

PALM SUNDAY

Turning to God for Forgiveness this Lent

As we move closer to Holy Week, many people's thoughts turn to the Sacrament of Reconciliation as part of the journey of Lent. Unfortunately, at this time of restrictions not everybody is in a position to take part in this sacrament. But, of course, the forgiveness of God is always available to us and there are many ways in which we can experience God's mercy, love and forgiveness as we anticipate a future celebration of the sacrament.

You are very welcome to join us for an **online Liturgy of Forgiveness on Wednesday 31st at 8pm**. This liturgy prepared by Michael Kelly, in collaboration with Bishop Leahy, Fr Mike Cussen and Fr Frank O'Dea, will be streamed live online. People will need to have two stones that can be easily held in your hand, a candle, a large place, pens and paper. Go to www.limerickdiocese.org

Easter 2021, Resources, Ideas & Support for Parishes

As we face another Easter Season in lockdown, the Pastoral Outreach Team in the Diocese has been working to create and collate some resources, ideas and suggestions, which might help to supplement the wonderful work being done in parishes across the Diocese. See Church Notice Boards or go to <https://www.limerickdiocese.org> for details.



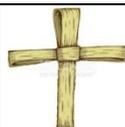
Trócaire are appealing to you for your continued support this Lent. Donations can be made to the Lenten campaign via the Trócaire Boxes or the Envelope System or Online at www.trocaire.org ; By phone: 1850 408 408 (ROI). Trócaire boxes may be returned to the Parish Office or to the

Sacristies after Masses.

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People: ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to COVID-19. Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.



CLOCKS GO FORWARD: Summer Time starts, Sunday March 28, 2021, 1:00:00 am **clocks** are turned forward 1 hour ...don't forget.



Blessed Palm will be available to collect from Patrickswell and Ballybrown Churches this weekend and next week to mark Palm Sunday.

Clothes Collection supporting Friends of Calcutta (CHY 13218) on

Monday March 29th. Bags of clothes, footwear etc most welcome and to be left on the day in the car park during times allocated. Michael Hopkins will be at Patrickswell Church Car Park from 3.30 to 4pm and Ballybrown from 4.15pm to 5pm. All enquiries to Michael 087-9073074.

Staying connected with our Parish during Holy Week

Parish Holy Week Cermonies 2021 (Online)

Via webcam at www.pwbbparish.com

Patrickswell: Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday at 9.30am.

Wednesday at 8pm – Liturgy of Forgiveness go to www.limerickdiocese.org

Holy Thursday: Mass of the Lord's Supper at 6.30pm. Adoration to 8.30pm (online)

Good Friday: Devotions at 3pm followed by Stations of the Cross at 6.00pm.

Outdoor stations available if you wish to do them privately.

Holy Saturday: Easter Vigil Mass at 9pm.(There will be no Adoration).

Easter Sunday: Mass at 11.30am.

Adoration for Sundays of Lent from 4pm – 7pm.

Ballybrown: Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday at 10.30am.

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Churches open for quiet prayer from 11am to 5.30pm.

*Weekly Offertory Collection €823.90
March Diocesan Needs Amounted to €429.10
Thank you.*