PARISH BULLETIN

CHURCH OF ST. TREA

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ALTAR SOCIETY: April: Mary McKeever READERS:

Evenings April: Donal McPeake

Mornings: April: Nuala Corr

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION:

Evening: April: Helen Doyle

Mornings: April:

COUNTERS. Team C

REMEMBER OUR DEAD: Please pray for the repose of the souls of the recently deceased Seamus McIvor, Aideen Patel (McElhone), Lance Powles, Jake McCoubrey, and the deceased priests and benefactors of this Parish and for those whose Months Mind Masses or Anniversaries occur at this time.

SAT: 17 Apr: Margaret May Diamond, Tommy Doherty, Maura O'Neill

SUN: 18 Apr: Eliza Murphy, Paul McAllister, Annie Fullerton, Kathleen O'Hagan

MON: 19 Apr: Sarah McRory, Joseph Heaney

TUES: 20 Apr: Barbara McErlain, Margaret McCann, Isobel McGrogan, Mary Crozier, Annie McPeake, Anne Marie Muldoon, Seamus O'Brien (1st AV)

WED: 21 Apr: Bernard Lavery, Mary McGrath

THU: 22 Apr: Bernard McPeake, Leo Graffin, Richard Johnston (1st AV) 7pm

FRI: 23 Apr: Elizabeth Cassidy, Eamon Gilmore, Jeannie McGovern

SAT: 24 Apr: Charlie Hinfey, Hughie Murphy, Margaret Ward, Dennis McKeever, Eileen Wilkinson, Alice McCann

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, and may the perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

ENVELOPES: are ready for collection. Each box has a **Gift Aid** form this year. We are requesting everyone who pays tax to sign and return. For our records it would help that those who are already on Gift Aid would sign the form as well. In Gift Aid the tax on your donation comes to the parish and has been a great help.

PIONEER: Annual subscription for Pioneer magazine now due £20 please leave through Father Fox's letterbox in an envelope with your name on it.

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER SUNDAY 18 APRIL 2021

POPE'S INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH APRIL: Fundamental Rights

We pray for those who risk their lives while fighting for fundamental rights under dictatorships, authoritarian regimes and even in democracies in crisis.

VOCATION MESSAGE: "Peace be with you." If you think you may have a vocation to follow the Risen Lord as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life, speak to your local priest, or contact your Diocesan Vocations Director (Fr. Peter: pmcanenly21@gmail.com; 028 (048) 37522802) or email the National Vocations Office on info@vocations.ie

MASS next weekend 24/25 April we invite those parishioners from Derrygarve, Aughrim Road, Airfield & Bannside to attend vigil Mass 7pm. Near Ballymaguigan to attend Sunday Mass 10am.

The obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holydays remains suspended. Because of the pandemic numbers will be restricted to the capacity of the church. We intend to live-stream the main ceremonies. **It is important to work along with the stewards.**

Volunteers to steward and clean should be provided by the area attending. We are grateful for those who have already volunteered but uptake has not been sufficient. Public Mass is not permitted in their absence. Young people and those not shielding are invited to help our parish in this time of need.

ROSARY: 7pm. Or at a time of your choice. All are invited to pray for protection from Covid 19.

CHURCH open for Private Prayer 10.30am - 7.30pm daily

WEEKEND MASSES: (limited numbers as above) Saturday 7pm & Sunday 10am WEEKDAY MASSES: 10am (except Monday & Thursday 7pm)

(Friday 5pm Confirmation St Treas)

CONFESSIONS: 10.30am & Saturday 5pm

WE WELCOME TO THE PARISH FAMILY: Gracie Jane Maguire

FUNERAL MASS: Seamus McIvor Sunday at 12noon. While the severe restriction on numbers at funerals has been lifted it is important that most of the available space in the Church be left free for family and close associates. The Church remains at one third capacity due to the pandemic.

Unless things change the First Sacraments and Confirmation will go ahead as planned. CONFIRMATION: Due to Health restrictions we can only have the child, parents and sponsor at the ceremony. Anahorish 6 May 5pm FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: St Trea's 8 May & Anahorish 15 May For First Communion only the child and parents may attend. FIRST CONFESSION: arranged through the school.

TROCAIRE: Remaining boxes can be returned. Donations will be doubled this year by the government.