



Parish of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Parish Newsletter

30th March 2025

Fourth Sunday of Lent



VOLUNTEER MUSICIANS NEEDED

Our Family Mass is on this Sunday and the last Sunday of each Month at 11am. We are currently looking for volunteer musicians to play at the monthly family Mass. If you are interested, please give your name to the parish office or email office@dalkeyparish.ie (Note; there is no Family Mass in July and August)



We welcome the local school children who will be making their
Confirmation over the next 2 weeks.

3rd April - Castlepark School

8th April - Loreto Primary School

10th April - Harold Boys National School



CLOCKS GO FORWARD SUNDAY 30th MARCH 2025

DALKEY ECUMENICAL LENT EVENINGS 2025

with Church of the Assumption & St Patricks Church Community

LENTEN TALKS; FINDING HEALING - Physical, Emotional, Spiritual and Social

Tuesdays at 7.30pm in Our Lady's Hall with refreshments to follow.

April 1st: Social and Community Healing: Fr Jim Caffrey and Revd Nigel Pierpoint,
Parishes of Balally and Taney, Dundrum.



CASA charity bags will be distributed on this weekend and collected on the 5th/6th April 2025. What can be donated: Accessories (bags, belts, hats, scarves etc), Bed linen, Bric-a-Brac, Clothing, Homewares (ornaments, china, kitchenware, pictures), Perfume, Recently published books (in good condition), Unwanted gifts. We cannot accept duvets, pillows, toys or electrical items.

2025 JUBILEE YEAR PILGRIMAGE: The dates are 4th to 9th September 2025, led by Archbishop Farrell. The Pilgrimage is a fully escorted tour including: direct return flight from Dublin to Lourdes, airport transfers and assistance between Lourdes Airport and the hotels, five nights' accommodation, meals, 20kg check-in luggage plus one small personal item in the cabin and full services of Joe Walsh Tours guides and representatives throughout. **FURTHER INFORMATION** info@joewalshstours.ie or phone Dublin: 01 241 0800. Enquiries about travelling as a Sick/Assisted Pilgrim should be made to Deirdre Daly, Administrative Secretary, info@lourdes.dublindiocese.ie / 01 8087555.

The **ANNUAL ASH WEDNESDAY SOUP LUNCH**

organisers would like to thank everyone who came to support the soup lunch and to all for their generous donations to St Vincent De Paul chapter in the National Rehabilitation Hospital. The donation total came to €3,018.

ALL NIGHT VIGIL

Friday 4th / Saturday 5th April

Our Lady of Victories, Sallynoggin/Glenageary
Join us in Adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. Beginning with Rosary 9am on Friday, concluding with Holy Mass Saturday 9am. Car Parking and Refreshments.

DIOCESAN OFFICE MISSION & MINISTRY

Diocesan Lent Resource; The Diocesan Lent resource for 2025 focusses on the prayer for the Jubilee Year of Hope. Each week there is a podcast reflection to guide individuals or groups in a time of prayer. The podcast is accompanied by a printable version and 'How to Use' guide, for those who might wish to use it. The resource will be available each Thursday in Lent from the Lent 2025 section of the Office of Mission and Ministry of the diocese. website: www.missionministry.ie.

OUR LADY'S CHORAL SOCIETY

CELEBRATING 80 YEARS OF MUSIC-MAKING

Presents

THE SEVEN LAST WORDS OF OUR SAVIOUR ON THE CROSS

JOSEPH HAYDN



www.olcs.ie

KATY KELLY
soprano

RAPHAELA MANGAN
alto

ANDREW GAVIN
tenor

JOHN MOLLOY
bass

RTÉ CONCERT ORCHESTRA • PROINNSÍAS Ó DUINN, conductor

ADAM AND EVE'S CHURCH, MERCHANT'S QUAY

SATURDAY 12th APRIL 2025 at 4.00pm (one hour duration)

TICKET €22.50

Springtime



in the Soul

Martina Lehane Sheehan

5 April (Sat. 10am—4pm)

Journeying through Lent towards horizons of Easter Hope. As we move closer to Holy Week, we will enter deeply into the heart of healing and transformation through input, meditation, scripture, poetry etc.

Cost: €65 including lunch

THANK YOU on Behalf of "The Friends of the Forgotten Irish Emigrants", I am delighted to let you know that a total of €6,002,70 was ultimately raised in the St Joseph's Parish Centre, Glashule on St Patrick's Day 2025. Incredibly money continued to pour in both before and after the event by those who could not attend in person. I wish to extend my sincere gratitude to St Joseph's Parish Centre, to all those who attended and supported the event, to those who financially contributed, to our fantastic sponsors and, of course, to the amazing volunteers who gave so freely of their time. Thank you all. The total proceeds (with no expenses or deductions) will be donated to the London Irish Centre, St Gabriel's Hostel, Archway, and the Irish Chaplaincy. With heartfelt thanks, Margaret Brown

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HOPE CORNER

"Consult not your fears but your hopes and your dreams. Think not about your frustrations, but about your unfulfilled potential. Concern yourself not with what you tried and failed in, but with what it is still possible for you to do."

—Pope John XXIII

PARISH BABY AND TODDLER PLAYGROUP



When: Every Monday
Morning during School Term

Where: Our Lady's Hall (Back entrance,
SuperValu carpark)

Time: 10.30 am – 12.00pm

€2 entrance, Free Tea/Coffee

All Welcome



Please support **Trócaire** this Lent by taking a Trócaire envelope from the porches of the church, inside of which you will find your Lenten Trócaire box. Please take some for neighbours and friends. Our support to the Trócaire Lenten box has a long tradition in Ireland. Please continue your support for some of the poorest communities on the planet. many great resources, visit the Trócaire website <https://www.trocaire.org/>

Sunday Masses: 9:00am and 11:00am

Vigil Mass: 6:00pm Saturday

Daily Mass: 10:00am.

Family Mass: 11:00am - Last Sunday of every month

Compline: Every Wednesday 6.30pm

The rosary is said after 10:00am Mass on weekdays.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place on Mondays after 10.00 Mass until 4.00pm (*Except on public holidays when exposition takes place on Tuesday*)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Every Thursday 7pm - 8pm

CONFESSIONS - Every Saturday morning after 10am Mass unless there is a funeral.

Priests of the Parish:

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Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

*'Here I am, Lord! I come
to do your will'* *Psalm 39 (40): 8-9*



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Adoration after 10am mass to 4pm every Monday & our Holy Hour 7-8pm every Thursday is also live on the web