



# Holy Week

## MOUNT MERRION PARISH

### JOURNEY THROUGH HOLY WEEK

VIA WEBCAM ON

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#### **PALM SUNDAY - 10am MASS**

Jesus enters the City of Jerusalem on a donkey. A big crowd welcomes Him. They shout 'Hosanna', wave palm branches and lay them, along with their cloaks, on the ground for Him. At 10am Mass Fr Joe will bless palms as we together begin our journey into Holy Week and read The Passion from St Mark's Gospel. Blessed palms may be collected from the church after Mass.



#### **MON - TUES - WED: 10am MASS / LITURGY IN MOUNT MERRION AND**

#### **PARISH TRIDUUM IN KILMACUD** - *"Easter Hope in the Time of Pandemic"*

10am Mass & 7.30pm Prayer Service each day led by Fr. Laurence Gallagher CSsR. Reconciliation, reflection and renewal in preparation for Easter - via webcam on [www.kilmacudparish.ie](http://www.kilmacudparish.ie)

#### **HOLY THURSDAY - 7.30pm - MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

Jesus and the Apostles gather together in the Upper Room for a special meal - The Last Supper. We remember the words Jesus said at that meal; *'Do This in Memory of Me'*. We recall that Jesus washed the feet of the 12 Apostles. Perhaps place a jug and bowl of water on a table nearby as you too join the Mass of the Last Supper.



#### **GOOD FRIDAY - 3pm - CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION**

We enter into the Passion through the account from St John's Gospel and we recall the Way of the Cross. 'Hosanna'...replaced by 'Crucify Him'... and then finally, "It is accomplished". In our homes we can venerate the Cross and remember again the love Christ showed for us when he stretched out his arms on that Cross.



#### **HOLY SATURDAY - 10am - WAITING WITH THE WOMEN OF THE CROSS**

After the grief and sorrow of Good Friday, now there is only silence. We may feel bereft, empty after the events of yesterday. The women who had followed Jesus from Galilee must have felt the same. Join us via webcam at 10am on Holy Saturday morning, as we spend some time with them in music, prayer and reflection.

#### **EASTER VIGIL – 11pm RTÉ One & RTÉ Radio 1 Extra/LW252.** - Easter Vigil Mass from Knock Basilica



#### **EASTER SUNDAY – 10am MASS:**

Early in the morning some women go to the tomb. Jesus has risen from the dead. *Alleluia! Alleluia!* Perhaps prepare an Easter table with spring flowers, Easter eggs, maybe your baptismal or another candle, and join with Fr Joe as he lights our Paschal Candle.

#### **POPE FRANCIS' Urbi et Orbi Message & Blessing – 12.25-1pm (approx) RTÉ One & RTÉ Radio 1 Extra/LW252**