CHURCH OF OUR LADY MOTHER OF DIVINE GRACE, Rahenv Sunday 11th March 2018 Fourth Sunday of Lent Cycle B Week 4

Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament takes place every Thursday after 10am mass.

Mass cards are available from the parish office.

Legion of Mary meets every Wednesday after 10 Mass in side chapel. This meeting has been running for over 50 years and we would love to welcome new

MUSINGS

'A society without mothers would be an inhuman society, as mothers always know how to show tenderness, devotion and moral strength, even in the moments of greatest difficulty. Mothers often also transmit the deepest sense of religious practice ... It is a message that mothers who believe know how to transmit without much explanation; this arrives later, but the seed of faith is planted in those first precious moments. Without mothers ... faith would lose a good part of its simple, profound warmth.'

Pope Francis (General audience, 7 January 2015)

Readings of Lent for Prayer & Preaching Every Wednesday of Lent in St Mary's Pro-Cathedral from 11.15am to 12.30pm. Mass will be available at 10.30am and 12.45pm. Presenter: Kieran O'Mahony, OSA.

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Many thanks for your generous contributions to last week's collections. This weekend's Church Gate Collection is in aid of the local conference of St. Vincent de Paul.

World Meeting of Families - 21 to 26 August 2018

Thousands of people will be travelling from very distant places to participate in this event. Would you be willing to host a person, couple or family next August? Learn more at www.worldmeeting2018.ie/hostafamily or call 01 567 6800 or email us at hostingteam@worldmeeting2018.ie

Jeremiah 1:4-8

The word of the Lord came to me saving. "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you;"

Meetings This Week

Monday 12th - Parish Pastoral Council Mtg at 7.30pm

Tuesday 13th - You Shall Be My Witnesses Confirmation Programme at 7.30pm

Tuesday 14th - Baptism Preparation Meeting at 8pm

Next Sunday's readings: Jer 31:31-34. Ps 50:3-4, 12-15, R/ v 12. Heb 5:7-9. Jn 12:20-30

Feastdays This Week: Saturday 17th March - The Feast of Saint Patrick

Happy Mothers Day

MASS INTENTIONS

Vigil	6.00pm	Margaret O'Sullivan (Anniv.) Peggy Quigley (Anniv.)
Sun	8.30am	Michael O'Dwyer (Anniv) Paraig & Lillie O'Connor (Anniv.)
	10.00am	Tony Barron (1st Anniv.) Patrick & Norah O'Gorman, their sons Dermot and baby Patrick and their grandson Nigel O'Gorman
	11.30am	Valerie Brophy (1st Anniv.) Teddy Corcoran (1st Anniv.)
Mon.	10.00am	Hannah and Patrick King (Anniv.)
Tues.	10.00am	Laurence and Angela Lowth (Anniv.)
Wed.	10.00am	Tony Kelly (Rec. Dec'd)
Thurs.	10.00am	Margaret Palmer (Rec. Dec'd)
Fri.	10.00am	Kathryn Mulready (Rec. Dec'd)
	6.00pm	John McPhillips (1st Anniv.)
Sat	11.30am	Margaret & John Lowe (Anniv.) Br. Daniel Egan (Anniv.) Joe Lowe (Rec. Dec'd)

Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of Carmel Macken and Kathleen Gordon whose funerals took place this week. We also remember those who died recently and whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Masses for St. Patrick's Day

Vigil mass at 6pm on Friday Mass on Saturday morning at 11.30am