

Ballineaspaig Bulletin



CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT
DENNEHY'S CROSS, CORK

24th April, 2011

Easter Sunday

No 1096

MASS TIMES

Sunday

9.00, 10.30, 12.15
Saturday Vigil 6.15pm

Weekdays

9.00, 10.00

Eve of Holydays

7.30pm

Holydays

9.00, 10.30

OUR PARISH PRIEST WRITES

CHRIST IS RISEN, ALLELUIA



We have just celebrated the greatest week in the Christian year, Holy Week, recalling the final days of Jesus before His Resurrection. How would you have felt if you had been in the crowd on Palm Sunday or if you had been the 13th Apostle at the Last Supper as Jesus washed your feet and gave you His precious body and blood? On Good Friday, if you had been at the cross with Mary at the time of Jesus' death, what would you have said to her? Then on Easter Sunday to know He had risen, the joy and happiness in your heart could not be described. Jesus said "I am the resurrection and the life". He is alive in us as the light of our lives and our world. He wants us to be His light to others. We are resurrection people filled with the presence, power and strength of Jesus, privileged.

In the Early church, the week after Easter was called "The White Robes of Easter week". Holy Saturday was the time for baptism - children, men and women in that order. They received a white robe called an alb, the Latin word for white. They wore these for a week. Priests wear albs and at baptism a white garment is put around the child. For confirmation children wear white gowns.

Up to the 13th century, people went to Mass especially on the anniversary of their baptism and renewed their baptismal promises. At the Easter Vigil, and today at our Masses, we renew our baptismal promises too. As we gather this Easter Sunday, may Jesus shine through us. May His light of hope and peace through you bring peace to others.

Jesus, Risen Lord and Saviour, make us channels of your peace. May Jesus bless us all this Easter time and may we be blessed through one another.

God's Word

Readings for Sunday 1st
May

First Reading
Acts 2:42-47

Psalms 117

Second Reading
1 Peter 1:3-9

Gospel : John 20: 19-31

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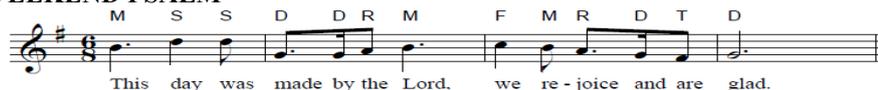
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WEEKEND PSALM



**PLEASE NOTE MASS TIMES EASTER MONDAY
9.00AM AND 10.00 AM**

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NOTICE BOARD

Thank you from the Pastoral Council

The Pastoral Council wishes to thank all those who attended and participated in the recent annual Joint Meeting of the Pastoral Council Groups and Ministries on the 14th March. The meeting discussed a range of topics including, Eucharistic Congress, Permanent Diaconate, New Roman Missal, reduction in the number of priests and masses in the Pastoral Area and a review of the Constitution of the Pastoral Council.

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Monthly collection will take place next weekend at all Masses.

Liam Lawton Concert

Liam Lawton will host a concert on **Friday 6th May** at 8.00pm at **Farranree Church**. Tickets available from Veritas or Farranree Parish Office tel no: 4932230.

Lough Flower & Garden Club

The Lough Flower & Garden Club will host a Garden Talk by D. J. Murphy of Bandon Garden Centre at S.M.A. Centre, Wilton on Tues. 26th April at 8pm. Visitors welcome. Adm .7 euro.

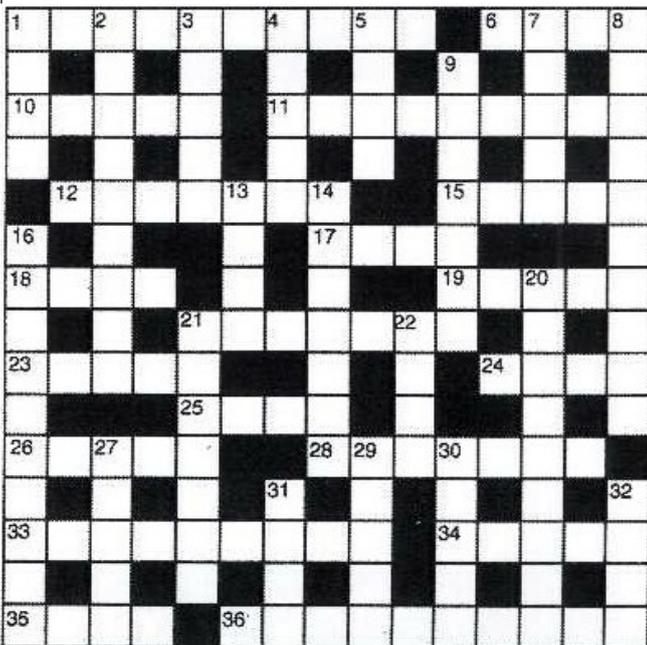
PRAYER AT EAST- ER



Lord Jesus,
at our baptism we were
marked for you
with the sign of the cross.
May your cross inspire us
to act justly and love tenderly.
May the crosses in our lives
be for us invitations for growth and new life
as we place our trust in you.
Renewed by your love,
may the way we live proclaim you as Lord:
you who are the Way, the Truth and the Life.
Amen

EASTER CROSSWORD

By Portia



ACROSS

1. Not actually a dizzy physician, this PR person (4,6)
6. Granny eater, as the story goes. (4)
10. Discount losing a nut, should be fun. (5)
11. You can't say no to this, you have no choice. (9)
12. Side put into chaos results in a quarrel. (7)
15. Biblically, the unfortunate leper turning about does this. (5)
17. Monumentally, historic part of our heritage. (4)
18. Tidy town? In Meath. (4)
19. Once in the title of our parish, but overruled by the "Spirit". (5)
21. It brings the light into our lives. (7)
23. Should, after a cardinal point be nothing. (5)
24. Not destiny, like it sounds, but gala. (4)
25. Parrot aping has a list of duties inside. (4)

26. In Greece it begins here. (5)
28. Last men broken up, causing such wailings. (7)
33. Invitations to music. (9)
34. Being greedy discover a ravine. (5)
35. Blow it! (4)
36. In with a chance. But must you be on your feet to get the prize? (5,2,3)

DOWN

1. With board it's a piece of furniture, could be left or right. (4)
2. Breathing in, and sending out deep emotions. (9)
3. It's what the cordylines and many other poor shrubs do after our frosty winter. (5)
4. This to woo, as of old. Touch of royalty too. (5)
5. Could be a promise - or could be a curse. (4)
7. Nothing higher than this (2,3)
8. This could be dug up, from one's ancestry. (6,3)
9. You are really annoyed if you take this. (7)
13. Hindustani national language. (4)
14. There is no end to being so. (7)
16. The doors were closed... Jesus came and... .. them. Jn.20 (5,5)
20. Could be a Karate movement, to demolish like this. (9)
21. They facilitate the meeting of the waters. In life they could be dire. (7)
22. A bit false, but very cleansing with poo. (4)
27. Sounds holy. But no, victimizes. (5)
29. Outcome of a burning desire. (5)
30. One over it is unacceptable. It figures. (5)
31. An order one cannot refuse. (4)
32. This space always reserved for one we all love and respect and who is so 2 down. (4).

Entries to Parish office by Sunday 8th May please.

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