

Parish Newsletter Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Easter Sunday

May the Risen Christ give you peace and joy on this Easter Sunday

Frs. Michael Ryan & Ian Doyle.



**Blessed Are Those Who Die In The Lord**

**Anniversaries**

Michael Walsh, Tom & Alice Walsh  
Donaguile, Fiona O'Carroll  
River Valley, Swords, Dublin.  
(Sun. 11.00am)

Michael Coady (Mon. 10.00am.)  
The Square.

Andrew (Andy) Brennan (Tues. 10.00am.)  
Mill Lane.

Lil Deevy (Wed. 9.00am.) Ballycomey.

Kitty Curry (Sat. 10.00am.) 48 Maryville.  
Elizabeth Curry Clogh.

Annie Moran Marymount/Kilkenny St.

Timothy (Tim) McSweeney 42 Maryville.

Mary Brophy Mayhora.

Mary Byrne Kiltown.

Catherine Harkin (nee Byrne)  
Kiltown/London.

**Saturday – 23rd April at 7.00pm.**

Michael Coogan – Aughamuckey.

**Sunday, 24th April at 11.00am.**

Joseph (Joe) Comerford  
The Old Rectory, The Square.

**Mass Times during the Week**

**Monday - Saturday at 10.00am.**

**Senior Help Line**

Don't be lonely this Christmas.  
Open every day over Christmas from  
10.00am. to 10.00pm. Calls costs 30cents.  
Lo Call 1850 440 444.  
*All calls are confidential.* 30cents.

**READERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND**

**Vigil Mass** 7.00pm. Mrs. Brigid Coady.  
**Sunday** 8.00am. Mr. Dick Mullins.  
11.00am. Mr. John Kelly.

**Priests on duty:**

**Fr. Michael Ryan Tel: 4441262 - 086 3693863**  
**Fr. Ian Doyle Tel: 087 9669223**  
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**Parish Webpage: castlecomerparish.ie**  
**Parish Email: castlecomer@ossory.ie**

**Eucharistic Ministers for next Week**

**Mon. 18th - Sat. 23rd April at 10.00am.**

Angela Byrne.

**Sat. 23rd. April at 7.00pm.**

Louise Walsh.

**Sunday, 24th April at 8.00am.**

Margaret O'Neill.

**Sunday, 24th April at 11.00am.**

Ingrid Brennan.

**Easter Stations**

This Collection is for the Priests of the Parish.  
Sincere thanks to all who contribute so faithfully.  
We ask all who are in receipt of income to  
contribute according to their means, while being  
aware of the demands on people at the present  
time.

**Trocáire Family Fast Boxes**

Please bring boxes with you and leave on steps  
of Altar.

**Please convert donations into Euro's/Notes.**  
*Sincere thanks*

**Easter Sunday of the Lord's  
Resurrection  
(17th April 2022)**

“Christ is Risen, Alleluia”. This is the  
ancient Christian greeting on this day of  
great joy and happiness for all. Easter is  
not simply one feast among others, but the  
“Feast of all feasts”.

The mystery of the Resurrection, in which  
Jesus crushed death and gave us all the  
hope of eternal life.

Today, for those who are willing to  
believe, there's an excellent opportunity to  
be in contact with the Risen presence of  
our Saviour. We can share in his life,  
convinced that the power of sin has been  
broken in our lives and that we can also  
have become a new creation with him.

*'Hallelujah! Christ is risen from the  
dead! Dying, he conquered death; To the  
dead, he has given life.'*

*(The Byzantine Liturgy)*

**Blessing of Homes**

Should you wish to have your home  
blessed, the Season of Easter is a very  
appropriate time. You are welcome to  
contact Fr. Ryan or Fr. Doyle.

*The Christian Community of  
Castlecomer and surrounding areas  
are holding a*

*Coffee Morning and Raffle in  
Castlecomer Community Hall  
on Saturday 30th April from 11am - 1pm  
to raise money for the Ukrainian people  
during this time of extreme need.*

*Your support is much appreciated.  
The Sunflower is the national flower  
of Ukraine.*

*All proceeds will be donated to  
Irish Red Cross*

**Blessed Easter Water**  
**In container beside the Baptismal Font.**

**Prayer for those away from Home**

*Loving God,  
We pray for those whom we love,  
but who are absent from us.  
Keep them safe from all harm,  
evil and danger.  
Bless them with peace, laughter,  
wisdom, love and joy.  
Grant that we may be reunited  
in the fullness of love;  
in Christ's name we pray.  
Amen*

**Adoration & Prayer in Parish Church**

Every Tuesday evening from 7.00pm –  
9.00pm. Rosary recited at 8.00pm, Divine  
Mercy Chaplet at 8.45pm. Please observe  
social distance and to sanitise seats before  
locking Church. **Thank you.**

**Every Day at Noon (Monday – Friday)**

A group of parishioners come together in the  
Church to pray the Angelus and Rosary and  
Chaplet of Divine Mercy. All welcome to join  
with them. You may also join them on the  
Parish Radio and Webcam.

**Parish Office**

Open on Wednesday and Friday from  
9:30am – 1:30pm. Only one person in the  
Parish Office at a time. Please use hand sanitiser  
in lobby area, and maintain social distance in the  
office. Thank you.

**Every Sunday Afternoon**

A group of parishioners will pray the Rosary  
and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 3.00pm.  
People may also join them through the Parish  
Radio and Webcam.

**Weekly Envelope**

Sunday, 10th April €1,575.00  
Sincere thanks.