**PARISH OF PRIOR NEWSLETTER**

**DUN GEAGAN – PORTMAGEE – THE GLEN**

**Palm Sunday**

**Sunday 28th March 2021,**

**Email: prior@dioceseofkerry.ie Mobile: 087-0564348 (Fr Patsy)**

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| **Recently deceased: Tessie Cremin, Meeligoleen, Ballinskelligs. May she rest in peace.** |

**All Masses online at** [**www.ChurchServices.tv/Portmagee**](http://www.ChurchServices.tv/Portmagee)**.**

**Covid 19 Restrictions: All Public Worship will be Online. Churches open for private prayer.**

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| **Mass Intentions for the coming week.** |

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| Sat 27th March | Portmagee | 7.30pm | The Keane Family East End.  Katie & Mike Falvey |
| Sun 28th March | The Glen | 10.00am | Patsy & Mikey Goggin. |
| Sun 28th March | Dun Geagain | 11.30am | Liam Forde. |
| Mon 29th March | Portmagee | 10.00am |  |
| Tues 30th March | No Mass |  |  |
| Wed 31st March | No Mass |  |  |
| Thur 1st April | The Glen | 7.30pm | Holy Thursday- Mass of the Lords Supper. |
| Fri 2nd April | Dun Geagain | 3.00pm | Good Friday. The Passion of the Lord. |
| Fri 2nd April | Dun Geagain | 7.30pm | Good Friday-Stations of the Cross |
| Sat 3rd April | Portmagee | 7.30pm | Easter Vigil  Con Sugrue, Ellen & Charlie O Connell, Michael O Connell. |
| Sun 4th April | The Glen | 10.00am | Easter Sunday- Mary Quirke. |
| Sun 4th April | Dun Geagain | 11.30am | Easter Sunday- Denis O Shea (1st Anniv)  Mary B O Sullivan, James Sullivan |

**Readings.**

**The First Reading;** Every day, we are invited to“listen like a disciple” Holy Week invites an attentive listening and awareness.

**The Second Reading:** Together with Jesus we set out on a journey that leads us to God.

**The Gospel:** The Passion gospel story is about condemnation, mockery, humiliation, and death. It is a challenging dialogue with a forgetful Church and society. This gospel tributary flows through the hearts of all lives that are alienated and rejected.

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| Holy Week Timetable.  April 1st: **Holy Thursday**- The Glen, 7.30pm Mass of The Lords Supper.  April 2nd **Good Friday**- Dun Geagain 3pm The Passion of the Lord & 7pm Stations of the Cross.  April 3rd: Portmagee- **Easter Vigil** 7.30pm  April 4th The Glen 10.00am & Dun Geagain 11.30 **Easter Sunday**  **Scoil Bhréanainn Enrolment for Junior Infants School Year 2021 - 2022:  Please contact the school for an information pack or if you have any queries. Telephone 0669477211 and email** [**portmageens@gmail.com**](mailto:portmageens@gmail.com) |
| **Many thanks to all who have returned their tax rebate forms.** |

**Parishioners who wish to donate to Trocaire may put their donation in an envelope and mark it Trocaire. Please put envelopes in the letter boxes in the Church. Thank you.**

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| **Awut and her family fled brutal armed conflict in South Sudan, running for their lives for days without food or water. They lost nearly everything, then she met another woman with even less. Awut welcomed Ajak and her children. The two women forget a friendship and work hard to keep their families safe, but they are caught in poverty. Covid lingers and the awful violence continues.** |

**An Easter Prayer**

**Living Lord, when we stand before the empty tomb, we don’t always feel the joy of resurrection.**

**We feel fear, doubt, and distrust.**

**Our lives, at times feel empty.**

**Help us to welcome new life.**

**Fill the emptiness with new light.**

**Call us to abundant new life.**

**Guide us in the light of your love.**