

The Sunday Newsletter

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ST NINNIDH'S CHURCH DERRYLIN

18th April 2021 Third Sunday of Easter

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Mass Intentions:

Sat 17 April: 8pm: Cyril Gunn Month's Mind Mass

Sun 18 April: 11.15am: Eileen, Michael, John James McBrien (Mullyneeny)
& deceased family in London & U.S.A

Mon 19 April: 10am: Special Intention

Tues 20 April: 10am: Special Intention

Wed 21 April: 10am: Special Intention

Thur 22 April: 10am: Special Intention

Fri 23 April: 10am: Special Intention

Sat 24 April: 8pm: Shane Mulholland **AND** Jim Murphy (Corraveigha)

Sun 25 April: 11.15am: T.P., Dan & Lil Maguire (Aughakillymaude)
AND John & Kathleen McCorry (Cullion)

Rose Ann Murray RIP: Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Rose Ann Murray, Barr, her funeral took place on Tuesday

Saturday 17th April: Reader Gunn Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Connie Murphy Valerie McManus

Sunday 18th 11.15am Reader McBrien Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Anne McBrien Tomas Scallon

Saturday 24th April Reader: Mulholland Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Lorraine McCaffrey Simon Kilgannon

Sunday 25th 11.15am: Eunan Maguire

Eucharistic Ministers: Caroline Flanagan Jacqueline McKenna

St Mary's PS, Teemore - First Communion: The celebration of First Holy Communion will take place in St Mary's Church at 11.00am on Saturday, 5th June. First Confession has been scheduled to take place in St Mary's Church at 11.00am on Tuesday, 18th May.

St Ninnidh's PS, Derrylin - First Communion: The celebration of First Holy Communion will take place in St Ninnidh's Church at 11.00am on Saturday, 19th June. First Confession has been scheduled to take place in the school 11.00am on Tuesday, 25th May.

ST MARY'S CHURCH TEEMORE

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Mass Intentions

Sun 18 April: 9.45am: Darren McCarthy (1st Anniversary)

Wed 21 April: 7pm: Special Intention

Fri 23 April: 7pm: Anna McNamara (Toronto & Corramonaghan)

Sun 25 April: 9.45am: Enda Maguire (Drumderg)

Sunday 18th April: First Reading & Psalm: Aoibhean Donohoe. Second Reading & Gospel Acclamation: Sean Rice. Prayers Of The Faithful: Aoife McBarron. Eucharistic Ministers: Susan McCusker, Breege Clarke, James McBarron.

Sunday 25th April: Readings & Prayers Of The Faithful: Members Of The Maguire Family.
Eucharistic Ministers: Susan McCusker, Breege Clarke, Caitlin Watterson.

Car Supervision: Paul McManus & Gerry McManus.

Sunday 25th April: Felim McCorry & Catherine McCaffrey.

Sacred Heart Messenger Booklets: Please Collect Your Booklet and update payments if you have not already done so.

BARNLEE CRAFTS & CHARITY SHOP

Parents Please Note **Uniforms** .

We have a range of school uniforms in excellent condition suitable for all age ranges.

Please contact Barnlee .> 02867723233.

Society of St Vincent de Paul St Ninnidh's Conference can be contacted for support at any time on 07873240493

The annual Trocaire Lenten campaign: for 2021 Put your contribution in the envelope for Trocaire you find in your dues box and put in safe. Thank you.

Masses on Parish web cams. and can be accessed on www.mcnmedia.tv and church services. CB Radio is also on air.

Attendances at weddings and funerals continue is limited to a total of 25.

The celebration of Baptism is also permitted, under strict conditions.

To book a baptism please contact Fr Alwill at 028 6774 8315.

The sum of money that was found on the Belturbet Road on Tuesday 11th November, was not claimed by anyone. This money has now been donated to 'Barnlee Comfort Fund', Lisanaskea.

Teemore Shamrocks

Lotto: Draw held on 12/04/2021. Numbers drawn were: 8, 15, 17, 19. No jackpot winner. £20 - Jason McCaffrey. £10 - Declan McDonald. £10 - Damien Maguire. Next week's jackpot is £4500. Play our Club Lotto online via this link -

https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Teemore_Shamrocks_GFC/lotto. Thank you to everyone for supporting our club lotto during these challenging times.

