



St. Augustine's Church Limerick 1st May 2022

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Third Sunday of Easter

Mass Times

Monday-Friday

7.30am, 8.30am,
10.15am, & 4pm

SATURDAY

8.30am, 10.15am

SUNDAY

9.00am, 11.15am
& 7.30pm

CONFESSIONS

MONDAY & FRIDAY

10.45am-12 Noon

3.00pm-4.00pm

SATURDAY

10.45am-12noon

2.30pm-4pm

Mary Queen of the May



My Rosary

What comfort just to clasp it, my Rosary so dear;
each Mystery brings fresh courage,
and drives away all fear.

In prayer so oft repeated, yet never growing old,
I read the wondrous story of God's own love untold
Each chaplet forms a garland to place at Mary's feet;
Fair buds and full-bloom roses
exhaling fragrance sweet.

The Crucifix which crowns it reminds me day by day
to bravely bear my crosses along earth's rugged way.

I hope when life is ended, and death shall set me free
Still twined around my fingers will be my Rosary.



St. Augustine's Church Child Safeguarding Representatives.

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Collection for Ukraine raises €3.25 million

Archbishop Eamon Martin of Armagh and Archbishop Dermot Farrell of Dublin, as President and Vice-President of the Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference, have thanked parishes across Ireland for their extraordinary generosity in raising over €3.25 million (to date) in response to the humanitarian crisis in Ukraine since the outbreak of war.

The archbishops said, "As Christians, our Gospel imperative is to support the victims of this appalling humanitarian crisis. The large funds raised by Irish parishes will be channelled to assist those who are suffering such devastation to their lives and livelihoods. Parishes across Ireland have responded with enormous generosity and compassion and we are most grateful for that. The proceeds of this special parish collection are already being sent to the international Catholic Church agency, Caritas Internationalis, which is currently operating on the ground in Ukraine and its surrounding areas."

Source: April Newsletter Catholic Communication Office /www.catholicbishops.ie

Pieta Darkness into Light

Join the hundreds of thousands of people around the world on Saturday May 7th at 4.15am as they come together to walk from darkness into light and stand in solidarity with people impacted by suicide and self harm. With three venues in Limerick, TUS Moylish Campus, Murroe and Kilmallock. For more details and to register for any of the events please go to www.darknessintolight.ie/register

*Have I not
commanded you
Be strong and
courageous.
Do not be
afraid; do not
be discouraged,
for the Lord your
God will be with
you wherever you go.*

JOSHUA 1:9



Thought for the Day

The disciples spend a fruitless night fishing and catching nothing. Things change dramatically when Jesus appears and invites them to try again. Remember those who came to you and encouraged you to try again when you felt discouraged. Perhaps on some of these occasions the results were beyond your expectations.

The story can serve as a reminder that sometimes we are wasting our time if we try to work on our own without the Lord's help. When have you found that your work or life was more fruitful when you acknowledged that you needed God's help and you spoke to God about your need?

PRAYER

God of life, in your risen Son, you reveal your abiding presence among us, and summon those reborn in baptism to lives of worship and service. Fill this assembly with reverence as we come before you in prayer. Grant us courage and zeal in bearing witness before the world to your Son, Jesus Christ, the first-born from the dead, for ever and ever. Amen.

Source: www.tarsus.ie /Pointers for Prayer 1 &2 2019

Riverfest Limerick '22

Under the general umbrella of Riverfest, the May Bank Holiday weekend is well under way in Limerick City, with a fabulous range of crafts, stunning vintage amusements, colourful street performers and live musical entertainment!

Limerick's biggest festival embraces the scenic River Shannon, with the Riverfest Village located in Arthur's Quay Park showcasing delicious artisan food, a treat for all the family. Gavin James will be live at 7pm Sunday evening at King John's Castle, followed at 10.15pm with Riverfest Spectacular Fireworks Display viewing area Clancy Strand.

At Limerick Docks Saturday and Sunday from 9.30am –5pm you can also take a tour of one of Ireland's naval vessels and see what it's like to be on board one of the ships that patrols the country's shores. Times subject to the normal operations of the port. Or for the more adventurous experience a thrilling aerial adventure over the River Shannon on the hugely popular zipline! Lots more adventure this Sunday from 6pm –7.30pm at Hunt Museum Garden with Kayaking Tours, and Stand Up Paddle Boarding or for the art enthusiasts visit the outdoor Riverfest Art Fair at the Potato Market Sunday from 11am –4pm showcasing work by 40 local artists from Art Limerick.

The Great Limerick Run takes place this Sunday. After race celebrations, continue with 'Party in the Park', Pery Square from 2-6pm with live entertainment and post-run fun for all the family. What a weekend and that's just some of the weekends entertainment. You can download the digital guide at limerick.ie/riverfest



Notice

Bank Holiday Monday

Mass Times

10.15am & 4.00pm

No Confessions

Monday 2nd May