

# 4th Sunday of Lent -- Happy Mothers Day

## Recently Deceased

Mary Garvey

Jim Byrne

Noel O'Grady

## Anniversaries

Arlene Ryan

Fred Carr

Margaret Rockett

Ena Cox

Robert Mc Cabe

Francis Duggan

Ethna Duggan

## Deceased members of Duggan Family

Philip Lee

Michael & Margaret Geraghty

Michael Geraghty Jr

May & Ernie Mc Philips

Rita Walsh

**As part of the Coronavirus guidelines and to minimise the risk of infection the Parish Office hours will be curtailed**

**Mondays & Wednesday this week closed**

**Tuesday Thursday & Friday Open 9am to 11am you can still contact us by phone on 4600127**

**Catherine Mobile 0876174498**

or email

[judesparishoffice1@gmail.com](mailto:judesparishoffice1@gmail.com) with any requests or queries. We thank you for your co-operation at this time

During lent numbers permitting we will have Morning Prayer each Wednesday & Friday at 7.05am.

## TAIZE MASSES FOR LENT

**This Sunday we will have a Taize Mass celebrated behind closed doors but you can watch on the Web Mass time 7.30pm Celebrant Fr Damian Mc Niece**

## CORONA VIRUS UPDATE ON MASSES AND CEREMONIES HERE IN ST JUDES

Talking with a few fellow priests we see no other way than to do the opposite of what we have been doing all our priestly lives and ask you our parishioners Not to come to Masses here in St Jude's during this time of crisis.

I will celebrate Mass at the usual weekday times of 0930 Mon to Friday and you can of course watch from the safety of your own homes via computer or smart phone. Other masses at different times can be accessed via the MCN Website and also Radio Maria on 210 Saorview TV.

On Sunday – we will just have one mass like the Pope in Santa Martha not open to the public celebrated in the church and on-line at 10am. Now the Holy Father has Swiss Guards to stop entry, I depend on your good sense and civic spirit. However I propose that after mass either myself of a Eucharistic Minister will be on hand for 30 mins or so and will be happy to give individuals Holy Communion.

These are extraordinary times and as the Tanaiste said normally in times of crisis we come together, but at this unique time of crisis we are asked not to come together but to pray for each other at home, or in empty but safer churches.

Fr. Brendan

**RTE will broadcast Daily Mass each day at 10.30am for those of you who don't have access to the web.**

## Mass times this week in St Judes

**10.00am & 6.30pm Mass on Saturday Cancelled**

**Just one Mass streamed on the web at 10am Sunday**

**Daily Mass streamed at 9.30am each day Monday to Friday please do not come to the church at these times**

**Church will be open as usual so you can come to light a candle or say a prayer outside mass times**

**Monday eve adoration will go ahead from 7 to 9pm**

**Our Journey into Faith programme has been cancelled for the next few weeks we will reschedule later**

**EASTER MASS BOUQUETS ARE AVAILABLE IN PARISH OFFICE PRICE €6**

## COVID-19 Support Line for Older People

ALONE has launched a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open Monday to Friday, 8am-8pm, by calling 0818 222 024. Hours may be extended to meet the demand.

A Prayer for Healthcare Workers during this time of the Coronavirus COVID-19

Loving God,  
we place into your care  
all our doctors, nurses and healthcare workers.  
Give them courage of heart  
and strength of mind and body.  
Keep them safe from harm.  
May they know our deep gratitude  
for all they are doing  
to heal and help those affected by  
the coronavirus.  
God of all consolation  
may they know your protection and peace.  
Bless them in these challenging days  
and bless their families.  
Amen.

A Prayer for our Priests as they exercise their ministry during this time of the Coronavirus COVID-19

Eternal God,  
Be with our priests this day as they seek  
to minister to your people.  
May you be a guiding and protective presence  
with them  
as they bring the consolation and hope of Your  
word  
and the grace and nourishment of Eucharist  
to those entrusted into their care.  
Grant them the strength of mind and body,  
keep them safe to do your will,  
And give them the courage and peace  
to face each day with trust and confidence in You.  
Into your hands O God, we commend them;  
fill them with your grace and healing.Amen.