New Season: This week brought the start of training for the 2021 season! We would like to wish all our coaches & players the very best of luck throughout the season ahead! We ask everyone to continue following direction issued by the GAA and public health in relation to COVID-19 to ensure we can keep our coaches, players & supporters safe and healthy. Hands - Face - Space. As per 2020, all players must complete the Gaelic Games Return to training module on GAA eLearning website. Full details on: <https://courses.gaa.ie/Covid19ClubEd> As per 2020 all players from all age groups must complete the health questionnaire before ANY training or game. It can be accessed on: <https://returntoplay.gaa.ie/>. Having GAA activity return to our fields is a positive and most welcome development but we remain in a pandemic and there is an onus on everyone to minimise risk and to play their part in ensuring that all protocols are observed. By doing this we will ensure that there is no further undue delay in our desire to ensure a full return to GAA activity. We look forward to seeing all our teams gracing the field of St. Mary's Park, Teemore very soon! Please keep an eye on our Parent whatsapp group for the date and times for the start of underage training.

Club Membership: Our club membership has moved online this year and can be purchased on foireann.ie once you register and sign into this website. Please check out our Club Facebook page for a step by step video guide on how to register online to become a member of our club. Membership details and the video on how to register will be on our new club website which will be launched over the coming weeks. Your membership covers player insurance, training equipment and the up keep of our club facilities including our walking track. **All membership must be paid before outdoor training resumes to be covered by player insurance.**

Teemore Tricks: Well done to all our young players for taking part in our Teemore Tricks Challenge! Well done to all our players who won an intercounty jersey and our spot prizes! A huge thank you to our youth committee for all of their effort in running this initiative!

Overseas Volunteers Training Course September 2021 - Open to all!

Viatores Christi, a faith-based development organisation has specialised in the recruitment, training and deployment of overseas volunteers since 1960. VC runs an online volunteer preparation course covering Community Development, Health, Global Awareness, Mission, etc. This is open to all! Once completed, participants can be considered for volunteer roles through VC EU Aid Volunteers #EUAVI programmes. If you want to know more, click [here](#) or visit the News section of our website www.vcvolunteers.ie or email info@viatoreschristi.com

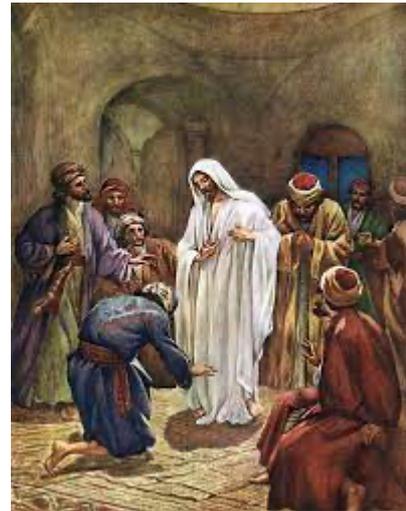
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‘You are Witnesses of these things’

Today’s Gospel is one of the resurrection accounts from St Luke’s Gospel. It begins with the disciples recalling their experience on the road to Emmaus and how they recognised Jesus in the breaking of the bread. The Gospel continues into another account of the Risen Jesus with his disciples. Jesus interrupts the disciple’s story and greets them with ‘Peace’ (Shalom) yet, in this account, they are terrified by this. Jesus shows them his wounds and Luke tells us that they are full of joy, but they still can’t believe it and think it is a ghost. Jesus shows them that he is no ghost as he asks for food and eats fish with them. Jesus then journeys with them back through the scriptures in order to open their minds. He speaks to them compassionately, trying to relieve their anxiety and fear.



Jesus tells the disciples that ‘you are witnesses of these things’. Luke wants to establish an important point, that these disciples are witnesses to the Resurrection, they ate with Jesus after his death and he opened their minds. The Resurrection accounts in the Gospels are not fantasy, they are the actual experiences of Jesus’ disciples. So often in Luke’s Gospel Jesus conveys his message through food and banquets, moments of celebration. The Risen Christ brings compassion and joy into difficult spaces. Today let us share with Jesus the situations in our lives which need an injection of compassion and Easter joy.

‘Every year the dull and dead in us meets our Easter challenge: to be open to the unexpected, to believe beyond our security, to welcome God in every form, and trust in our own greening.’ (Joyce Rupp)

Prayer for the Family

God, our Father, we are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son, one family, in the Spirit of your love. Bless us with the joy of love. Make us patient and kind, gentle and generous, welcoming to those in need. Help us to live your forgiveness and peace. Protect all families with your loving care, especially those for whom we now pray:

[We pause and remember family members and others by name].

Increase our faith, strengthen our hope, keep us safe in your love, Make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share. This we ask, through Christ our Lord, **Amen**