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& Aylesbury / Old Bawn in the Tallaght Deanery

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2<sup>nd</sup> April 2023

Passion (Palm) Sunday

**First Friday Visits to Housebound Parishioners**

Communion is brought to our ill or housebound parishioners normally on the First Friday of every month.

If you know of someone, family member or neighbour, who would like a First Friday visit, please let us know by contacting the Parish Office.

Webcam : [www.firhouseparish.ie](http://www.firhouseparish.ie) or  
[www.churchservices.tv/firhouse](http://www.churchservices.tv/firhouse)

All devices, phones, laptops, iPads are now compatible with the Parish webcam.

**MASS TIMES**

Weekday Mass 10 a.m. (Prayer Service on Tuesdays)

Vigil Mass Saturdays at 6 p.m.

Sunday Masses 9.30 a.m. & 11.30 a.m.

(Eucharistic Adoration Friday 10.40a.m.-11.30a.m.)

**EASTER TRIDUUM TIMETABLE 2023**

**HOLY THURSDAY – 6<sup>th</sup> April**

10a.m. Morning Prayer of the Church .

8 p.m.: Mass of the Lord's Supper

The Principal Mass of Holy Thursday

9 p.m. – 11 p.m.: Altar of Repose

10 -11 p.m.: "Watch one Hour with Me"

A Time of Prayer, Song & Silence at the Altar of Repose

**GOOD FRIDAY – 7<sup>th</sup> April**

(Today is a Day of Fast & Abstinence)

10a.m. Morning Prayer of the Church

12 noon: Stations of the Cross

3 p.m.: Celebration of The Lord's Passion

8 p.m.: Stations of the Cross (Including Taizé Chant)

**HOLY SATURDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> APRIL**

10a.m. Morning Prayer of the Church .

10.30a.m – 12 Noon. Sacrament of Reconciliation (Rite 1)  
(Traditional Confession).

(No 6 p.m. Mass on Holy Saturday )

**EASTER VIGIL CELEBRATION & MASS**

9 p.m.: Celebration of the Resurrection of  
Our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

**EASTER SUNDAY – 9<sup>th</sup> April**

Easter Masses: 9.30a.m & 11.30a.m.

**HOLY SEE SPECIAL COLLECTION**

A collection for the Catholic community in the Holy Land and for the maintenance of the Holy Places there will take place on Good Friday at the end of the Celebration of the Lord's Passion.

**HOLY WEEK LITURGIES IN IRISH**

Holy Week liturgies in Irish in the Archdiocese of Dublin, for more information please see notices boards.

**PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK**

Date for your diary: 2023 Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock, which will be led by Archbishop Farrell, will take place on **Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup>** for more information please see notices boards.

**LOUGH DERG PILGRIMAGE 2023**

Lough Derg Pilgrimage season starting soon with many different retreats available.

For more information please see notice boards.

**DEANERY LENTEN / PRE-EASTER**

**RECONCILIATION / PENITENTIAL SERVICE**

The Deanery Lenten / Pre-Easter Reconciliation / Penitential Service (Celebration of God's Forgiveness with Communal Preparation and Individual Confession and Absolution - Rite 2 of the Sacrament of Reconciliation) will be at **7.30 pm in St Mary's Dominican Priory, Tallaght Village this Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> April** with many priests available for Individual Confession and Absolution. This Celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation is part of our parish's preparation to celebrate the Easter Triduum and Easter.

All are welcome to come and receive the Lord's Forgiveness.

**HOLY WEEK RETREAT - THE SELF EMPTYING OF CHRIST**

Facilitated by Fr Donagh O'Shea OP

Dominican Retreat Centre, Tallaght **April 5<sup>th</sup> (Wed) to 8<sup>th</sup> (Sat)** This retreat runs from Wednesday 7.30pm till Holy Saturday 2.00pm. **Full residential €300.**

**Non residential €60 per day** (Thurs, Fri incl. lunch, teas/coffees) Tel: (01) 404 8189/ 404 8123

[dominicanretreats@gmail.com](mailto:dominicanretreats@gmail.com) [www.goodnews.ie](http://www.goodnews.ie)

Advance booking essential - all welcome

**Mass Intentions for the Coming Week.**

Sat.1 <sup>st</sup> April. 6p.m.	Thomas Murphy	(Anniv.)
Sun. 2 <sup>nd</sup> April. 9.30a.m	T.J. Lyons	(Anniv.)
	Seán Lyons	(Anniv.)
	Tomás Lyons	(Anniv.)
Sun. 2 <sup>nd</sup> April. 11.30a.m.	Paddy Quinn	(Anniv.)
	Brian & Paddy Foley	(Anniv.)
	Edel Murray	(Rec. Dec.)
	Special Intention	
Mon. 3 <sup>rd</sup> April. 10a.m.	The Fitzgerald family on their recent Bereavement .	
Wed. 5 <sup>th</sup> April 10a.m.	Edel Murray	(Rec. Dec.)
Sat. 8 <sup>th</sup> April. 9 p.m.	Easter Mass Bouquets	
Sun. 9 <sup>th</sup> April. 9.30a.m.	Easter Mass Bouquets	
Sun. 9 <sup>th</sup> April. 11.30a.m.	Easter Mass Bouquets	

**WE EXTEND OUR SYMPATHY TO:**

Deirdre Kelly on the death of her Mother  
Ita Dunne R.I.P.

Aidan Holmes on the death of his Mother  
Sheila Holmes R.I.P.