

Parish of ST MARY'S *on the HILL* 15th/16th May 2021

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**The Parish Office is open Monday -Thursday
9am-2pm. Closed on Friday**

RECENTLY DECEASED

Sadie Kelly, Carnmoney Rd

Celso Bautista, Sr Mary Kathleen Murray

MONTHS MIND

Arthur Black

ANNIVERSARIES

Anne McKinney, Joe, Betty & Paul Craig, Patirck & Maggie Pedlow, Elizabeth Swindles, Patrick Austin, Sammie Coulter, Conor Murphy, Gabriel O'Toole, Paddy & Maureen Hennessy, Jim McVeigh, Harry Savage

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Sat 15th 6pm Joe, Betty & Paul Craig
Sun 16th 9am Celso Bautista
Ascension 11am Anne McKinney 1st anniv
12.30pm Patrick & Maggie Pedlow
Mon 17th 10am Elizabeth Swindles
Tues 18th 10am Patrick Austin 1st anniv
Wed 19th 10am Sr Mary Kathleen Murray
Thurs 20th 10am Sammie Coulter & Conor Murphy
Fri 21st 10am Special intention
Sat 22nd 10am Gabriel O'Toole

Confessions: Easter to Pentecost

Thursdays 12.00 -1.00pm at Adoration

Fridays 7.00-7.30pm at Divine Mercy

Saturdays 9.30-9.55am before Mass



We welcome into the People of God
**Mia Beth Brady, Banba Annie Ní Dhomhnaill
& Ronin Peter McLaughlin**
who were baptised recently in our parish.

PARISH COLLECTIONS

MONTH OF April 2021

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4
£6751.44	£3250.65	£2771.65	£2622.78
Monthly Stipend	Building Fund	Easter Offering	
£4472.86	£1797.57	£3315.48	

Thank You for your support

FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS St Bernard's Church 4pm

St Bernard's P.S. P4 DD	Monday 17 th May
St Bernard's P.S. P4 KG	Tuesday 18 th May
St Bernard's P.S. P4 MC	Wednesday 19 th May
Glengormley I.S. P4s	Thursday 20 th May

CONFIRMATIONS St Bernard's Church 4pm

M Meyer - Parish Group	Sunday 23 rd May 11am
St Marys on the Hill P7A	Monday 7 th June
St Marys on the Hill P7B	Tuesday 8 th June
St MacNissi' P7	Wednesday 9 th June
Glengormley I.S. P7s	Friday 11 th June
St Bernard's P7 PM	Tuesday 15 th June
St Bernard's P7 MMC	Wednesday 16 th June
St Bernard's P7 DT	Thursday 17 th June

WHAT ARE THE PRESENT GUIDELINES FOR ATTENDING ST BERNARD'S CHURCH?

To attend mass in St Bernard's 'book a pew' on the parish website – stmarysonthehill.online
St Marys on the Hill Church is still temporarily closed as it cannot facilitate social distancing.

Baptisms are presently celebrated individually and **10-15 people** are permitted to attend. Email the parish office to make enquiries.

Weddings now permit 50 people to attend including the Bride & Groom.

Funerals now permit 50 people to attend including children under 12yrs old.

The Executive Review will be on 24th May.

A 'MARATHON' OF PRAYER

"Prayer by the Church was fervently being made to God (Acts 12:5)"

Pope Francis is leading a month of prayer to help the world recover physically and spiritually from the pandemic and bringing it to an end. On 1st May he will begin special recitation of the Rosary from Marian Shrines throughout the world – a different shrine each day (Knock 10th May) – ending Sunday 30th May. He invites all to join him virtually through the Vatican Website (5pm our time – 6pm Rome time), in their parishes or in their homes. The parish will prayer the Rosary before 10am mass Monday-Saturday beginning at 9.40am. For families with young children a full Rosary might be very long, so why not say *one decade per night Monday to Friday* – 1st week Joyful mysteries, 2nd week mysteries of Light, 3rd week Sorrowful mysteries, 4th week Glorious mysteries. Families celebrating Holy Communion might like to take this on for this month of May. Those by themselves at home or shielding can follow a 'sung' rosary on the parish website – stmarysonthehill.online



FAMILY ROSARY FOR MAY WITH POPE FRANCIS

One decade a night Monday-Friday



MAY	JOYFUL MYSTERIES
Monday 3rd	<i>The Angel Gabriel announces Good News 1 Our Father -10 Hail Marys-1 Glory be</i>
Tuesday 4th	<i>Mary visits her cousin Elizabeth</i>
Wednesday 5th	<i>Jesus is born in Bethlehem</i>
Thursday 6th	<i>Baby Jesus is blessed in the Temple</i>
Friday 7th	<i>The boy Jesus is found teaching in the Temple</i>
	MYSTERIES OF LIGHT
Monday 10th	<i>Jesus is baptized and filled with the Holy Spirit</i>
Tuesday 11th	<i>Jesus works a miracle at the wedding in Cana</i>
Wednesday 12th	<i>Jesus proclaims the Kingdom of God has come</i>
Thursday 13th	<i>Jesus is transfigured and reveals his Glory</i>
Friday 14th	<i>Jesus celebrates the Last Supper: the Eucharist</i>
	SORROWFUL MYSTERIES
Monday 17th	<i>Jesus in the garden of Gethsemane</i>
Tuesday 18th	<i>Jesus is scourged (whipped) at the pillar</i>
Wednesday 19th	<i>Jesus is crowned with a crown of thorns</i>
Thursday 20th	<i>Jesus carried his cross to Calvary</i>
Friday 21st	<i>Jesus dies on the cross</i>
	GLORIOUS MYSTERIES
Monday 24th	<i>Jesus rises from the dead</i>
Tuesday 25th	<i>Jesus ascends to the Father in Heaven</i>
Wednesday 26th	<i>The Holy Spirit comes upon the apostles</i>
Thursday 27th	<i>Mary is assumed into Heaven</i>
Friday 28th	<i>Mary is crowned Queen of Heaven</i>