



**CHURCH OF THE HOLY CHILD**

**MASSES**

**Mon to Fri:** 10am (Easter Week)  
**Saturday:** 7:00pm  
**Bank Holidays:** 10:00am  
**Sunday** at 10:30am & 12:30 pm  
*All Masses will be broadcast live on the Webcam*

**CONFESSIONS**

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated after the 7pm Saturday Mass or on request.

**CHURCH OPENING TIMES**

**Mon to Fri:** 08:45am - 12:00pm  
**Sat:** 6:30pm until after Mass  
**Sun:** 10:00am until after 12:30pm Mass

**BAPTISM**

The Sacrament of Baptism is normally celebrated on Saturdays at 12pm. This can be arranged by appointment with the Parish Office at least one month in advance of the Baptism.

**ADORATION**

Monday to Friday from 9.45am to 11.45am in the Oratory.



**CHAPEL OF BLESSED MARGARET BALL**

**MASSES**

**Sunday:** 10:00am  
**Wednesday:** No Wednesday Mass Easter Week

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**COLLECTIONS 29<sup>TH</sup> MARCH**

First Collection: **€2,033**  
Share Collection: **€1,165**  
Family Envelope: **€930**  
Up-Keep Fund: **€60**

*Thanks to all who support our collections.*

**MASS INTENTIONS (FROM SATURDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> APRIL TO SUNDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2025)**

Time	Mass	Intention
Sat 9pm	Easter Vigil	
Sun 10:30am	Easter Sunday Mass	3 <sup>rd</sup> Anniversary
Sun 12:30pm	Easter Sunday Mass	Anniversary
Mon 10am	Available for Intention	RIP
Tues 10am	Available for Intention	Month's Mind
Wed 10am	Available for Intention	Anniversary
Thu 10am	Jason Sheehan Kirk	Anniversaries
	Patrick O'Toole	4 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary
	Pertolino Martins	17 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary
	Maureen O'Brien	20 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary
	Dorothy Connolly	Anniversaries
	Joseph & Sheila Hanratty	3-month Anniversary
	Geraldine Whyte	1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary
	John Caslin	3 <sup>rd</sup> Anniversary
	Peter Brady	4 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary
	Anne & Jim Brennan	20 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary
	Clarence Rebello	Anniversaries
	Paul Carolan	1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary
	Ciarán Coughlan	3 <sup>rd</sup> Anniversary
	Noel Scully	4 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary
	Rose Agnes Llyod	20 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary
	Betty & Charlie Cunningham	Anniversary
Fri 10am		
Sat 7pm		
Sun 10.30am		
Sun 12.30pm		

**CHAPEL OF BLESSED MARGARET BALL**

**Sun 10am** Easter Sunday Mass  
**Sun 10am** Bridget & John Barry Anniversaries  
*If you would like your Mass intentions to be included in the parish newsletter, please submit them to the Parish Office on or before the Tuesday preceding the requested date of the Mass.*

**PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK**

Celebrating Divine Mercy Sunday there will be a pilgrimage to Irelands International Marian Shrine Knock on 12th April 2025

*A coach will leave from the Church of the Holy Child at 8.00am*

**For more details, please contact Marie Mc Allister on 086 3990998**



**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**

*"Easter is the feast of the new creation. Jesus is risen and dies no more. He has opened the door to a new life, one that no longer knows illness and death."*

*(Pope Benedict XVI)*

Your prayers have been requested for those who have been called to God this week

Patricia Cullen (RIP)   
John Devlin (RIP)   
Patricia (Patsy) Manning (RIP)

**CHURCH SHOP**

Why not drop into the Church Shop and see the new selection of cards, statues, items for Easter, First Holy Communion and Confirmation. The shop is open weekdays and weekends after each Mass.

**PARISH UPKEEP FUND**

Envelopes for the Parish Upkeep Fund will continue to be available in the Church and Parish Centre.

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

Parish Priests: Fr Robert Smyth / Fr Dominic Kwikiriza  
Fr Tom Kearney / Fr John Jones / Fr Martin Harte  
Email: [whitehall@dublindiocese.ie](mailto:whitehall@dublindiocese.ie)  
Parish Office Tel: 01 8375274 Mon – Fri 9am to 1pm  
Parish Website: [www.whitehall.dublindiocese.ie](http://www.whitehall.dublindiocese.ie) RCN: 20016166

**PARISH OFFICE – EASTER CLOSURE**

The Parish office will be closed from **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April to Friday the 10<sup>th</sup> April incl.** and will reopen on Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> April at 10am. We wish all our Parishioners a Joyful & Blessed Easter.

