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Reception and Religious Goods Store

Monday-Saturday: 9.30am—1pm; 2.00pm—5.30pm
Sunday: Closed

Please join us online via our webcam. Online donations can be made at www.redemptoristsdundalk.ie/donate.

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday: 9.30am
Vigil: 6.30pm

Sunday: 9.30am; 11.00am;
12.30pm

Weekdays Mass Times:

8.30am & 9.30am

Bank Holiday

9.30am

Holy Days of Obligation

Vigil 7.30pm
9.30am

Devotions

Sunday 7pm

Novena to St Gerard

Wednesday: 9.30am & 7.30pm

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help:

Saturday 9.30am

Confessions

Weekdays 10am-10.30am

Wednesdays 10am-10.30am;
7.00pm —7.20pm

Saturday 10am—11 am; 4pm-5pm

No Confessions on Bank Holidays



**Sunday 13th April 2025.
Passion (Palm) Sunday.**

Pope Francis: *let us witness to the newness, hope and joy that the Lord brings to life. Let us feel within us 'the delightful and comforting joy of evangelizing' (Paul VI). Evangelizing gives us joy. Egoism makes us bitter, sad and depresses us. Evangelizing uplifts us.*

The Jubilee Year of Hope: *The theme 'Pilgrims of Hope' reflects the Church's desire to guide us on a journey of hope in a world marked by challenges and uncertainties. The Jubilee Year encourages us to reflect on our spiritual journey, renew our commitment to Christ and share hope with others.*

During Holy Week the Church celebrates the mysteries of salvation accomplished by Christ in the final days of his life on earth.

THURSDAY: THE MASS OF THE LAST SUPPER AT 7.30PM, FOLLOWED BY ADORATION AT THE ALTAR OF REPOSE UNTIL 10.00PM.

FRIDAY: THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION AT 3.00PM

FRIDAY: THE WAY OF THE CROSS AT 7.00PM.

SATURDAY: THE EASTER VIGIL AT 9.00PM. THIS IS THE HIGH POINT OF OUR LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS. JESUS IS RAISED FROM THE DEAD WE CELEBRATE THE VICTORY OF LIFE OVER DEATH. THE RESURRECTION IS THE CORNERSTONE OF OUR FAITH.

MORNING PRAYER OF THE CHURCH: ON THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, WITH THE REDEMPTORIST COMMUNITY IN THE CHURCH AT 9.30AM. ALL ARE WELCOME.

CONFESSION TIMES: WEDNESDAY -10AM TO 11AM AND 6.30PM TO 7.30PM; THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY - 10AM TO 12 NOON AND 4PM TO 6PM.

The Collection on Good Friday will be designated, as has been the custom, for the Holy Places in the Holy Land. At this time of conflict and suffering in the middle east, the challenge for Christians to protect and preserve the Holy Places is all the greater.

Collection and Envelopes: last week-end's collection was €2,552.74. The contribution from the parish envelopes was €500.00. Thank you for your generosity.

Trócaire Boxes: Please return your Trócaire Box to reception. If you return it on a Saturday night or Sunday, please bring it to the sacristy.

Eucharistic Ministers: Paul Lambe has resigned from his role as coordinator of this group after twenty-two years of service. All at St. Joseph's are deeply grateful to Paul for his dedication and commitment over such a long period. Bernie Lennon will now assume the mantle. Our thanks to Bernie for her availability and we wish her well in her new role.

On Easter Sunday, there will be a **bake sale outside the Church** after morning Masses to raise funds to help young people from Dundalk who will be attending the **European Redemptorist Youth Congress** this summer. Your support will be greatly appreciated in helping them take part in this unique experience. If you would like to help in any way with the bakesale, please contact **Colm Óg Marks, the group coordinator**, by emailing emarks@cssr.ie or calling **085 856 3142**.

Mass for Brazilians will be celebrated on Easter Sunday at 3.00pm.

