

PARISH INFORMATION

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Web: www.stpaulsandbutlerstown.ie

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/buttlerstown>

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

DAVEY FLYNN (MM)

MARY DURNEY (BR)

& her husband TOMMY DURNEY

BERNADINE OBA

ALEXANDER OBA

MARGARET ROSE BARRY

EDWARD (EDDIE) FOWLER

MICHAEL SMITH (New York)

who died recently

DESMOND & JEAN PICKARD

MAMIE & GEORGE PICKARD

EDWARD HURLEY

JOSEPHINE FAHY

ELSIE CARROLL

PAT DEVEREUX

MATTHEW, ELLEN,

BRIDGET & PATRICK DUNPHY

AIDAN (NED) BURNS (Norwood)

FRANKIE KEOHAN

NED POWER

PADDY & BRIDGET WHELAN

SEAN BYRNE

MARY MURPHY &

EDDIE MURPHY

BUTLERSTOWN

PATRICIA WALL (Ballinaneashagh)

May they Rest in Peace



God, source of all goodness,
you gave your Son for the life of the world
and sent your Spirit that your love
might abide within us.

Teach us how to love each other this day, that we
may have life,

and have it abundantly,

with you, in Christ,

and through the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

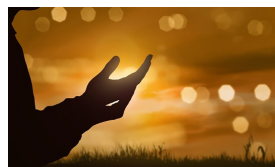


The Father is my hope.

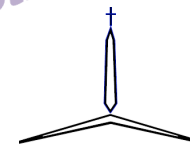
The Son is my refuge.

The Holy Spirit is my
protector.

Glory to the holy
and undivided Trinity,
now and forever.



Parishes of St. Paul's & Butlerstown



26th of May 2024 - THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

St Paul's Parish is in St. Otteran's Pastoral Area with the parishes of Ballybricken, Holy Family, St. Saviour's, Butlerstown, Dunhill & Fenor, Tramore & Carbally.'

I AM WITH YOU

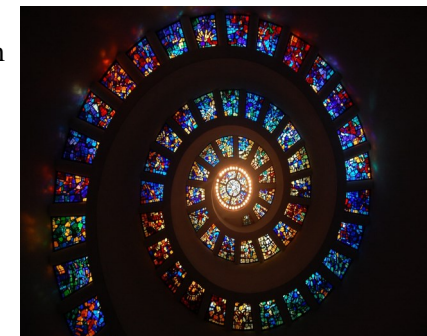
Matthew 28:16-20

Today's Gospel is often referred to as the 'Great Commission'. It contains the instructions of the Risen Jesus to the disciples to spread the Good News to the ends of the earth, to teach and to baptise 'in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit'.

As we celebrate Trinity Sunday today, we pay attention in particular to the very last words of Matthew's Gospel: 'And know that I am with you always; yes, to the end of time.' Jesus will be with his followers through the gift of the Holy Spirit, God's presence with us.

We read that some of the disciples were hesitant when they encountered Jesus on the mountain. They had lost him to death, and now he was risen and with them again in the flesh. They may have felt they weren't ready or able for the task he was handing over to them. These first disciples were an imperfect group of people, yet Jesus chose them to spread God's vision of love, compassion and justice throughout the world.

Perhaps, like some of the disciples, we are fearful or doubtful. At a time when everything is changing so rapidly, it can be difficult to navigate our own faith journey, never mind communicate it to others. Yet we have Jesus' assurance that he is with us, with the love and strength we need. The Holy Spirit is at work, inspiring and guiding us, shaping our lives, helping us to make the love of God present to all we meet.



Triona Doherty

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/>

CHECK IT OUT For updates on events/series in the Diocese of Waterford & Lismore ...Go to the web address below for the current issue of Check it out!
<https://waterfordlismore.ie/resources/>

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION:
ST. PAUL'S: €2,325
THANK YOU

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

JUNE COLLECTION

The June Collection for the Priests of the Parish will be taken up at all Masses next weekend. Envelopes are being delivered to homes in St Pauls and Butlerstown and are also available in both Churches.

Thank you for your continued support.

40 HOUR ADORATION

St. Paul's Church will be facilitating a 40 Hour Adoration commencing on Friday 7th of June at 4.30pm and ending with 8.30am Mass on Sunday 9th of June.

This is an opportunity for people to attend at any time, for Silent Prayer and Reflection. Members of the Parish Pastoral Council will be present to offer support. Please inform family and friends who may wish to attend.



THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

One of the key challenges today is that of individuality – when 'I' comes first, without thought of the other. I'm not surprised that we have lonely young people and lonely elderly people; it's not surprising we have racist divisions – if 'I' is all that matters, I don't need to worry about connecting to anyone else, or understanding anyone else, or being on the side of anyone else.

Thinking about the Trinity brings us into a different way of thinking about ourselves and the world. When we enter into the mystery of the relationality of the Trinity, we can no longer exclude people. All are equally loved and valued by God.

Revd Dr Elizabeth Welch

THE ANNUAL MAY DIOCESAN ROSARY

PROCESSION will be held this Sunday the 26th of May, leaving Ballybricken Green at 3pm and proceeding to the Dominican Church, Bridge Street for the Crowning of our Lady. All are Welcome especially those Children who received their first holy communion.

HOSPITALITY GROUP MEETING

St. Paul's Hospitality Group will meet on Tuesday next, 28th of May at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre. All are welcome. New members also very welcome to attend.

MEDUGORJE HEALING MAS

Will take place on Wednesday 29th of May at Mount Sion Chapel, Barrack Street. Rosary 7pm, Mass 7.30pm. Celebrant: Fr. Bobby Power. Medugorje Choir. All welcome.

THE DIOCESAN CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

will take place on Thursday next, 30th of May beginning at Ballybricken at 6.30pm and walking to the Cathedral for Benediction. All welcome.

ROSARY AT THE GROTTA OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES, BELVEDERE (TOP OF BROWN'S RD.)

will take place each Monday, Wednesday and Friday until the end of the Summer at 6.30pm. Prayers will be offered for world peace and vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

On Friday May 31st the statue of our Lady will be crowned. All are welcome.

The life of the Trinity becomes very ordinary in the love, care and forgiveness we offer to each other. It is also there in the ways in which we try to better the lives of the poor, and the anxious. It's in how we try to teach a younger generation the best lessons of humanity and faith, and introduce them to this mystery of God. We are active partners in the work of God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit in the world today.



NOTICE FOR DISTRIBUTORS

JUNE COLLECTION

The June Collection for the Priests of the Parish will take place next weekend, 2nd of June and we would be grateful for your help distributing the Envelopes in your usual areas if you are available.

Butlerstown Envelopes

Are now available at Butlerstown Sacristy.

St Paul's Envelopes

Can be collected from the Parish Office. Thank you for your help.

HELP

We would be grateful if anybody is willing to help us distributing envelopes for the June Collection in the following areas:

Parts of Larchville

Woodlawn Grove

Your help is much appreciated. Please call in to the Parish Office any weekday morning next week if you can help.



CREATE SILENCE IN US

so that we may listen to Your voice in Creation and in the Scriptures, in events and in people, above all in the poor and suffering. May Your word guide us so that we too, like the two disciples on the way to Emmaus, may experience the force of Your resurrection and witness to others that You are alive in our midst as source of fraternity, justice and peace.