

PARISH INFORMATION

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Facebook: St Pauls Church Lisduggan.
Butlerstown Parish Facebook

LIVE STREAMING

Mass and other services (including weddings and funeral masses) are live streamed from our churches on

<https://www.mcn.live/Camera/st-paul-s>

and <https://www.mcn.live/Camera/butlerstown>

and www.stpaulsandbutlerstown.ie. so that the parish can extend its reach to those who cannot visit the church .

This may mean that your image will be broadcast on those websites, in particular, if you are on or near the sanctuary or sit in the first three rows of the middle aisle. If you do not wish your image to be captured in this way, please sit in another area of the church.

If you have concerns , please contact us.

ANNIVERSARIES

ST. PAUL'S

ALICE O'SHEA
THOMAS DUNPHY
EDGAR & NELLIE EVANS,
Their daughter KATHLEEN,
Their son EDGAR & daughter in law
ELIZABETH

ALICE McLAWRENCE
ELLEN TANNER
NETTA O'CONNOR nee KENNEDY
PAULINE FANNING

MARIE FOX
MARY & MICHAEL GRANT
& their son PAUL

GILLIAN FITZGERALD
JOHN & JIM TREACY
MATTIE DALY
PEG HEATON (Birthday Rem)
HENRY & ROSALEEN MILLER
& their daughter MARY PAYNE

SUZANNEPOWER
BRIDGET KENNEDY

BUTLERSTOWN

AILEEN ROBERTS nee KEANE (MM)
DONAL & MARY McGRATH
JOSEPHINE FITZGERALD
PADDY TAHENY



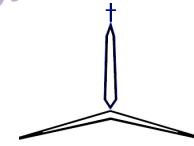
May they Rest in Peace

CIRCLE ME

Circle me O Lord,
keep peace within
and fear without.
keep trust within
and doubt without.
keep light within
and darkness without.
keep forgiveness within
and hostility without.



Parishes of St. Paul's & Butlerstown



24th of March, 2024 - PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

HOLY WEEK

Today we begin **Holy Week**. It is the greatest week in the Church's year. We commemorate and celebrate the events that took place during the last days of Christ's life on earth and which led to our salvation.

During Holy Week the Church asks us to enter in a special way into the mystery of Christ's death and resurrection, to journey with him through those fateful days.



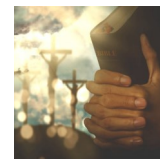
Today, **Palm Sunday**, we join Christians everywhere in acclaiming Christ as our King. As the week goes on, we will call to mind the critical moments in the final days of Jesus' life.



We will re-enact the moving events of **Holy Thursday** when Jesus gathered his disciples together and gave them himself in the Eucharist, his greatest gift.



On **Friday** we will call to mind the passion and death of Jesus. It is by dying that he showed the extent of his love.



On Saturday evening we will call to mind the night when God raised Jesus from the dead and new light came into the world. The **Easter Vigil** is the highlight of the Church's year because we celebrate in a special way the source of our faith, our hope, our love, our life - the resurrection of Christ.

OUR MASSES CONTINUE TO BE LIVE STREAMED AND BROADCAST ON THE RADIO. Please Note our Live Streaming MCN web addresses have been updated. Live streaming link from our own website remains the same.

LIVE STREAMING FROM ST. PAUL'S
<https://www.mcn.live/Camera/st-paul-s>

LIVE STREAMING FROM BUTLERSTOWN
<https://www.mcn.live/Camera/butlerstown>

RADIO: Morning Mass from St. Paul's Church on the Radio at **107.9FM**

OUR CHURCH OPENING FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

St Paul's Church weekdays 11am -1pm
Butlerstown Church daily 12 to 4.00pm

 **DONATE**

DONATIONS If you wish to make a donation to Parishes of St. Paul's & Butlerstown please click the **Donate Button** on our website.
<https://stpaulsandbutlerstown.ie/>



THREE DAYS THAT CHANGED EVERYTHING

A Holy Week evening of reflection

(You are invited to spend time reflecting on the last days of Jesus.

