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Office hours: Tuesdays & Wednesdays 9.30am-5.30pm (lunch hour 12.30pm-1.30pm), Thursdays 9am-1pm

Sunday Masses: 8.30am at Airport Oratory 9am, 11am at Mary Immaculate Church 10am, 12.15pm at SS John & Paul Church

Weekday Masses: 9.15am at Mary Immaculate 10am at Skycourt Adoration Chapel 7pm at SS John & Paul (Thurs/Friday) Saturday 12 noon at Mary Immaculate, 6.30pm at SS John & Paul

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Live streaming from SS John & Paul Church



Sunday 15th March 2020
Dé Domhnach 15ú Márta
Third Sunday of Lent

Last Sunday's collection: €2,213



We extend our Prayers & Sympathy:

To the families of Patrick Cassidy, Gleann an Oir who was buried on Thursday and to the family of Gerry McInerney, Cronan Park, who was cremated on Friday. To the family of Hanna Feighery, Lios na Ri who died on Thursday. To Maria Collins, Tullyglass Hill on the death of her sister Eileen Ahern, Douglas, Cork, who was buried on Tuesday.

Parish celebrations in the light of coronavirus:

All daily and Sunday Masses are suspended until March 29th.

The Priests of the Parish will offer private Masses for your intentions on the webcam and Parish Radio from SS John & Paul Church with no congregation present. There will be no celebrations in Mary Immaculate Church. It is also hoped that these Masses will be broadcast live on our Facebook post.

Funerals are permitted, but only with only with family members and very close relatives present to the maximum of 100 people.

The Adoration Chapel will remain open from 9am to 6pm from Monday to Friday for personal prayer but there will be no Eucharistic Adoration or Mass up to March 29th.

Both our Churches will remain open also for people to visit for prayer, light a candle, reflection or indeed to pray the stations of the Cross and the Rosary.

Baptisms to be celebrated as normal.

First Communion and Confirmations Both Sacraments will be celebrated on the days that they are scheduled. If we are instructed otherwise, we will reschedule the date, but I want to reassure families and our children that we will be celebrating their special day.

The Parish Office will remain open as normal for general Parish business.

All anniversaries that are affected by the suspension will be rescheduled at a future date.

ALL PARISH CELEBRATIONS ARE SUSPENDED UNTIL MARCH 29TH. EXCEPT FOR FUNERALS AND BAPTISMS.



The Memorare: Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, I fly to thee, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother; to thee do I come; before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

During this time of uncertainty and for some it a time of worry, let's bring out the best in each other, to help and support one another and to ensure that the elderly and those who live on their own are checked on. Let's be kind and good to each other. Let's remain calm. Our Church's and Adoration Chapel will remain open as normal. I invite you to visit and say a pray for each other and our nation, or to light a candle. We will also make our Sunday newsletters with the Sunday readings available from our Church's and website. At every opportunity we will update you as to developments on our parish notices, website, Facebook and Twitter feeds

May God bless you, our parish and our country at this time.