



# Dominican Newsletter



**St. Catherine's Church, Dominic Street, Newry.**

**22<sup>nd</sup> March 2026** Tel: Tel: 028 3026 2178 **5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent**

**Masses: Vigil: Sat 7.30pm, Sunday: 8.00am, 9.30am, 11.00am, 12.30pm.**

**Weekdays: 7.30am, 11.00 am, 7.30 pm (incl. Vigil Sat.)**

**Confession: Saturday: 11.30am - 12.30pm and 4.00pm – 5.00pm**

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## TAKE THE STONE AWAY!



### Jesus brings Lazarus back to life

Martha, Mary and Lazarus were close friends of Jesus and he was always welcome in their home. They were an ordinary family where Jesus felt relaxed. They knew Jesus well.

When Lazarus died, Jesus cried showing how close he was to Lazarus. Martha and Mary discuss the death of Lazarus with Jesus.

Jesus is impressed with their faith and with a sigh from the heart brings Lazarus back to life.

**'So they took away the stone. Then Jesus lifted up his eyes and said:**

**'Father, I thank you for hearing my prayer. I knew indeed that you always hear me, but I speak for the sake of all these who stand round me, so that they may believe it was you who sent me.'**

## Church Restoration Fund

### Country Music

### Cabaret Night

**Next Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March**

**8.00pm**

*Gavin Gribben Band*

*Hugo Duncan*

*Leon, Ennis Brothers*

*Kevin Kearney*

*Canal Court Hotel*

**Tickets £25** (available at  
*Lectio Centre & Canal Court Hotel*)

*MC: Kevin McAllister*

## The Annunciation of the Lord

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March**

*'Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee, Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus'*

**CLOCKS GO FORWARD**  
next weekend.



**Next Sunday is PALM SUNDAY**



## Holy Thursday Chrism Mass

Archbishop Eamon Martin, along with the clergy of the Diocese, will celebrate the Chrism Mass on Thursday 2nd April 2026 at 10.30 a.m. Mass in the Cathedral of St. Patrick & St. Colman, Newry.

All are welcome.

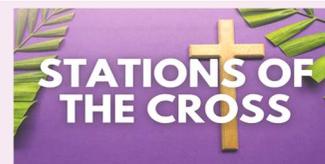
In particular, an invitation to attend is extended to families and schools in the Diocese with children who will make their Confirmation this year.

The Mass is also available via Newry Parish webcam at [churchmedia.tv/Newry Cathedral](http://churchmedia.tv/Newry Cathedral)

## Pope Leo addresses Journalists

*Pope Leo warned against the media becoming a 'megaphone' for power, especially in times of conflict.*

*... In these times of conflict, 'the task of journalists, in verifying the news so as not to become a megaphone for power, becomes even more urgent and delicate – and indeed essential.'* (ICN)



**Friday after 11.00am Mass**

The Collection at last weekend's Masses came to **£3,185.**  
*Thank you!*

## Easter Mass Bouquets

*Easter Mass Bouquets are now available in the Lectio Office.*

*The intentions will be remembered in the Masses and Prayers over the Octave of Easter.*



## EASTER RAFFLE (Spy Wednesday)

**£5 a line for the Draw**  
**Now in the Lectio Office.**

**Lots of Great Prizes to be won!**

Proceeds go towards supporting Church, Priory and Lectio Centre.

## HOLY WEEK 2026

### Palm Sunday

*Palms will be blessed and distributed at all Masses*

### HOLY THURSDAY

5.30pm Children's Mass  
7.30pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

### GOOD FRIDAY

11.00am Children's Stations of The Cross  
3.00pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion  
7.30pm Stations of The Cross

### HOLY SATURDAY

9.00pm **EASTER VIGIL**

### EASTER SUNDAY

Masses: 8.00a.m. 9.30am, 11.00am, & 12.30pm