There will be a talk and time for personal prayer).

March 26, 2024

7:00PM-8:30PM

St. Paul's Parish Centre

Facilitator: *Sr. Maureen Fitzgerald, ascj*

Please call the parish office to reserve a place 051 357 730



STATIONS OF THE CROSS FOR LENT

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH :
WEDNESDAY AFTERNOONS AT 3.30PM
BUTLERSTOWN CHURCH:
FRIDAY MORNINGS AT 10.30AM

NOTICE FOR ENVELOPE DISTRIBUTORS

We would appreciate your help with the distribution of the Easter Collection Envelopes in your normal areas, if you are available and willing to do so.

Butlerstown Envelopes are available for collection from Butlerstown Sacristy.

St. Paul's Envelopes can be collected from the Parish Office .
Thank you for your help.

HELP....

We need help with St Paul's Easter Envelope Deliveries in the following areas:

DESMOND GROVE
OAK TERRACE
WOODLAWN GROVE

If you have an hour to spare please contact the Parish Office. Thank you.

NOTICE FOR EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS, READERS & THOSE WHO CAN HELP WITH EASTER LITURGIES IN ST PAUL'S CHURCH

Please let us know your availability for the Holy Week Ceremonies by completing the forms available in the Sacristy. Thank you.

VISIT OUR WEBSITE
<https://stpaulsandbutlerstown.ie/>

EASTER ARRANGEMENTS 2024 PARISHES OF ST PAUL'S & BUTLERSTOWN

Holy Thursday 28th March:

11.00am Chrism Mass in the Cathedral

7.30pm

Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper in **both** St. Paul's **and** Butlerstown.

8.30pm to 9.30pm:

Prayer before the Altar of Repose in Butlerstown Church

9pm to 10pm:

Prayer before the Altar of Repose in St Paul's Parish Centre

Good Friday 29th March:

12 noon

Stations of the Cross for families in St. Paul's Church.

3.00pm

Solemn Commemoration of the Lord's Passion in **both** St. Paul's **and** Butlerstown.

7.30pm

Stations of The Cross in **both** St. Paul's **and** Butlerstown.

Holy Saturday 30th March:

11am to 1pm Confessions in St. Paul's Church.

9.00pm

The Easter Vigil shared by St. Paul's & Butlerstown in St. Paul's Church.

Easter Sunday 31st March:

8.30am Mass in St. Paul's

10.00am Mass in Butlerstown

11.30am Mass in St. Paul's

Easter Week 1st to 5th April:

Mass each morning in St. Paul's at **10.30am** (except Thursday)

Friday April 5th:

Mass in Butlerstown at **10.00am**

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY, 7TH APRIL
Ceremonies commence in St. Paul's at 1.30pm with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.
Sacrament of Reconciliation 2 to 3pm.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION
ST PAUL'S CHURCH: €1,733
SECOND COLLECTION (EMIGRANTS) €650
THANK YOU.

MEDUGORJE HEALING MASS

Wednesday 27th of March at Mount Sion Chapel Barrack Street.
Rosary 7pm. Holy Mass 7.30pm.
Medugorje Choir. All are welcome.

HOLY PLACES COLLECTION The traditional collection for the Holy Places will be taken up at the Good Friday Ceremonies in St. Paul's and Butlerstown.

GOOD FRIDAY CARRYING OF THE CROSS from Belvedere Grotto to St. Paul's Church starting at 2.30pm all are welcome.

TAIZE VIGIL FOR PEACE

Led by the Peace Choir at The Edmund Rice Chapel , Mount Sion, Waterford on Good Friday, 29th of March from 8 to 9pm
Taize Music, Reflection, Song
All are very welcome.

Christ Jesus, show us how to welcome you into our lives as you were welcomed into Jerusalem.

As we prepare for the Easter Season, may we never be blind or deaf to your presence or turn away from those who need to be seen or heard. Amen.

