



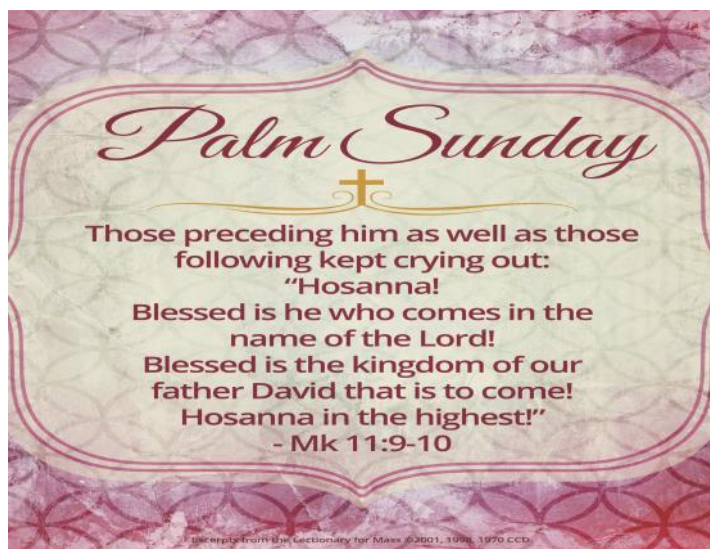
St Brigid's Parish Cabinteely



April 2nd 2023 - Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

What's your car? Let's say it's a fancy silver Toyota. Now imagine you're having lunch in a restaurant and suddenly see two men outside attempting to steal it. You run outside and confront them. They respond, "The master has need of it." How do you respond? Would you just let them take it, and leave you without a car? I don't think I would. Yet that is precisely what the owners of the colt on Palm Sunday do. Stunningly, and perhaps a little comically, Jesus instructs two of his disciples to commandeer a colt for him to ride. And when they hear the disciples say, "The master has need of it," they let them take it. Of course, Jesus knew they'd let it go. He gave them the grace to let go of what is rightfully theirs. The result? That colt became perhaps the most famous and important animal ever. The beast plays a role in the redemption of the world.

As Holy Week begins, Jesus perhaps will send people to you to ask for something valuable to you. Perhaps it's your car. More likely it's something like your attention, time, or energy. It's natural to resist at first. We've got things to do, after all. But if the interruption is from Jesus himself, listen to that voice which calmly says, "The master has need of it." And simply let it go. You'll be amazed what the master will do with it. — Father John Muir



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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

MASS INTENTIONS

Weekdays

Mon. Tues. Thurs. Fri. at **10am**

No mass on Wednesday.

Bank Holidays at **11am**

Weekends

Vigil Mass (Saturday) **5.30 PM**

Sunday: 10.00am & 12.30am

All masses available online

Confessions available after the 5.30pm vigil mass in the side Chapel

www.churchservices.tv/cabinteely

Sat April 1st —5.30pm

Carmel Tracey—1st Anniversary

Sun April 2nd — 10am

Paddy Byrne — Anniversary

John Maguire — 10th Anniversary

Sun April 2nd —12.30am

Ella Kennedy—6th Anniversary

Valentine O'Toole—20th Anniversary

Recently Deceased

Philip Considine

Monday - 10am

Geraldine Cassidy—Recently deceased

Tues - 10am

Monica Richmond—Recently Deceased

Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper **7.30pm.**

Good Friday.

Celebration of the Lord's Passion **3pm**
Stations of the Cross **7.30pm**

Easter Saturday

12 noon - Swieconka: Polish
Blessing of the Easter Baskets
8pm— Easter Vigil Mass of the
Resurrection

PLEASE TAKE HOME A COPY OF THIS

HSE Living Well Programme

We are delighted to tell you about the FREE HSE Living Well programme for adults who live with a long-term health condition. We have 3 new ONLINE Living Well programmes starting in April/ May on the following dates
Fri April 21st until Fri June 2nd from 10am–12.30pm
April 26th until Wed June 7th from 7pm – 9.30pm
Wed May 10th until Wed June 21st from 10:30 – 1pm
To enrol, please contact Elish Carr on [087 405 3880](tel:0874053880) or by email on LivingWellCHEast@hse.ie, please also see www.hse.ie/LivingWell for more information

WAY OF THE CROSS

The 18th annual Way of the Cross takes place in the Phoenix Park on **Good Friday, April 7th at midday**, beginning at the Wellington Monument and finishing at the Papal Cross. It will be led by Archbishop Farrell. All are welcome

St Brigid's Cabinteely Easter Services 2023

Penitential Services in the Partnership of Parishes

Monday 3rd April – **Shankill Church** – 7 pm

Tuesday 4th April – **Johnstown-Killiney Church** – 7 pm

St Brigid's Church Cabinteely

Holy Thursday, 6th April

7.30 pm- Mass of the Lord's Supper, followed by 'Watch & Pray' a period of quiet, of prayer & of reflection.

