



# Bohernabreena Parish

## St Anne's & Holy Rosary Churches

Reg. Charity No. 20016166



### Parish Bulletin

Sunday 29th March 2026 - PALM SUNDAY



Today's **first reading**, the third of Isaiah's four *Servant Songs*, like the other three, foreshadows Jesus' own life and mission. The Refrain for today's **Responsorial Psalm** (Ps 22), "**My God, My God, why have You abandoned Me?**" plunges us into the heart of Christ's Passion. The **Second Reading**, taken from Paul's letter to the Philippians, is an ancient Christian hymn representing a very early Christian understanding of who Jesus IS, and of how his mission saves us from sin and death. The first part of **today's Gospel** describes the royal reception Jesus received from his admirers, who paraded with him for a distance of the two miles between the Mount of Olives and the city of Jerusalem. In the second part of today's Gospel, we listen to participate in a reading of the Passion of Christ according to Matthew. We are challenged to examine our own lives in the light of some of the characters in the Passion story – like Peter who denied Jesus, Judas who betrayed Jesus, Herod who ridiculed Jesus, Pilate who acted against his conscience as he condemned Jesus to death on the cross, and the leaders of the people who thought to preserve their position by getting rid of Jesus. (frtonyshomilies.com)



**THE VINE GROUP  
MASS OF HEALING  
- ST. MARTIN'S CHURCH -  
WEDNESDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> APRIL - 7.30PM.**

**EASTER DUES**  
Easter dues envelopes are available at the back of both of our Churches. Donations made through the dues collections are paid directly to the Dublin Diocese to help support parish clergy, and sick and retired priests throughout the Diocese.

**COME AND SEE - "Finding faith supports today"**  
This Monday 30th March (7.00-8.30) will be the final event of a wonderful series. Eugene Smith will be guest speaker. Eugene has a wide experience of faith in different cultures.

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION**  
The monthly collection for the St Vincent de Paul Society will be taken up after all masses in the parish this weekend, 29th March. As always your generosity and ongoing support is greatly appreciated.



**EASTER RECONCILIATION SERVICE FOR OUR LOCAL DEANERY**  
A Reconciliation Services for parishioners throughout the Tallaght Deanery will be held in St Mary's Priory, Tallaght Village on Monday, 30th March at 7.30pm.

### WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

#### St Anne's Church

**Friday 10am Mass**  
27th March Eileen Bateman, 8th Anniversary

**Sunday 8.30am Mass**  
29th March Paddy Phibbs, Anniversary also Marie Kelly, Carol Phibbs and Jack & Josie McGrane.  
Sheila Flood, 6th Anniversary

#### Holy Rosary Church

**Sunday 10.30am Mass**  
For parishioners' intentions



### HOLY WEEK SERVICES

**Holy Thursday (2nd April)**  
**Mass of the Lord's Supper followed by Watch & Pray**  
7.00pm St Martin de Porres Church  
7.30pm Holy Rosary Church



**Good Friday (3rd April)**  
**Children's Stations of the Cross**  
12 Noon Holy Rosary Church  
12 Noon St Martin de Porres Church

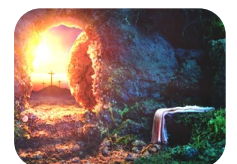


**Lord's Passion (followed by confessions)**  
3.00pm St Anne's Church  
3.00pm St Martin de Porres Church

**Stations of the Cross**  
7.00pm St Martin de Porres Church  
7.30pm St Anne's Church

**Holy Saturday (4th April)**  
11.00am Morning Prayer, St Martin de Porres Church  
8.00pm Easter Vigil, St Martin de Porres Church  
8.00pm Easter Vigil, St Anne's Church

**Easter Sunday (5th April)**  
8.30am St Anne's Church  
10.30am Holy Rosary Church  
12.30pm St Martin de Porres Church



**Monday 6th April** No mass in Holy Rosary Church  
**Tues 7th to Fri 10th April** 11am St Martin de Porres Church  
**Friday 10th April** No mass in St Anne's Church  
**Monday 13th April** No mass in Holy Rosary Church

## BOHERNABREENA - ST ANNE'S & HOLY ROSARY, ST MARTIN DE PORRES

### PARISH TEAM:

FR. JAMES DALY, PARISH PRIEST 085.2513 730  
FR. HECTOR MWALE, CHAPLAIN

FR. MICHAEL HURLEY, CHAPLAIN 01.4627 080  
REV. PÁDRAIC O'SULLIVAN, DEACON

### ST ANNE'S PARISH OFFICE

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### Mass Times St. Anne's:

Sunday 8.30am Friday 10am

### HOLY ROSARY PARISH OFFICE

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### Mass Times Holy Rosary:

