

4th SUNDAY OF LENT
PSALTER WEEK 4 Reading Cycle B
SUNDAY 11th MARCH 2018
'LAETARE SUNDAY'

"Mothering Sunday"



Rejoice

ST PATRICK'S
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Confessions Saturday at 6pm

Before evening Mass & by request

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SUNDAY MASSES

SATURDAY	10 th MARCH	WEEKDAY, 3 rd WEEK OF LENT	6.30pm	Tom Roche
SUNDAY	11 th MARCH	4 th SUNDAY OF LENT ~ LAETARE SUNDAY	10am	Lu Mooney and Mary Desmond +

WEEKDAY MASSES

MONDAY	12 th MARCH	Weekday, 4 th Week of Lent	10am	Evelyn Frendo
TUESDAY	13 th MARCH	Weekday, 4 th Week of Lent	10am	Maria and Joao Gamacho +
WEDNESDAY	14 th MARCH	Weekday, 4 th Week of Lent	10am	Sick of the Parish
THURSDAY	15 th MARCH	Weekday, 4 th Week of Lent	9am	Holy Souls
FRIDAY	16 th MARCH	Weekday, 4 th Week of Lent	10am	Evelyn Frendo

SUNDAY MASSES

SATURDAY	17 th MARCH	ST. PATRICK, BISHOP, PATRON OF IRELAND	6.30pm	Tom and Bernard
SUNDAY	18 th MARCH	5 th SUNDAY OF LENT	10am	Paul Mallia

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK, ANNIVERSARIES AND THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED:

Your charitable prayers are asked for the sick of the Parish: Antonio Lia, Maria Pia, Eileen Kennedy, M. Burns, Tony Murray, Chiara Mallimaci, Joan Cowley, Adelaide Almeida, Fiona Burge, Guiseppe Zangari, Josephine Moule, Maureen Bowden, Theresa Commander, Maria Woodman, Jane Lewis, Pat Collins, Fran Johnson, Pauline Lukaweczyi, Philip Brocklebank, Ann Murphy, Janet Gallaccio and Patrick Cowley.

To all our parishioners who are indisposed, you are sorely missed. We pray for the Repose of the Souls of Juan Laventure and Dorothy Denney who have died recently. May they Rest in Eternal Peace +

~ Today we celebrate Laetare Sunday and "Mothering Sunday". Each of us has his or her memories of our Mother, some happy some sad of the times we shared with them. For some your Mothers are still alive, others like me, have died and please God resting after their work in this life has been completed. Today we thank them for the great gift of life, the values they instilled in us and the unconditional love they gave us. May Mary the Mother of Jesus, Our Mother, hold close to herself those who have died and be with those still alive today and always.

'Thank you Mam for putting up with me, your loving Son, Michael.'

GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY We extend our prayers and very Best Wishes to Shelagh and Kenny Hill who will be celebrating 50years of marriage on Friday 16th March!!

Congratulations and May God Bless you Shelagh and Kenny and keep you in His care throughout your lives +

LENT 2018 There will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Stations of the Cross and Benediction, in the Church at 3pm every Friday during Lent, excluding Good Friday. All Welcome. Mass is celebrated here at St. Patrick's at 10am, a convenient time for many. Why not try to attend during Lent or come to the Way of the Cross & Exposition each Friday at 3pm.

EASTER READERS If you are on the Reader's List over the Easter period and cannot attend Mass please contact Margaret DeSanti who will arrive alternative cover. Thank you, 029 20252089

PLEASE NOTE Baptisms and Weddings will only be discussed with the Priest after Saturday & Sunday Masses and not over the telephone.

PIETY STALL New stock arriving including: cards and gifts for Easter and items for First Holy Communion. Please come and have a look! "Walk with Me, A Lenten Journey of Prayer for 2018" and The Year Books are also available.

~ A man was walking through the woods when he stumbled across a lamp. In time-honoured tradition, he picked it up, rubbed it, and out popped a genie who granted him three wishes. 'I'd like 1 million dollars,' said the man. And POOF! 1 million dollars appeared. 'And what is your second wish?' asked the genie. 'I'd like a new Ferrari,' said the man. And POOF! A gleaming new Ferrari suddenly appeared. 'And for your third wish?' 'I'd like to be irresistible to women.' And POOF! He was turned into a box of chocolates.

~ What do you call a woman with a screwdriver in one hand, a knife in the other, a pair of scissors between her toes on her left foot and a corkscrew between the toes on her right foot? – A Swiss Army wife.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM : O let my tongue cleave to my mouth if I remember you not!
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Glory and Praise to you, O Christ! God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son; everyone who believes in him has eternal life. Glory and praise to you, O Christ!

READERS

SATURDAY 17th MARCH	1st READING	K. Lewis
	2nd READING	S. Udry
	BIDDING PRAYERS	M. DeSanti
SUNDAY 18th MARCH	1st READING	P. Barrie
	2nd READING	C. German
	BIDDING PRAYERS	K. Johnson

OFFERTORY

SATURDAY 17th MARCH	M. & B. Barrett and K. Burnett
SUNDAY 18th MARCH	G. Aherne, A. O'Brien and L. Lippett

CHURCH CLEANING ROTA Friday 16th March ~ A. O'Brien,, P. Taylor and J. Robinson
Vacuum Cleaning, Paths and Church Surround- B. Seignott Brass Cleaning: P. McCarthy
Altar and Votive Candles, Church and Garden Maintenance: K. Johnson and Family

SHE IS GONE

You can shed tears that she has gone
Or you can smile because she has lived.
You can close your eyes and pray that she will come back
Or you can open your eyes and see all that she has left.
Your heart can be empty because, you can't see her
Or you can be full of the love you shared.
You can turn your back on tomorrow and live for yesterday
Or you can be happy because of yesterday.
You can remember her and only that she's gone
Or you cherish her memory and let it live on.
You can cry, close your mind, be empty and turn your back
Or you can ***SMILE, OPEN YOUR EYES, LOVE AND GO ON.***

50TH YEARS OF LOVE ~ SHELAGH & KENNY

God Blessed you together these Fifty years ,memories of much love , full of laughter and tears
Children and grandchildren, family and friends, a Love for each other, a Love without end.
Through commitment and Love God answered your prayers
You help those in need and always care.
May your Blessings be bountiful and friendships grow
You are Loved by many, more than you know.

Thought of the Week :

MUM: *A #!#!e Just above QUEEN*