



Christ is risen! Indeed He is risen!

THE CRUCIFIXION
 [By Fran Peck]

I laughed and mocked as He walked that day, up a hill to redeem my soul.
 I joined the crowd to spit and jeer, and I watched His sorrow grow.
 I drove every nail deep in His hands with every sin in my heart.
 My rebellion shoved the thorns in His head, and my strife tore His robe apart.
 I used my hatred to give Him a bitter drink, and I glared down on Him with pride.
 I thought of past disappointments, and with my anger, I pierced His side.
 I denied His power and ignored His worth and stood waiting for His life to end.
 I watched the last drop of His blood fall, not knowing my grief would begin.
 I looked around to find His accusers, but no one was there but me.
 I looked at my hands; they were stained with blood, and then I began to see.
 Conviction slowly entered my heart, and I dropped all my weapons of choice:
 the pride, the anger, the hatred, the lust, and then I heard His voice.
 "Forgive her Father, I died for her.
 I paid the price for her soul,
 I bore her sickness and all of her pain, and now I have made her whole."
 He looked down on me with loving eyes.
 He saw my present, my future, my past.
 He knew I needed a Saviour, and my soul had found Him at last.
 I looked around to find His accusers, but no one was there but me.

† **MASS INTENTIONS** †

TUES 23 10 a.m.	Margaret McCarthy
SAT 27 7 p.m.	Paddy Redmond
SUN 28 9 a.m. 11 a.m. 12.30 p.m. 7 p.m.	Westby Family Anne McCarthy Sheila Higgins Mairéad Gallaher
MON 29 7 p.m.	Marie Vaughan
WED 01 MAY 7 p.m.	Fr. Colm Connolly
FRI 03 7 p.m.	John / Mary Fitzgerald
SAT 04 7 p.m.	Nora / Owen Delaney
SUN 05 9 a.m. 11 a.m. 12.30 p.m. 7 p.m.	James Tierney Colm Quinn George Kendrick Philomena Kendrick Declan Merren



In the rising of the sun at dawn,
 and as the sunset fades,
 meet me Lord Jesus.
 In the hard decisions of the moment,
 meet me Lord Jesus.
 On a well-lit road, in a time of need,
 meet me Lord Jesus.
 In the faces of friends
 and in the hands of strangers,
 meet me Lord Jesus.
 In my setting out,
 and in my coming home,
 meet me Lord Jesus.

BAPTISM DATES

June 09 15	Sept 14 21
July 13 20	Oct 12 19
Aug 10 17	Nov 09 16
	Dec 07 14

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Church Shop

OPENING HOURS

Sunday:
 after 10 a.m. 11 a.m. 12.30 p.m. Masses
 Monday - Friday after 10 a.m. Mass

FIRST COMMUNION DATES
Sunday 12 / 19 / 26 May

MASS TIMES

Sunday 12

8.30 a.m.
 9.30 a.m. [First Communion]
 11 a.m. [First Communion]
 12.30 p.m.
 7 p.m.



SUNDAY 19

8.30 a.m.
 9.30 a.m. [First Communion]
 11 a.m. [First Communion]
 12.30 p.m. [First Communion]
 7 p.m.



SUNDAY 26

8.30 a.m.
 9.30 a.m. [First Communion]
 11 a.m. [First Communion]
 12.30 p.m.
 7 p.m.



MASS TIMES
MON 22 - FRI 26 April
10 a.m. ONLY [No Evening Mass]