Sunday 10.30am  
Monday 10am (except bank holidays)

### ST MARTIN DE PORRES PARISH OFFICE

Old Bawn, Tallaght., D24. Tel: 01-4510 160  
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Secretary: Ann O'Connor  
Office open 10.00am-12.30pm Mon-Thurs

### Mass Times St. Martin's:

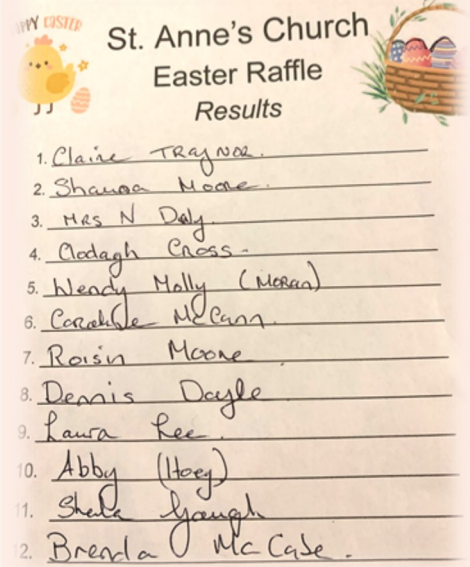
Saturday 7.00pm (Vigil) Sunday 12.30pm  
Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri 10.00am

Website: [www.bohernabreenaparish.com](http://www.bohernabreenaparish.com)

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/bohernabreenaparish](http://www.facebook.com/bohernabreenaparish)

Twitter: [www.twitter.com/Bohernabrparish](http://www.twitter.com/Bohernabrparish)

**St. Anne's Church Easter Bingo & Raffle** - Hugh thank you to all who supported our Easter Bingo and raffle on Tuesday evening. It was a great success with a full house on the night. Well done to all our winners.



### **RECOMMISSIONING OF EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

Eucharistic ministers will be recommissioned during our mass on Holy Thursday (7.30pm in Holy Rosary Church). All Eucharistic Ministers in the parish are invited to attend.

### **SAFEGUARDING TRAINING**

A full child safeguarding programme will be held in **Rosanna Hall** on **Saturday, 9th May** from **9am to 1pm**. The programme is for adult leaders who work with or will work directly with children or vulnerable adults. Please contact the parish offices if you would like to attend.



### **PRO TERRA SANCTA COLLECTION (GOOD FRIDAY)**

Following a request from the Holy See, Archbishop Farrell has this year again asked that we take up a collection at our services on Good Friday for the Holy Land (Pro Terra Sancta). This collection takes place in Diocese throughout the world.

### **PROPOSED PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK**

As part of St. Martin's significant year of celebration, we are considering organising a pilgrimage to Knock in conjunction with the Archdiocese of Dublin. The date for the pilgrimage is **Saturday 25th April 2026**. In order to proceed, we kindly request that you register your interest at your earliest convenience. Should sufficient interest be expressed, arrangements will be made to book a coach and confirm individual costs. *If you wish to participate or require additional information, please contact the Parish Office 01-4510 160.*



**Eucharistic Adoration takes place following 10am Mass in Holy Rosary Church each Monday.**



### **Help Us Create a Museum to Holy Rosary!** **FOR OUR 40<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY!**

HOLY ROSARY  
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Do you have old photos, newsletters, art, posters, or news clippings tucked away in attics or boxes?

We'd love to borrow them!

**Friday April 17th, 6.30 - 8.30pm**

Please drop anything you'd like to share into the school by **March 13th** so we can prepare them for display. Everything will be returned to you.

#### **Come along and reminisce!**

Past pupils, past parents and past staff are all invited to come and see fabulous old photos, newsletters, posters, documents, and more!

Tea, biscuits, and conversation will be flowing! Help spread the word and share this invitation with anyone who might like to join us!

**ALL WELCOME!**

**PLANNED GIVING / FAMILY CONTRIBUTIONS** - The new year for the Planned Giving scheme in our parish starts in March 2026. In advance of that we appeal to any parishioners who may not have contributed to the planned giving in the past, but who may now be in a position to do so to consider a small regular donation to the Planned Giving. A donation of €5 per week equates to approximately €250 per year—this enables us to also avail of a tax refund on any Charitable Donations over €250 directly from Revenue, with no additional cost to the parishioners.

This weekly or monthly contribution is the **ONLY** income which stays in the parish to cover the cost of the day to day running of our Churches—maintenance and repairs of buildings, insurance, altar supplies, office supplies, candles, printing, salaries and the general operational costs of running the parish. The two collections taken up during mass, as well as any Dues envelopes, are paid directly to the Dublin Diocese and do not remain in the parish.

***If you would like to contribute by weekly envelope, or by monthly standing order, please contact our parish offices for more information.***