**HELPING CHRISTIANS IN THE HOLY LAND**

A missionary group from Bethlehem, The Holy Land will be visiting:

*The Church of the Holy Child, Blessed Margaret Ball on the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> of April & Beaumont Church on the 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> of April*

to briefly talk about the Holy Land. They will have religious articles (Crucifixes, Rosary Beads and Plaques) to sell made out of olive wood in Bethlehem to help and support the poor Christians families. Any help you could give them it will be highly appreciated.

**EVANGELISATION & PARISH CENSUS PROJECT**

The outstanding Welcome packs, which contains a blessed cross, one for each household, is available now in the church for collection. The pack-bundles in A-Z order is available on the back-row-pews. Gratefully appreciate if you could collect and distribute the pack labelled for your street/estate, pack not more than 50 per bundle. By dedicating your Time, Talent and Gifts for this charity, you will be actively contributing to the parish Evangelisation initiative, To 'Reach Out To Reconnect' with your neighbours, fellow parishioners responding to our baptismal call to bring the Word-Incarnate to those who have not experienced the love of Jesus, in this Easter Season.

Thank you, Your Parish Pastoral Council, Church of the Holy Child Nativity Parishes.

**KOINS FOR KIDS**

Koins For Kids takes old, new, obsolete, low denomination, damaged, dirty or any nationality coins or banknotes.



No donation is too small and your donation can be left into the Parish Office Mon – Fri 9am – 1pm.

**EASTER DUES**

The Easter Dues Envelopes are now available and can be collected from The Parish Office Monday to Friday from 9am to 1pm. They are also available for collection within the Church.

**BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP**

The Bethany Bereavement Support Group takes place on Wednesday, **8<sup>th</sup> April and 22<sup>nd</sup> April, from 7:30 to 9:00pm** in the Parish Centre. The group provides a welcoming space to share your bereavement journey or to listen to others' experiences. Our team is there to listen and offer support to all who attend.

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**

The monthly collection will take place **next weekend 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> of April**. If you or your family need assistance, our Parish Conference of the Society of St Vincent de Paul is here to help. Contact the East Region helpline: 01-8550022.

**BLUE MASS COLLECTION ENVELOPES**

Did you know that the Parish may be able to claim tax back on the amount given to Sunday Mass collections? For example, if you contribute €10 to the collections on Sunday and place that amount in one of the blue envelopes with your name and address or envelope number, and if as a taxpayer you complete a CHY form, €6 would go to the First Collection, €4 to the Second Collection and an extra €4.50 can be claimed back from tax for the Parish at no cost to you? Thank you to all who avail of this facility to support our parish.

**PARISH CENTRE (Classes may vary over the Easter Break - please contact the class provider for more information)**

**Pilates Classes** are on each Wed morning at 9.15am and Wed evening at 7.30pm, contact Nora on 085 7768817 or on [pilateswithnora@gmail.com](mailto:pilateswithnora@gmail.com) for more information

**Crochet Classes** are on each Wednesday morning from 11.30am-1.00pm. Contact Sonya on 086 0711379 for more information.

**Arthritis Ireland Adapted** exercise class will resume on Tuesday Jan 20<sup>th</sup> at 10am. For more information contact 0818 252 846

Dublin City sponsored **Exercise Class** takes place each Wednesday from 11.30am-12.30pm in The Parish Centre. All Welcome.

**MEXICO 2026**

**OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE PILGRIMAGE**

*Including visits to the Pyramids of Teotihuacan, the colourful canals of Xochimilco, and the colonial splendour of Puebla*

**INCLUDED**

- Return flights from Dublin to Mexico City
- 6 nights hotel accommodation in Mexico City and 2 nights in Puebla
- Breakfast and dinner each day
- Modern coach and professional guide throughout
- Daily Mass
- Full tour of the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe
- Entrance to Teotihuacan (Pre-Aztec Pyramids)
- Gondola boat trip in Xochimilco
- All taxes, surcharges, and gratuities included

**Spiritual Director: Fr. Robert Smyth**

**€2,725 pps**  
20<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> October 2026

FURTHER DETAILS CONTACT GROUP ORGANISER  
**Pat O'Connor: 087 261 0405**

FULL ITINERARY AVAILABLE AT [WWW.MARIAN.IE](http://WWW.MARIAN.IE) Single room supplement €30

**Easter Week Mass Times** For He is not here, for He is Risen... *Matthew 28:5*

Monday 10am  
Tuesday 10am  
Wednesday 10am  
Thursday 10am  
Friday 10am  
Saturday 7.30pm  
Sunday 10.30am  
Sunday 12.30pm

**No Wednesday Mass in Blessed Margaret Ball**

Have a Blessed *Easter*

*Wishing that the Lord Blesses you on Easter and always!*