



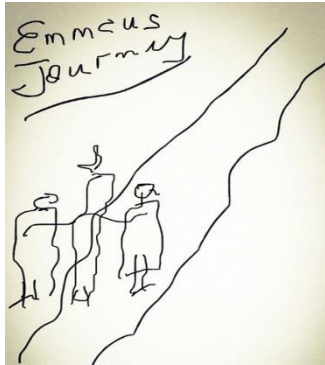
Skerries Parish Bulletin

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14th – 21st April, 2024

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

1st Reading Acts 3:13-15, 17-19: Ps. 4:2,7,9: 2nd Reading 1 John 2:1-5: Gospel LK 24:35-48



Today's Gospel begins with the disciples who had met Jesus on the road to Emmaus telling the story of their encounter with Jesus. Suddenly Jesus stands among them greeting them saying "Peace be with you". This greeting scatters the darkness and calms their fears. Jesus then invites them to touch him, to let them know the reality of his presence – that he was the Crucified One. They were filled with joy. Again reassuring them that he had truly risen, he asked them for some fish which he ate with them. He proceeded then to open up their minds to understand the Scriptures, helping them to come to faith in the Resurrection.

impact on you.

Recall the experience in prayer this week and give thanks for those who opened the Scriptures for you.

Holy Faith Sisters.

WEEKLY PINK PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES FOR 2024/25

The weekly Pink Planned Giving Envelopes for 2024/25 are now available for collection. The Planned Giving Collection provides a very important and necessary financial support for the parish. Envelopes can be collected in the Parish Office on:

Friday 19th April between 2.30 - 4.30pm

Saturday 20th April after 10am Mass and 2.30 - 4pm

Please contact us if you are unable to collect your envelopes during the above times.

A very sincere THANK YOU to all who financially support the parish by the weekly Pink Planned Giving Envelope collection, standing orders, and other donations including anonymous donations. The parish does not benefit from the 1st and 2nd collections at the Sunday Masses, or the Christmas, Easter and Summer Dues collections.

If you would like to join the weekly Pink Planned Giving collection, or know more about how you can support the parish please contact us via the parish office leaving your name and phone number and we will contact you. **THANK YOU**

CELEBRATIONS !



This coming Wednesday, 17th, the boys and girls from St. Patrick's Senior School will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation. We

wish them and their families every blessing on this special occasion.

Please note the usual 10 a.m. Mass **will not** take place on Wednesday 17th April.

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Monthly Collection is on next Saturday 20th and Sunday 21st April. Any contribution, no matter however small, will be truly appreciated.

OUR SYMPATHY



To the families of Patricia (Patty) Derham, Strand Street and David Moloney, Shenick Grove, who died recently. May they Rest in Peace.



WE WELCOME Sheena Viganotti, Alina Popovica, Ariana Popovica, Barra Con Martin, and Cian Peter Austin Ellis, all baptised into our Parish Family recently.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. 13th: 10am Tom Ferguson, Terence, Michael, Willie & Joe Plunkett

6pm: Sol Martin Ballestero (MM), Dermot Mulholland, Ray McAnally & Ronnie Masterson, Eileen Nugent, Annie & Bob Gelston, Special Intention

Sun. 14th: 9.30am Joseph Beggs, Máire & Denis Fox, Dr. Eamon Flanagan, Brendan Fitzpatrick,

11am: Joe & Bridie Conroy, Helen Gordon, Thomas & Myra Workman, Gerry & Rose Hoare, Nancy, Joey, & Margaret Nolan and decd mbrs of the Nolan & Crowley families, Mary Lambe & decd mbrs of the Lambe Family

Mon. 15th: 10am Mass Card Intentions

Tues. 16th: 10am May Goundry & decd mbrs of the Rooney family

Sat. 20th: 10am Grace McGlynn

6pm Michael (Micko) McDonagh (1st A), Barry Morris, Eileen O'Neill, Patrick & Sarah Dunne, Paddy Hughes

Sun. 21st: 9.30am Bree Grimes, Kieran Birchall, Roddy Family (rem), Tom McDonnell & dec mbrs of the McDonnell family, Joe Coleman

11am: Madeleine Carron (1st A), Eric O'Toole, Harry & Maureen O'Toole, Christy & Mona Kenny, Frances Reid, Kitty & Willie Beggs, Helen Beggs Dunne, Phil & Jack Dowling

First Communion and Confirmation Cards are available in the Parish Office.

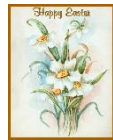


Skerries Ukulele Strummers – Fund raising for relief aid to Gaza – this morning, Sunday 14th, in Floraville from 11.30-12.15, Sailing Club, 1 – 2 p.m.. Please support by making a donation on the spot or by Revolut to 0876354772

Skerries Town Twinning

“Merci beaucoup” to all who turned out for our recent Table Quiz, in Skerries Harps club, which was a great success. Many thanks to all local businesses and individuals who sponsored prizes. Keep reading this space for our summer plans to celebrate 30 years of twinning with the Canton of Guichen. Our sincere sympathy is sent to Maire and the family of David Moloney, who has died. From our earliest beginnings, Dave was a great supporter of our efforts and contributed so much to fostering friendship between our two communities.

Easter Mass Cards.



Sale of Easter Mass Cards in the Parish Office raised €1,425 for Trócaire Lenten Appeal. Thanks to all who supported the appeal.

FEASTDAYS:

18TH: ST. LAZERIAN; 21ST: DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

30 Years ago In the Parish

The Junior Choir was recruiting new members to sing for Confirmation Day

A Mass for Reconciliation in Ireland was being celebrated with performance of Hayden Mass Charismatic Prayer Group was welcoming Fr. Peter O'Reilly for a healing Mass

Skerries Sea Scouts were holding their annual Fast, collecting after all Masses

Congratulations to Skerries Badminton 3rd team who won the Final of their league – Colette Cullen, Marie Clerkin, Frances Bennett, Maeve Clerkin and Mary Hanlon

Best wishes to Paul Walsh and Brendan Dunne in London with North City GAA team

SKERRIES HARPS GAA CLUB



Adult results – Hurlers played a draw with Good Counsel and both Minor football teams won. Fixtures - Sat 13 Apr. Senior football league Div.1 v St Judes, home at 6.15 pm.

Sun. Junior football v Peregrines, home at 11 a.m. Mon. Minor girls v O'Dwyers, home at 7 p.m.

Tues. Junior camogie v Lucan, home at 7 p.m. Wed.. Inter ladies v Man O'War, home at 7 p.m.

Check fixtures on www.skerriesharps.com

Juvenile Academy every Saturday at 9:45 am to 11am - suitable for boys and girls aged over 4.

Register now at www.skerriesharps.com/academy Zingo for 7 April: 7, 2, 1, 5, 3, 6. 4. No winners.

Jackpot now €1,600. Draw on Sunday at 6 pm.

On Monday 29 April we begin Bingo with Noel Smith in the Clubhouse at 8 pm with a starting Jackpot of €500. Limited capacity/Bar open. Contact 086 8984657 or 086 3015688 for info.

Sunday 5th May. 80's Disco in the Clubhouse. No Cover Charge. 80's attire optional!! All welcome to celebrate the May Bank Holiday with us !