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St Finian's Church and Our Lady Queen of Heaven

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Fifth Sunday of Easter 10th May 2020

Our Mother Mary



During our May devotions we ask Our Lady, Health of the Sick to continue to protect us and pray for us and especially to intercede for all who are ill. Every evening through the month of May at 6.45 we will pray the rosary before Mass. On the Saturday evenings of the month of May we will have a representative of our Indian, African, Filipino, Polish and Irish community members leading us in a decade of the rosary at 6.45 just before the Vigil Mass.

Prayer of Pope Francis

O Mary,

You shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who, at the foot of the cross, were united with Jesus' suffering, and persevered in your faith.

"Protectress of the people",

you know our needs, and we know that you will provide, so that, as at Cana in Galilee, joy and celebration may return after this time of trial. Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform ourselves to the will of the Father and to do what Jesus tells us. For he took upon himself our suffering. and burdened himself with our sorrows to bring us, through the cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. Amen.

We fly to your protection, O Holy Mother of God; Do not despise our petitions in our necessities, but deliver us always from every danger, O Glorious and

Blessed Virgin.

Fr Des and Fr Antony will continue saying a private Mass daily at 7pm on the parish webcam www.stfiniansparish.com

> or mcnmedia.com



Mass will be offered for the Intentions that have been booked in and for God's protection on the people of the parish. Please make a spiritual Communion. You can receive great grace from the Lord by quietly inviting Him into your soul at Holy Communion time even though you don't receive sacramentally

The following is a prayer for spiritual Communion:

My Jesus, I Believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love you above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if you were already there, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen

THANK YOU!

Many Thanks for your kind donations to the Easter Dues envelopes and indeed for all your donations to the church over the last few weeks. Your kindness and generosity is very much appreciated.

Thank You Cards

A big thank you goes out to all the children in our parish who made thank you cards and baked beautiful cakes for the staff at Tara Winthrop in appreciation for the great work that they do in caring for the elderly and keeping them safe at this time. Keep up your kindness and stay safe!

It's great to see a little change with the Government's restrictions this week. Our community is doing a great job together in making sure that everyone is staying safe. Keep up the prayers and please God it won't be long before we all get to pray together and celebrate the Sacraments.

God Bless!



Mary Butler (RD)
Tuesday 12th
Patrick Ward (3rd AN)
Wednesday 13th
Mrs Whyte (RD)
Thursday 14th
Mrs Keegan (RD)
Friday 15th
Daniel O' Keefe (10th AN)
Saturday 16th
Ray Morris (4th AN)
Sunday 17th
George Quigley (RD)

Mon 11th

Parish Office

The parish office is closed. You can still get in touch with Steph through the parish email stfiniansparish@gmail.com if you have any queries or if you need to book a Mass. All information is on Parish Website

www.stfiniansparish.com