

Penitential Service

In preparation for Easter the following Penitential Services will take place
in
St. Mary's Pro – Cathedral, Marlboro Street
on
Saturday 16th April at 11.40 am
Wednesday 20th April at 1.10 pm
and Saturday 21st April at 11.40 am



PARISH OF ST. AGATHA NEWSLETTER

17th April 2011

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Trocaire's Lenten Campaign

Trocaire would like to thank you for your support of their Lenten Campaign. Trocaire boxes should be returned to the church by Sunday 1st May where they will be forwarded to Trocaire, or if you prefer you can send your donation directly. Once again thank you for your generosity.

Thank You

The recent Copper Coin Collection amounted to **€140**
for which we are most grateful.



Welcome to our Parish

We welcome Lily Rachel (vigil mass), Helena, James Derek, Lily Ella and Tadhg Paul who join our community through the waters of baptism this Easter Sunday, May they continue to grow strong in body mind and spirit.

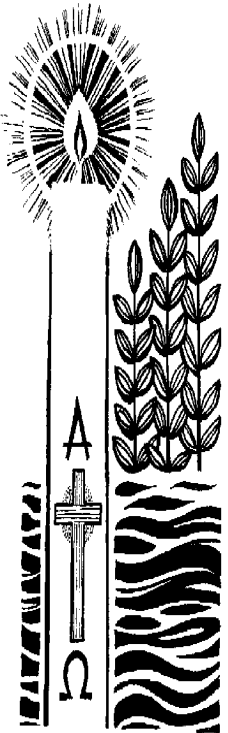


Easter Greetings

We Look forward to seeing you as we celebrate Holy Week in our Parish which is the high point of the Christian year when we celebrate the passion death and resurrection of Jesus.

May the Peace and Joy of the Risen Lord renew each of us so that we may grow in love, care and friendship for each other as we face new economic challenges in our lives and Parish this Easter.

Fr. Brian Lawless



If you know of any housebound parishioner or anybody else who might be interested in this **NEWSLETTER** please give them a copy.

Parish of St. Agatha



Palm Sunday (17th April):

Saturday 6.00 p.m. (*Vigil*).
Sunday 9.00, 10.30 (*Parish Choir*)
12 noon



Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of Holy Week:

Monday 18th April 10.00 am and 7.30 pm
Tuesday 19th April 10.00 am
Wednesday 20th April 10.00 am



Holy Thursday (21st April):

10.00 a.m. Morning Prayer of the Church
7.30 p.m. Solemn Mass of the Lord's Supper
Holy Hour Immediately after Mass



Good Friday (22nd April):

A day of Fast and Abstinence.
10.00 a.m. Morning Prayer of the Church
3.00 p.m. Solemn Liturgy of the Passion of the Lord
7.30 p.m. Stations of the Cross
8.00 p.m. Prayer around the Cross



Holy Saturday (23rd April):

10.00 a.m. Morning Prayer of the Church
9.00 p.m. Easter Vigil



Easter Sunday (24th April):

Sunday 9.00 a.m.
10.30 (*Parish Choir*)
12 noon

Confessions:

Good Friday 10.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.

Our New Parish Pastoral Council

We are delighted to announce that our new Parish Pastoral Council was selected at a discernment meeting of the nominees held on Tuesday 29th March 2011 in the Marillac Centre and facilitated by Ellie McKeown, of the Dublin Diocesan Renewal and Development Team.



The members of the new Parish pastoral council are:

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| Helen Dowling | Patricia Fitzsimons |
| Maureen Grant | Mary Irwin |
| Mary Keane | John Kelly |
| Dan Moore | Micheál McGuigan |
| Jacinta Parkes | Pat Walsh |

Ex Officio Members:

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| Fr. Brian Lawless | Fr. Tony Scully |
| Sr. Bridget O'Connor D.C. | |

May the Lord bless them in their challenging ministry of guiding our parish in the ways of Faith through promoting Gospel values. We would like to assure them of our support as they begin their new term of office.



Pilgrimage to Lourdes September 22nd – 27th 2011

Parishes Working Together

A **pilgrimage to Lourdes** from the parishes of St. Laurence O'Toole, Seville Place, St Joseph's, East Wall, Our Lady of Lourdes, Sean McDermott Street, and our own parish will take place from 22nd to 27th September.

For further information contact Sr. Bridget 8554075 or see the notice at the back of the church.