



Saint Brigid's Parish

Pastoral Community of South and East Belfast

Palm Sunday

10th April 2022, Year C, Psalter Week 2

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Palm Sunday

First Reading: Reading from the Prophet Isaiah Is 50:4-7

I did not cover my face against insult – I know I shall not be shamed.

Responsorial Psalm: Ps21:8-9.17-20.23-24

R/. My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?

Second Reading: Reading from letter of St Paul to the Philippians Phil 2:6-11

He humbled himself, but God raised him high.

Gospel: The passion of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

Anniversary List

Please pray for Noreen McGreevy and Niall Parkhill recently deceased, Gerard McSorley whose month's mind it is and for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Kevin O'Hare, Tom and Catherine Walls, Mary Molloy, Sean Dynan, Mena Lyons, Rev Ciaran Woods, May McGahan

May they rest in peace

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Weekly Collection 3rd April: £5693.99

Monthly Collection 3rd April: £3431.97

Thank you for your continued support.

The Liturgy

Sunday Mass

Saturday: 6.00 pm (Vigil Mass)

Sunday: 9.30 am
12.00 noon

Weekday Mass

Monday: 7:00 pm
Tuesday: 9.30 am
Wednesday: 9.30 am
Thursday: 9.30 am
Friday: 7:00 pm
Saturday: 12 noon



Confession

Monday: 7.30 pm – 8.00 pm

Friday: 6.30 pm – 7.00 pm

Saturday: 12.30 pm – 1.00 pm &
5.30 pm – 6:00 pm

Baptisms

1st & 3rd Sunday of the Month
Please contact the Parish Office

Marriages

At least 6 months' notice required prior to date of Marriage.
Please contact Fr O'Donnell

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday 7.30 pm – 8.00 pm

Bulletin Notices and Anniversary's

Bulletin Notices should be with the Parish Office by **12 noon on Thursday** to be included in the weekend bulletin. Thank you.



LAST CHANCE TO GET YOUR TICKETS!

EASTER RAFFLE

in aid of

ST BRIGID'S THIRD WORLD GROUP



*****Raffle ends 5.15pm on Wednesday 13th April*****

Prizes include: £500 voucher for Lough Erne Resort, £100 vouchers for Deanes and Shu Restaurants, £400 Curry's voucher, £100 Space NK voucher, Toshiba Tablet, 2 cases of premium wine, 2 Fortnum and Mason hampers, Apple watch, £300 and £200 One4all vouchers, 12 session Yoga Class at Bliss Wellness

Tickets £5 each – to Purchase online – click the link below:

[Enter Raffle to Win St Brigids Belfast Hosted By paddy turnbull \(raffall.com\)](http://paddy.turnbull.com)

Or phone Kevin on 07525634440 anytime



Parish Office Closure Times Over Easter

The Parish Office will be **closed** from 1.00 pm on Holy Thursday (14th April) and **reopen** on Thursday 21st April at 9.00 am. *Wishing everyone a Happy Easter!*

*****CLOSING DATE FOR SYNOD RESPONSES IS SUNDAY 10TH APRIL*****

To complete our questionnaire and Join the Conversation please visit: stbrigidsparishbelfast.org/synod



Attending Sunday/Holyday Mass

With the easing of Covid-19 restrictions, it is encouraging to see a return to a fuller liturgical life in our parishes. Thankful that we can once again gather as communities of faith, **the Irish Bishops have announced that attending Mass on Sunday and Holydays of Obligation will from Easter Sunday (17th April 2022) once again be deemed an essential expression of faith.** As always, those whose health is vulnerable, or who are unwell, or are anxious about entering crowds are not under any obligation to attend Mass.

Contactless Donations by DONA

Soon you will find our new **DIGITAL COLLECTION PLATE**, in the church foyer to make contactless donations via debit/credit card or smart phone/device (NFC).



Contactless donations are simple to administer, secure and convenient. Simply choose a collection and the amount you wish to donate and hold your card onto the reader.

You can also opt-in for Gift Aid to increase your donation by 25%. You will be asked to enter your name and address details for Gift Aid. These details will be saved for the next time you use your card so there is no need to re-enter each time.

Payments can also be made through our website also. If you are an envelope holder, you can enter your envelope number in the comment/note section.

To donate go to: stbrigidsparishbelfast.org/parish-info/donate-online

Or visit: donate.mydona.com/st-brigids-parish-derryvolgie

Holy Week Ceremonies

Today is Palm Sunday and the beginning of Holy Week.

Saturday 9th April: 6 pm (Vigil)
Palm Sunday 10th April 9.30 am and 12 noon

Monday 11th April: 7.00 pm

Tuesday 12th April: 9.30 am

Wednesday 13th April: 9.30 am

There will be an opportunity for confessions after all masses



Holy Thursday (14th April)

Mass of the Lord's Supper: **7.00 pm**

Good Friday (15th April):

Celebration of the Lord's Passion: **3.00 pm**

Keeping Station at the Cross: **7.30 pm**

Holy Saturday (16th April):

Easter Vigil Mass of the Resurrection: **9.00 pm**

PLEASE NOTE: *There will be no 12noon or 6 pm Vigil Mass on Holy Saturday*

Easter Sunday (17th April): 9.30 am and 12 noon

Easter Week & Following Week Mass Times: (18th April – 1st May)

Monday to Friday: 9.30 am

(NB: There will be NO evening Masses on Monday and Friday)

Saturday: 12 noon and 6pm (Vigil)

Sunday: 9.30 am and 12 Noon

Fr O'Donnell is taking a break from 24th – 30th April