

He Is Risen



John 20



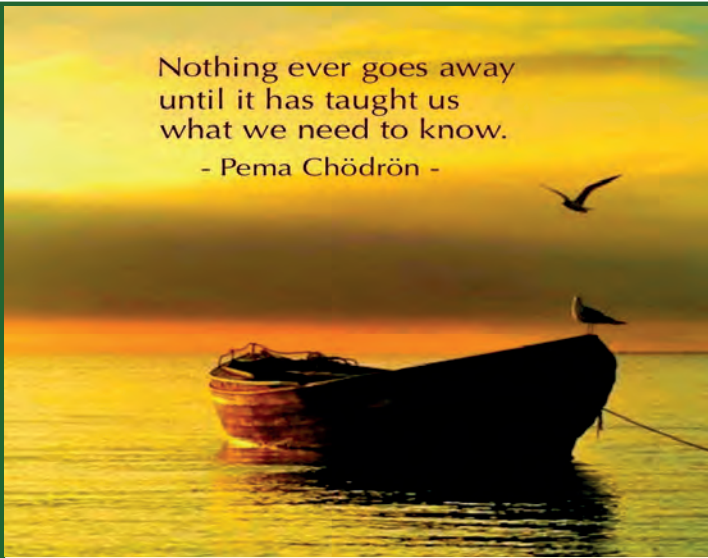
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Nothing ever goes away
until it has taught us
what we need to know.

- Pema Chödrön -



Easter Sunday

The first light of Easter dawn had begun to creep over the horizon. The steadfast women from Friday's gory events are returning again to the body of their Lord. "Who will roll back the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?" How quickly we return to mundane concerns and how thoroughly God wants to surprise us! Imagine the utter shock upon seeing the stone rolled away, the tomb empty, and a stranger clothed in light proclaiming the impossible. "You seek Jesus of Nazareth, the crucified. He has been raised; he is not here." He is risen indeed and the world will never be the same. We know from other Gospel passages that Mary Magdalene made haste to the disciples to proclaim the Good News. We know that Peter and John rushed to the tomb to see for themselves. We know that the wonder and awe of the Resurrection permeated the lives of the apostles until their own dying day.

Can we comprehend the utterly world-changing nature of this surprise? The historical reanimation of a dead man is of no real value to us. But we know that Easter Sunday is so much more. By the Resurrection of Jesus, life has triumphed over death for us all. The gates of heaven are opened and the treasury of graces is poured out upon the here and now. This Resurrection Day, let us draw near, amazed yet unafraid, to the risen Christ. Let us recall the words of Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, "Jesus is not a character from the past. He lives, and he walks before us as one who is alive, he calls us to follow him, the living one, and in this way to discover for ourselves the path of life" (Easter Vigil, April 15, 2006).

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Easter Vigil 8.00pm Prayers for all Parishioners

Sun: 11.30am Prayers for all Parishioners

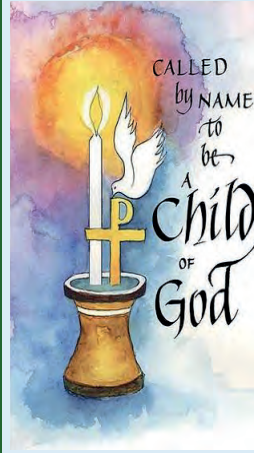
**Mon: 10am Robert Bergin (A),
also brothers Andrew & Mark**

Tues: 9.30am Frank & Kathleen O'Keeffe (A),

Wed: 9.30am (No Mass—Liturgy of the Word)

Thurs: 9.30am Mary Courtney (B.R.),

Fri: 9.30am Martin Gleeson (A),



We Welcome to our Christian Community these Children as they were baptised in March and we congratulate their parents and families.

Fionn Edward Cuddy,
Caleb Keith McCluskey Whelan
Ben Richard Kelly Ellis
Oscar Edward Quinn
Isabella Joyce
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Opening Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9.30am - 12.30pm (Office is closed on Wednesdays)

Website: www.bonnybrookparish.ie

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Mass Times

Sunday Vigil: (Saturday Evening) 7.00pm

Sunday: 9.30am & 11.30am

Monday - Friday: 9.30am

Saturday morning: No Mass

BAPTISMS (A months Notice must be given)

Second Saturday of each month at 12.00pm

Fourth Sunday of each month at 12.30pm



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

St. Joseph's the Artisan Church

Bonnybrook Parish, Greencastle Road

8th April 2018

Confession: 2.15 pm

Chaplet 2.30 pm

Rosary 2.45 pm

Mass 3.00pm

Fr. Des Mc Naboe



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Frances Stephenson, Director of Marriage Education

Jennifer Griffin, Director of Counselling


**Parish Office will be closed Easter Week
and will re-open Monday the 9th April**



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QUESTION:

What is the most important holiday on the Catholic calendar?

ANSWER:

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When Jesus died and rose again, he destroyed the ultimate weapon of sin and made it possible for us to have eternal life with him in Heaven. Without the resurrection, St. Paul tells us, our faith is in vain. This past Holy Week, we walked through the Paschal Mystery, the suffering, death, and resurrection of Christ. Easter is commemorated each time we celebrate the Mass. As St. John Paul II said, "we are an Easter people and alleluia is our song!" Jesus was born for Easter. Our joyful celebration of the resurrection is at the core of what it means to be a Christian!



INSPIRATION

Christ is risen indeed! We have arrived at the penultimate feast on the Church's calendar, the cause of our joy and our hope. Life has defeated death. Sorrow and suffering do not have the last say. In the resurrection of Jesus we see many reasons to rejoice. Not only has Jesus conquered the spectre of visible death, but he restores to us graced life. On Holy Saturday, Jesus descended to the dead and delivered the just souls into heavenly paradise. What are our own Saturday tombs? Jesus has the power to open them all. That is our invitation, this day most of all. May resurrection joy fill your heart, your family, your workplace, and your community.
Happy Easter!



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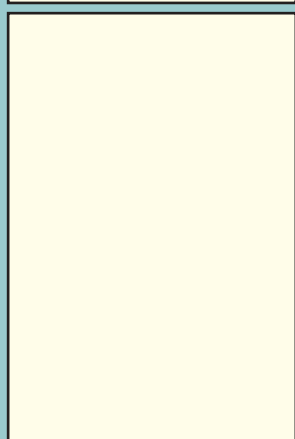
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