Welcome to St Brendan & St Patrick's Corby

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6th & 7th April 2024 2nd Sunday of Easter/Divine Mercy Sunday Year B

OUR PARISH LITURGY THIS WEEK

Saturday	6.00pm	Cathie Cunningham, RIP
Sunday	9.00am	People of the Parish
	11.00am	Peggy Floody, RIP
Monday	The Annunciation of the Lord	
7.00pm	Tommy & Eve Lyons, RIP	
Tuesday	Tuesday of the 2 nd week of Eastertide	
10.00am	John McBride, RIP – Requiem Mass	
Thursday	St Stanislaus	
10.00am	Susan McDermott, Int.	
Friday	Friday of the 2 nd week of Eastertide	
10.00am	Cathy Kearney, RIP	
Saturday	6.00pm	John Clifford, RIP
Sunday	9.00am	Giovanni & Consolata Spinelli, RIP
	11.00am	People of the Parish

MASS BOOKS: 255

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, for his love has no end.

NEXT SUNDAY: 3rd Sunday of Easter

PARISH CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:

St Brendan's Primary School: Beanfield Avenue, NN18 0AZ TEL. NO.01536 202491

www.stbrendansprimaryschool.co.uk

St Patrick's Primary School: Patrick Road, NN18 9NT Tel. no.

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www.stpatricksprimaryschool.com

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE Funeral Services.

John McBride, RIP

Received into Church on Monday 8th April at 4.00pm.

Requiem Mass on Tuesday 9th April at 10.00am.

Graham Carter, RIP

Received into Church on Thursday 25th April at 5.45pm.

Requiem Mass on Friday 26th April at 10.00am.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION:

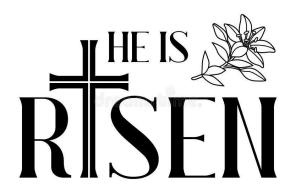
HOLY SEE COLLECTION FOR THE HOLY **PLACES OF PALESTINE: £610.42**

EASTER OFFERING:

A NOTE FROM FR MARK: Thank you for your kindness and generosity shown in the Easter collection. It is a great honour to be your parish priest and I would like to thank all those who give me great support.'

Thank you to all those who generously support the parish financially.

SIGN OF PEACE: As with the majority of parishes we are invited to give each other the sign of peace at Mass. The sign does not have to be a handshake: it can be a bow of the head or a raised hand so please do whatever you feel comfortable with. The symbolism is that we offer each other the peace of Christ which we receive from the Lord in the celebration of the Mass.



Parish Notices

Welcome to our new parish!

So the two parishes of St Brendan's and St Patrick's have now merged. We will build on the incredible legacy of the two parishes that witnessed to the faith for over 60 years. Let us pray for our new parish that we will confidently proclaim our faith in the risen Lord and play our part in the mission of the Church. Easter is a time of celebration and renewal, the light of the Lord's resurrection brings strength, healing and forgiveness. Let us allow this message to inspire each of us as we build upon the great legacy passed on to us.

PARENTS/ GUARDIAN MEETING FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES: A joint meeting will be held on 24th April at 7.00pm in the church. It is important this meeting is attended. If you cannot make the meeting then please contact the office to arrange a meeting with Fr Mark as he will be reviewing the Mass attendance of the children preparing to celebrate the sacraments.

BAPTISM MEETING: The next Baptism meeting will be on Thursday 18th April at 7.00pm in the church.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING: The next parish council meeting will be on 16th April at 7.00pm in the Parish Room.

IMPORTANT - LOURDES: It's great to see so many people are going on the trip to Lourdes. It is important to make sure that the names provided on the application forms match exactly to the names on peoples passports. Contact the office if you need further advice.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES 2024/25: For anyone who didn't have the opportunity over the last few weekends but would like a set of Offertory envelopes or to pay by standing order please contact the Parish Office Monday to Thursday, 9am to 5pm. These new envelopes will be for the new joint account of St Brendan & St Patrick's – Corby. Please note that offertory envelopes and standing orders are for all and not just taxpayers. However, if you are a taxpayer, we can claim an extra 25p per pound you donate from the government, at no extra cost to you – it is free money!

Everyone who is a taxpayer will need to sign a new gift aid form for the new financial year and you will be allocated a new envelope number.

PASTORAL AREA DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY AT ST EDWARD'S, KETTERING THIS SUNDAY: 7th April 2024, The programme is as follows: 2.00 pm - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Divine Mercy Chaplet - in Polish. 'Via Lucis' - Stations of the Resurrection. Divine Mercy Chaplet - in Syro-Malabar. HYMN - 'Sweet Sacrament Divine' Divine Mercy Chaplet - in English.3.00 pm — Benediction.

GOD'S LITTLE PEOPLE: We hope to start up God's Little People (Children's Liturgy) during the 11.00am Mass. We need volunteers to take the children into the Parish Room and explain the Readings to them. All volunteers will need to be DBS checked. Please let the stewards know if you would like to help.

TEA & COFFEE: We would like to start offering refreshments after 11.00am Mass on a Sunday. Again, if you would like to help with this please let the stewards know.

MUSICIANS: Any musicians to join our great folk group. Do we have anyone who can play the keyboard, singers or other musicians? Please contact the parish office if you are interested in joining.

PARENTS A NOTE FROM SAFEGUARDING - If your child needs to use the toilet at Church they **MUST** be accompanied by a parent or guardian.