

# St Mary's Kells Parish Bulletin

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Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2018 – Palm Sunday  
Weekdays – Holy Week



Date	Service Time	Mass Intentions
Saturday 24 Mar	5.30pm – Mass with separate Children's Liturgy – St B	<b>People of the Parish</b> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <b>Parr Family</b>                      Sally, Bill &amp; Maureen                      Grealish                      Jim George                      Norah Blaney                      Bill Smith                 </div>
Sunday 25 Mar	10.00am – Mass – St M	
Monday 26 Mar	10.00am – Mass – St B	
Tuesday 27 Mar	10.00am – Mass – St M	
Wednesday 28 Mar	10.00am – Mass – St B	
Maundy Thursday 29 Mar	7.00pm – Mass of the Lord's Supper/Washing of Feet – St B 8.00-10.00pm – "Watching"/Garden of Gethsemane – St B	
Good Friday 30 Mar	3.00pm – Liturgy of the Passion – St M 7.00pm – Prayer at the Foot of the Cross – St B 8.00pm – Liturgy of the Tomb (very short liturgy) – St B	
Saturday 31 Mar	7.30pm – Easter Vigil & Mass – St B	
Easter Sunday 1 Apr	10.00am – Mass – St M	



### This Week's Rotas

#### Eucharistic Ministers:

Sunday 10am – Liz Goulding/Carol Pierce/Maureen Raby



#### Reader:

Sunday 10am – Pat Carling

#### Little Lambs:

Sunday 10am – Susan O'Neill/Lia Henry

#### Church Cleaners:

Peggy McClurry/Josephine Burns

#### Altar Supervisors:

Sunday 10am – Sheila Richardson



**Please let a member of the Parish Council know if you would like to help in any way with our church community.**



**Fr Ed will hear Confessions as and when requested**

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS ALL THOSE WHO'S ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AROUND THIS TIME:

Joe Moffat, Margaret Parr, Christina Hartley, Mary Goulding, Kathleen McNicholas, James Edward Blaney, Mary Ann Brown, John Haldane, Annie Mary Moore, Mary Isobel Hodson, Maureen Lawson, John Joseph Daly, Frances McGuinness, Elizabeth Hurley, Nell Meteer, Daniel Grears, Joseph Campbell, Sally Grealish, Margaret Moore  
MAY THEY REST IN PEACE, AMEN



### **Your prayers please for the following who are sick:**

Tracey McLaughlin, Margaret Atkinson, Sharon Burns, Kathleen Cake, Eileen Squires, Glenda Leech, Martin Grugan, Allen Irving, Betty Burns, Tricia O'Sullivan, James Cunningham

*Father of goodness and love; hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need, Amen.*





**Sacred Heart Lamp**

Will be lit week beginning 25<sup>th</sup> March for  
**Spence & Tear Families**

**Our Lady's Lamp**

Will be lit week beginning 25<sup>th</sup> March for  
**Sally & Billy Smitham**



**Let us take this opportunity, as a Parish Community of Faith, to celebrate God's love, live God's sacrifice, and be filled with the joy of new life, through our various liturgies of this week, which are of utmost relevance in our daily lives.**



**Knights of St Columba**

*Holy Week posters have again been provided by the Knights of St Columba. Please take one home with you and display it in your window.*



**Stations of the Cross**

Willie has sold 40 copies of the Stations of the Cross booklets, which are still available at a cost of £4 (50p of which will be donated to us). This means £20 has been donated to Church funds. Thanks Willie.

**Mission Boxes**



Eileen Holliday is here today to return your Mission Boxes. She will let us know the amount donated soon. If you would like to have a box in your home just ask Eileen. Thank you.

**Easter Egg Grids**



Thank you so much for your very generous support, you raised £546 for Church funds. Amazing!! Last week's winners were Anna Woolaghan, Olly, Sam Rowell, Aryana, John Riley, K Savage, K Brown, JB, Rita Woolaghan, Gracie Miller, Jonas Rowell, Lorraine, Beryl Bethwaite, Sheila Richardson, R Hope, Rebecca Raby, Abbie Lamb, Eileen Holliday, Mary Kirsten Soriano, Margaret Leadley, Carol Pierce, Amelia, Liz Goulding, Josie Irving, Matthew Lamb, Jean Harrison, Brian McQuilliam, Charlie Raby, Nolan & Riley.

**Father Paul Swarbrick**



We are intending to prepare a Spiritual Bouquet to give to Fr Paul, on his Ordination as Bishop, from St Mary's. There are forms on the table at the back of Church, just add the number of Rosaries, Mass attendances or receipt of Holy Communion you would like to offer for his intention.

No name is necessary – just numbers.  
We will then put it all together and send it off.



**Easter Flowers**

If you would like to contribute to our Easter flowers, there will be a collection plate on the table beside the Font for the next two Sundays. Thank You.

**Foodbank**



This week's special needs are:  
UHT Fruit Juice, tinned fruit, tinned fish, jam (not homemade), coffee. Please help if you can.



*£379.60 has been sent from St Mary's – this is the Family Fast Day collection + the monthly envelopes.  
Thanks Muriel.*

**St Mary's CMS Club**

- Monday 7.30-9.15 –Bingo
- Tuesday 7.30 – Old Thyme Dancing
- Wednesday 7.30-9.15 –Bingo
- Thursday 6.30 – Line Dancing
- Friday 7.30-9.15 – Bingo

To hire the hall contact Billy Starkey on 61448



**New Bishop**

Please keep Fr Paul Swarbrick in your prayers.

*A copy of the minutes of the PPC meeting held 28<sup>th</sup> February is on the table in the porch for you to read.*



Thank you for your offerings last weekend that were as follows: Offertory: £305.72

- No second collection last week
- Good Friday collection for Holy Places
- No second collection next week
- Number attending last week: 102



PS "Daddy what's that flower called?" "That's a chrysanthemum, son." "How do you spell that?"  
"No, wait, it's a rose." !!!

