**Celebrating the Liturgy** 

Weekend Mass Times: Confessions:

Sat. (Vigil) 6.30pm Saturday after 10.00am Mass

Sunday: 10.00am & 12 Noon 5.30 - 6.15pm

Weekday: Adoration of the Blessed

**Sacrament:** 

Monday 7.30pm Wed. & Thurs. 10.30am – 9.00pm

Tues - Sat. 10.00am Sat. 10.30am – 12.00 Noon

**Divine Office:** Marriage:

Morning Prayer: Mon. 10.00am 6 months' notice required (Followed by Rosary) Please contact Fr McGrady

Thurs: 10am (followed by Mass)

#### **Baptism:**

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of the month at 1.15pm

Contact the parish office to book – One month's notice is required.

St Anne's One World Group Congratulations- The Mother's Day Ballot winners;  $1^{st}$  C Lynch,  $2^{nd}$  M Jordan,  $3^{rd}$  E Rooney,  $4^{th}$  M McKeown. The Ballot Raised an amazing £560.75, Traidcraft sales £276.50, S/hand Books £50, Donations \$ cards £64.44. Sincere thanks for your continued generosity and support. Next Stall  $9^{th}$  &  $10^{th}$  April.

Tobar Mhuire: - 2016 significant events. Pope Francis has declared a Year of Mercy; the commemoration of the Easter Rising of 1916, and the Battle of the Somme.
 Tobar Mhuire will look at the significance of all these events. - Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March at 7.30pm; The Role of the Passionists in the 1916 Easter Rising. - Speaker Brian McKee.

#### Assumption Grammar School – Post 16 Information Afternoon

Information afternoon Tue March 22<sup>nd</sup> at 4pm for Year 12 pupils wishing to transfer & girls interested in joining the school in Year 11 in September 2016.

#### Irish Dance Class -Peacock Academy of Irish Dance Class,

for boys and Girls 4+ to compete or for fun. Beginning Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April 5.30pm to 6.30pm run by Karly Peacock T.C.R.G. and Shannon Peacock, in St Anne's Parish Centre. *Call Karly on 0751551007 to sign-up or for info. Spaces limited.* 

Parish Finance – The Weekly collection amounted to: £2201.15
Sincere thanks for your continued generosity.
Altar Society, Church Cleaners: Group A this week.

St Anne's Parish, Spring Ball - Malone Suite, Ramada Hotel, Shaws Bridge Friday, 29th April - Drinks Reception 7.15pm - kindly sponsored by ESS Dinner 8pm - Dancing to 1.00am - Tickets £30 each or book a table for 8-12 people. Dress Code: Smart Casual. Everyone welcome. Tickets are now available from: the Parish Office or Anne on: 07762 936262



# St. Anne's Parish

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### Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord 20<sup>th</sup> March 2016 Year C Psalter 2

#### First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7

O for the gift of a well-trained tongue! The gift of sustaining the weary with a well-chosen word would be the pastor's dream. The struggle, like that of Isaiah, is not to be confounded but to continue with open ear, with flint-like resolve to be servant-leaders, akin to the suffering servant who leads us from shame to grace.

## Responsorial Psalm 21 My God, my God, why have you forsaken me? -

#### **Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11**

Saint Paul turns poet in this reading. It is thought that he was reciting an already well-versed prayer. Emptying the self; obedience to god's ways, will and word; humility and a spirit of service; these are the hallmarks of him whose name we bear as a Christian people.

#### Gospel: Luke 22:14-23:56

Palm Sunday opens out into a week that is the highpoint of the Church Year and a template for the life of every Christian. The events of Holy Week are the events of any of our lives – in miniature. The past is present; re-presented in the stories of Holy Week.

#### **Recently Deceased**

Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of: Dympna Fitzsimons who died recently.

Fr Brian Tumelty, Walter O'Neill, Michael McGovern, Esther Dynan, Des Cummings, Carmel McCloskey, Jim Cunningham, Maureen O'Hagan, Alfie McDonagh, Sheila Gillen and Paddy Carmichael whose anniversaries are at this time and those whose names are in the Book of Remembrance.

May they Rest in peace. Amen

#### Easter Penitential Services - St Anne's - Sunday, 20th March 4pm

St Colman's – Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> March 7pm

Church of the Nativity – Wed. 23<sup>rd</sup> March 7.30pm with Divine Mercy Holy Hour

#### Year of Mercy 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Good Friday Falls/Shankill Walk – March 25th

Prayer Walk beginning at 4.45pm outside Clonard Church and finishing Clonard's Holy Door at 6.00pm.. All are welcome! Contact Ed Petersenfor more details (Tel. 90445950).

