# PARISH OF THE HOLY REDEEMER, DUNDALK 5TH APRIL 2015 EASTER SUNDAY A Parish in the 'Dun Dealgan' Pastoral Area





# Christ is Risen!! Alleluia, Alleluia!!

Let everyone share this feast of faith; let everyone enjoy the riches of goodness. Let none lament their poverty; for the universal Kingdom has been revealed. Let none mourn their sins; for forgiveness has dawned from the grave. Let none fear death; for the Saviour's death has set us free.

## St John Chrysostom

**Easter Blessings** in conjunction with the Parish Pastoral Council, Fr Paul, Fr Neil and all the team of Holy Redeemer Parish, wish all of our parishioners and their families and friends (particularly those who have come home for Easter) every blessing in this holy season.

**Holy Communion** - **Our Easter Duty:** Because of the central importance of Easter to the Christian faith, the Catholic Church requires that all Catholics who have made their First Communion receive the Holy Eucharist sometime during the Easter season, which lasts through to Pentecost 50 days after Easter. (*The Church also urges us to take part in the Sacrament of Confession before receiving this Easter communion*). This reception of the Eucharist is a visible sign of our faith and our participation in the Kingdom of God. Of course, although we should receive Holy Communion as frequently as possible; this "Easter Duty" is simply the minimum requirement set by the Church.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Church:** Tuesdays after 10.00am Mass until 4pm. Every 1st Friday of the month 10.30am-4.00pm. 1st Saturday of every month after 7.30pm Mass.



We remember those who have died: Brianan Markey, Avenue Road. Tom McCrave, Mill Street. Christopher (Chris) Guest, Drogheda/formerly Ardee Terrace, Dundalk. Tom Murphy, Little Mills Road. Eddie Enright, London/formerly O'Hanlon Park, Dundalk. Norah Murray (nee Joyce), Manchester, England/late of Dundalk. Margaret (Peggy) Traynor (nee Morgan), Ravensdale. Aine Brady, Patrick Tierney Crescent. Marie

Quigley (nee McGivern), St Alphonsus Road. Valdas Vyte, Bridge Street. Marie McKeown, Dublin Road. Yvonne Dowdall Conway, Philadelphia, USA/formerly Brid-a-Crin.

We Welcome into our community those recently Baptised: Emily Mae O'Hagan. Thomas Gerard Hutchinson. Michael Kieran McDonagh. Layla Eugenie Makiese.

**Easter Dues 2015:** The dues are currently being collected. These dues are for the upkeep of the priests who serve this parish. We are grateful to all the dues collectors for their work and the generous support of the parishioners.

**A Second Collection** will be taken up at all Masses next weekend to help reduce the parish debt.

**Resource Centre Lotto:** 30th March 1, 8, 26, 29. One match three winners. Lotto Jackpot:  $\[ \in \] 12,700$ . Parish Bingo Monday at 8.00pm: Flyer  $\[ \in \] 2,180$ .



Thank you all for your generosity toward the **Trócaire Collection** last weekend. You have raised €5,319.03 toward the campaign this year.

Thank you!

#### PRIESTS IN PARISH

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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 10am-1pm 2pm-4pm **E-mail: holyredeemer@eircom.net** www.holyredeemerparish.ie

#### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MISSION STATEMENT:

"Conscious of our brokenness and moved by the Spirit of Compassion, we the Holy Redeemer Parish Pastoral Council, strive to be messengers of God's healing and love in today's world and to encourage and support all parishioners to bear witness to the Gospel of Christ."

| Holy Saturday            | Anniver    | RSARY & REMEMBRANC<br>8.30pm Av.                  | E . 77 1  |
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| Tioly Saturday           | ни дри     | 6.50pm Av.  | Easter Vigil. FOR THE WEEK  |
| Easter Sunday            | 5th April  | 6.30am<br>10.00am Av.<br>11.30am MM<br>6.00pm Av. | Dawn Mass. Anne Purcell. Baby Tyler O'Callaghan. Maureen Elizabeth Connolly. Kathleen Murphy. Mona Mathews. Dec members of the McCrave and Gorman families. |
|                          |            |   | Seamus O'Hagan.   |
| Monday<br>(Bank Holiday) | 6th April  | 10.00am Av.                                       | Marie Tynan. Kevin Tynan.   |
| Tuesday                  | 7th April  | 10.00am Av.                                       | James McGahon.  |
| Wednesday                | 8th April  | 10.00am Av.                                       | Seamie, Harry & May Hearty.   |
| Thursday                 | 9th April  | 10.00am Av.                                       | Thomas, Mattie & Patrick McEnerney.   |
| Friday                   | 10th April | 10.00am Av.                                       | Marian & Brandon Moran.   |
| Saturday<br>(vigil)      | 11th April | 10.00am Av.                                       | Geraldine McGuirk. Baby Barry McGuirk. Arthur Finnegan. Lily Finnegan.  |
|                          |            | 7.30pm  | William & Evelyn Moore. Thomas & Bride Murphy. Bernie Carter. Michael & Bridget Cotter.   |
| Sunday                   | 12th April | 10.00am Av.                                       | Peter & Angie McArdle. Patricia Carroll & dec members of the Brooks & McArdle famililes.  |
|                          |            | 11.30am MM<br>6.00pm Av.                          | Bernadette Shine.   |

# DIVINE MERCY



**Divine Mercy Sunday 12th April 2015.** Celebrations will be held in St Nicholas Church, Dundalk and The Friary (St Malachy's), Dundalk. Confessions at 2pm. Mass at 3pm. Chaplet and Veneration of Divine Mercy Image in Both Churches. All Welcome!

**Jesus said to St. Faustina** "On this Day, the very depths of My tender mercy are open, I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy, the soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment."

(Diary Revelations– 699)

Important Notice: Chy4 Charity Tax relief forms are to be returned as soon as possible to the

parish office. Thank you to those who have returned the forms.

**Trócaire Boxes** should be returned to the Church or parish office as soon as possible. Many thanks for your generosity.

**As Monday is a Bank Holiday** there will be no evening Mass. The Miraculous Medal Novena Prayers will be offered at the 10.00am Mass.

| WEEKLY FINANCIAL<br>REPORT            | Total     | Church               | Envelope |
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| PARISH COLLECTIONS<br>29th March 2015 | €2,027.04 | €1,336.15<br>(plate) | €690.89  |
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