the tables sat people laughing, contented, joyful. "No chopsticks I suppose," she said. "Oh yes, there are. Look - just as in hell they are long and attached above the elbow but here they have learnt to feed one another".

Worry on Wednesdays

Film producer J Arthur Rank had an interesting way of dealing with worry. He decided he would do all his worrying on one day – Wednesday. Each time a worry loomed, he would write it on a piece of paper, slip in into a wooden box and forget about it 'til the following Wednesday. The amazing thing was when he opened the box again most of the things he might have spent time fretting over had already taken care of themselves.

Thought for the Week

The most miserable people are those who think only about themselves, understand only their own troubles and see only their own perspective.