

### Patient's Religious Declaration

When a person is admitted to hospital, or a relative/friend, should give to ward-staff to ensure they can see a Catholic Chaplain. This can also be achieved through a verbal-request to staff. This is necessary due to the way confidentiality rules are applied in most hospitals.

“Blessed is the king  
who comes



in the  
name  
of the Lord!”

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## ST PATRICK'S PARISH

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Palm Sunday of the Passion of the LORD

*Sunday 25th March 2018*

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### THIS WEEK

Monday

Mass

10.00 am and 7.00 pm

Tuesday

Mass

10.00 am

Penitential Service

11.00 am in St Patrick's

7.00 pm in St Michael's

Wednesday

Mass

10.00 am

Easter Triduum

Holy Thursday

Morning Prayer

9.00 am

Mass of the Lords Supper

7.00 pm then to the Altar of Repose

Night Prayer

11.00 pm

Good Friday

Morning Prayer

10.00 am followed by confessions

Commemoration of the

Lord's Passion with

Children's Liturgy

3.00 pm

Commemoration of the

Lord's Passion

7.00 pm

Holy Saturday

Morning Prayer

10.00 am followed by confessions

Easter Vigil

9.00 pm

Easter Sunday

Mass

10.00 am followed by Teas and

Easter Egg Hunt; 12 Noon

### Good Friday

Is a Day of Fasting and Abstinence.

### Second Collection

Today is for Lenten Alms.

### Stations of the Cross

Mon - Wed 9:40 am unless there is a funeral

Today - 4.00 pm together with Benediction.

### Rosary

Mon-Wed After 10.00 am Mass (unless there is a funeral)

### Parish Easter Card

Is available at the back of the Church. It contains all the times of services for Easter.

### Easter Cards

On sale in the Card Stall.

### Hall Reopening Celebration

Saturday, 21st April, 7.30 pm till late. A social evening to celebrate the reopening of the Church Hall and to thank you for your patience, acceptance of the situation and not least, your contributions enabling the essential work to be carried out. Hopefully it will be an

evening packed with fun, entertainment and laughter. The bar will be open and if you want, you can bring nibbles with you. Entry to the event will, of necessity, have to be ticket and adult only. The tickets £1 each will be on sale after all Masses, weekend of 8th April.

Will we see you there?

### Parish PVG Scheme

It has become necessary to record PVG Number and date of issue for all parishioners registered under the scheme. Would you please record your name, PVG No and Date of issue and hand into the Sacristy.

Your PVG Scheme ID/ Membership number can be found on the left hand side of the PVG Scheme record and is 16 digits long. The number will begin 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, etc. on the year the applicant first joined the PVG scheme

### The St Francis's Group

Meeting next, on Monday 26 March 2018 at 7.30 pm after Mass in the Parish House, to study The Old Testament. All are most welcome.

### Divine Mercy Mass

Will be celebrated here in St Patrick's church on Sunday 8th April. Celebrant Fr Felix Adiele.

Programme for the day:

2.30pm Procession and blessing of Divine Mercy image. Chaplet of Divine Mercy. Litany, Confessions, during chaplet.  
3.00pm Holy Mass. This mass fulfills your Sunday obligation. Veneration of Divine Mercy Image at the end of Mass. There will be tea in the hall after mass. All welcome.

### 20-40 Network Events

Aged 20-40? Would you like to meet some fellow young Catholics? Fancy joining us for a tour of the Kelpies? You can travel up with us on the train or meet us there. Don't worry about coming on your own because we're all on the same boat. Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> April 12:45pm. Just email

[2040network@gmail.com](mailto:2040network@gmail.com) to buy a ticket or join our mailing list to find out about future events if you can't make this one. We're also on Facebook at [facebook.com/2040network](https://www.facebook.com/2040network).

### Gift Aid

If you are an existing member of the Gift Aid Scheme and pay by Direct Debit, no further action is required. If you use envelopes, these will be distributed at the back of the Church after Masses on the weekend of: 24/25<sup>th</sup> March. Parishioners are welcome to join both the gift Aid scheme using envelopes or Direct Debit, or both if you wish, and also the Restoration Fund using Yellow Envelopes. The only stipulation is that you fill out a Declaration form saying you are paying tax and wish the parish to reclaim some of the tax you are paying. If you currently assist through the new Restoration Fund and are using the yellow envelopes please note that you need to fill out a declaration form unless you have already done so. Without this the Parish cannot claim the tax refund from the government. Please ask the Parish Gift Aid coordinator if you are unclear.