Good Friday, 7th April

3.00 pm- Celebration of the Lord's passion

7.30 pm- Stations of the Cross

Easter Saturday, 8th April

12 Noon- **Swieconka**: Polish Blessing of the Easter Baskets

8.00 pm- Easter Vigil Mass (no 5.30 pm Vigil Mass)

Easter Sunday, 9th April

10.00 am (Choir)

12.30 pm (Gospel Group)

Easter Mon 10th April mass will be celebrated at 11 am.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

The Irish Hospice Foundation provides a free Bereavement Support Line. This Freephone Service is available from 10am to 1pm, Mon to Fri, by calling 1800 807077. Visit www.hospicefoundation.ie for more

CE Employment Scheme. Are you eligible for

Community Employment ? We have vacancies for the following positions in St. Brigid's Parish, Cabinteely.

Office Admin/Reception & Caretaker.

Step 1 Contact the Dept. Of Social protection to establish your eligibility. **Step 2.** Once the dept. confirms eligibility contact Melissa Tobin on 01-2822704 for more info on how to apply

Supporting St. Brigid's Parish-

Registered Charity Number (RCN) 20016166 and CHY 7424

The Easy Payments online donate button is below through which you can set up once off or monthly payments to all the collections. Also here are Print Version of Standing Order Forms

For First and Second Sunday Collections

[standing-order-collections](#)

For Parish Planned Giving to support the Parish



A good time to study theology? On Mon 17th Apr (6.30-8pm) there will be an Open Evening at the **Loyola Institute**, Trinity College Dublin, for those who wish to explore the possibility of studying theology. There will be a sample lecture, and an opportunity to meet with current students and staff. We will be happy to address any queries or questions you may have. The Loyola Institute is located at the old Physiology Building - approaching from the Dawson St entrance it is just beyond the rugby pitch; close to the Pearse Street entrance if coming via Dart. Contact loyola@tcd.ie or 8964791 with any queries

'Are you a good listener?

SeniorLine, Ireland's national telephone service for older people is inviting women and men aged 55+ to train as volunteers for our service. If interested, please contact 087-7450721.

COLLECTION PRO TERRA SANCTA

Following a request from the Holy See, Archbishop Farrell has this year again asked that we take up a collection on Holy Thursday for the Holy Land, *Pro Terra Sancta*. This collection takes place in dioceses throughout the world. We are invited to pray and to collect funds for the Catholic community in the Holy Land and for the maintenance of the Holy Places there.

Rathmichael Historical Society

Fiona Finlay will present 'The Story of Stained Glass in Ireland: Beyond Harry Clarke' at 8 p.m. on Wednesday April 5th in Rathmichael National School, Stonebridge Road, Shankill. All are welcome – admission €5.

A Radical Alternative Theology of Atonement

As we stand at the threshold of another Holy Week, many still struggle with the idea that Jesus had to die for our sins as a sacrifice to appease a wrathful God. Franciscan theology offers an alternative, non-violent, atonement theory which has never been deemed heretical. This theory states that Jesus did not come to change the mind of God about humanity, he came to change the mind of humanity about God. Listen to a fascinating interview on this www.newpilgrimpath.ie. **Starting this Sunday (Palm Sunday) New Pilgrim Path will offer daily sacred music and poetry for each day of Holy Week.**

AWARE - SUPPORT & SELF CARE GROUPS

If you wish to connect with people in relation to your mental well-being, please consider using the Phone In and Zoom Support & Self Care Groups, the Support Line or Support Mail. These services provide support, coping skills & information & most importantly help people who are in distress to know they are not alone in their experience. For more info. <https://www.aware.ie/support/support-groups>

Thank You for Your Generosity

Thank you to those who continue to contribute to the 1st Collection (Common Fund which pays an allowance to priests) and the 2nd Collection (Share which supports developing parishes & the Diocesan Administration) in addition to the planned Giving which supports the running of the parish. There are permanent boxes in place for 1st & 2nd Collections. There is also a double envelope for the 1st & 2nd Collections. **If you put your name and address on the envelope we can claim the tax back on it.**

Fr Aquinas