#### "Annual Pilgrimage to Shrine of Ven. Matt Talbot is - Sat. 2nd April,

bus leaving St. Anne's car park @ 8 am. Mass 12.30pm at Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Free afternoon in Dublin, Price £12.50. Contact Josephine 9061 7116."

Save the Date ... Not to be missed!! - Movies and Musicals with Laganside Sinfonia An evening of music from stage and screen by John Williams, Hans Zimmer, Claude-Michel Schonberg and many more! Also featuring guest soloists Tara McNeill & Nathan Moore refreshments. Afterwards - St Anne's Church, Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 7.45pm

Free admission with retiring collection in aid of Alzheimer's Society.

#### Divine Mercy Novena, St Colman's Church Derriaghy

9 day novena - St Colman's Derriaghy beginning **Good Friday** at 6.45 and each evening after at 7.00pm to Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> April. In Preparation for Divine Mercy Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> April. .

#### Easter Ceremonies in St Polycarp's

Palm Sunday – Stainers requiem – All welcomey
Service of Readings & Music at 7.00pm Good Friday - followed by refreshment.

St Anne's Altar Server Easter Ceremony Practice Times Holy Thursday 3.00 pm, Good Friday And Holy Saturday 10.30 am

#### Inter Church Service Easter Sunday Morning at 7.00 am

The Service will take on the green park area in Dunmurry Village main street (Kingsway) on the same side as our parish Church. Breakfast will be served afterwards in McCreery Hall, Glebe Road on the right hand side of Kingsway. Please join us for Prayer Service and breakfast. *The clock will have changed – one hour forward* Afternoon; Easter Egg hunt organised by Rev Adrian McLaughlin on the same park area at 2.00 pm

#### Theology of the Body is coming to Derriaghy/Colin Pastoral Area

12<sup>th</sup> April - What Is the Meaning and Purpose of My Life? How Do I Find Happiness and Fulfilment? This Catholic teaching gives the answers! Given to us by Pope John Paul II, the Theology of the Body is renewing marriages, awakening vocations, healing deep personal wounds and setting people free to live the life of greatness to which we are all called. In the adult faith formation programme, An Introduction to the Theology of the Body: Discovering the Master Plan For Your Life, renowned author and theologian Christopher West unfolds God's amazing plan for all of humanity. This DVD and small group discussion programme will be held on 8 consecutive Tuesdays beginning Tuesday 12th April 2016 starting at 7.30pm and concluding sharply at 9.00pm. The venue: Church of Christ the Redeemer, Lagmore Drive, Dunmurry, Belfast, BT17 0TG. For more information contact Theology of the Body Down & Connor website: www.theologyofthebody.co.uk or email: info@theologyofthebody.co.uk

### Holy Week Ceremonies

#### **Holy Thursday**

Chrism Mass (St Peter's Cathedral)

11.00am

Parishioners are warmly invited to attend.

There will be no Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Holy Thursday. Adorers are invited to Veneration of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass of The Lord's Supper.

Mass of The Lord's Supper

7.30pm

(Trocaire Boxes will be collected before Mass)
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament follows

11.00pm

(ending with Compline).

#### **Good Friday (Day of Fast & Abstinence)**

Morning Prayer

10.00am

Celebration of The Lord's Passion

3.00pm

(Collection for Catholics in the Holyland)

*Keeping Station at the Cross* 7.30pm

#### **Holy Saturday**

Morning Prayer

10.00am

Please note there is no 6.30pm Vigil Mass Easter Vigil Mass of the Resurrection

9.00pm

#### Easter Sunday - Please Note - Clocks go FORWARD

Easter Sunday: Sunrise at The Green, 7.00 am Kingsway, Dunmurry Village. (Ecumenical Service -breakfast in McCreery Hall, Glebe Road, Dunmurry)

Sunday Masses

10.00 am & 12noon

#### **Easter Week**

Easter Monday & Easter Tuesday

No Mass

Wednesday - Saturday - see Derriaghy & Colin Mass Schedule

Weekend 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> April Vigil & Sunday Mass as usual

Monday - Saturday - see Derriaghy & Colin Mass Schedule

Weekend 9th & 10th April Vigil & Sunday Mass as usual