**Anniversaries and Mass Intentions
Please Pray for the Repose of the Souls of:**

Saturday

- 9.30am The O'Connor & Johnston families; Bozo Zajc; Jakob & Pavao Setnik;
- 6.30pm Living & deceased members of the Kirk, Dolan & Duffy families; Peter Clerkin & deceased members of the Clerkin & Collins families; James & Catherine Clifford; Paddy Smyth; May Hearty, Meadow Grove; Margaret Ryan, Point Rd; Stephen Walsh, Mountainview Crescent; Ned Smyth, 2nd anniversary; Maureen & John McArdle; Mary-Ann & Tommy Martin, Cluan Enda; Jimmy "Busby" Martin, Oliver Plunkett Park; Mickey & Jimmy Martin, Oakland Park; Ian Campbell, Beechmount Drive; Carmel Wilson, 20th anniversary;

Sunday

- 9.30am Catriona Nixon, 2nd anniversary; Joe & Nora Murphy;
- 11.00am Dessie & Damien Rogers; Carmel McAllister; Fr. Tom Hamill; Pauline Byrne, 4th anniversary; Bozo Zajc; Jakob & Pavao Setnik;
- 12.30pm **The People:** The month's mind of Carmel Muckian (née Roddy). Mountainview Crescent; The month's mind of Sheila McGrane (née Duffy), Slieve Foy Park; Sheila McKeivitt, 4th anniversary, Newry Rd; Anthony Gonnely; Thomas McEvoy, 37th anniversary;

Monday

- 8.30am Book of Intentions
- 9.30am Vera Woods; Bridget & Thomas Byrne & deceased family members; Josephine & Thomas Green & deceased family members; A special intention for exam success for brothers Daniel & Colin;

Tuesday

- 8.30am Book of Intentions
- 9.30am James Kenny; Patsy Clyne & deceased family members; Joe & Margaret Byrne, Nicholas St; Sean McKeown;

Wednesday

- 8.30am Sr. Elizabeth Dromey
- 9.30am Marie Garvey (née Toal); Special Intention for exam success for Pdraig Jackson;
- 7.30pm St. Gerard's Novena & Vocations; Those enrolled in St. Gerard's Family League; Briege Treanor (née Granell); Teresa & Thomas Maguire, Grangegeeth, Collon;

Thursday

- 9.30am Prayer of the Church
- 7.30pm Solemn Mass of the Lord's Supper

Friday

- 9.30am Prayer of the Church
- 3.00pm Solemn Celebration of Our Lord's Passion & Holy Communion .
- 7.00pm The Way of the Cross

**Eucharistic Ministers—Sunday 13th
April**

6.30pm : Host: Patricia Beggy; Patricia Finlay; Ray McGuinness; Carol McGuinness; Marie McGahon; Paul Lambe; Dermot Hanratty

9.30am: Host: Pat Gaskin; Paul Lambe. Sr. Leonie; Eugene Garvey; Marie McGahon, Patricia Finlay; Dermot Hanratty

11.00am: Host: Mary McKenna; Marie Agnew; Gerry Mone; Geraldine Moore; Caroline Neary; Kathleen McCabe/Yvonne Gregory; Dermot Hanratty

12.30pm: Host: Anita McEneaney; Patricia Finlay; Noeleen O'Rourke; Brenda Roddy; Rebecca Cullen; Anne Kirk; Dermot Hanratty

**Readers of the Word—Sunday 13th
April**

- 6.30pm: Siobhan Sharkey
9.30am: John Kelly
11.00am: Yvonne Gregory
12.30pm: Colletta Dalikeni

Baptisms

We welcome the children who received the sacrament of baptism into our faith community in the past month:

- Alexander James Adeniyi
Éabha Kayla McCaffrey
Fionn Billy McKenna
Hudson James Finley
Esmae Rose Gover Kavanagh
Luke Thomas Casey Gill
Lily Marie-Anne Farrell
Sáibh Lakin
Faye O'Connor
Ellie Rowan O'Rourke McKenna

Bookings

If interested in booking Weddings or Baptisms please visit the Reception or call – **042 933 4042**

Recently Deceased

Gerard (Gerry) Curran; Jimmy Moran; Michael Rafferty; Alphonsus Muldoon; David McGuinness; Denis Winters; Ranier (Patrick) Gaspar; Kathleen Watters (née McGrath); Paudge McCauley; Michael Landy;

