

Parish of Murhaun



Saturday 10th April . 7.00 p.m. Michael English
 Sunday 11th April 9.00a.m. Pro Populo.
 Sunday 11th April. 11.30 a.m. Julia, Bob & John Francis Mulvey.

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Divine Mercy Sunday 2021: Masses from 12th April to 18th April 2021

**"For the sake of His sorrowful Passion
 Have mercy on us and on the whole world. Amen.**

Mon. 9 00 a.m. (Convent)
 Tue. 7.00 p.m. (Convent)
 Wed 9.00 a.m. (Convent)
 Wed 7.00 p.m. (Parish Church) **Keith Hunter (1st Anniversary)**
 Thu. 9.00 a.m. (Convent)
 Fri. 9.00 a.m. (Convent)
 Fri. 7.00 p.m. (Parish Church) **Michael, Mary Teresa Mulvey
 Packie & Angela Mulvey.**
 Sat 10.00 a.m. (Convent)
 Sat. 7.00 p.m. (Parish Church) Sr. Anthony Ruane.
 Sun. 9.00 a.m. (Convent) Pro Populo.
 Sun. 11.30 a.m. (Parish Church) Margaret & James Lynch (Deffier)

Holy Week was different and difficult again this year. No Garden Stations on Good Friday; no Mass of Easter Dawn; no washing of the feet of the bereaved sadly and no Veneration of the Cross.....and the lonesomeness of a Church without people. I thank Máirín, Orla, Michael, Natasha and the singers who continue to lift up our hearts in the prayer of the music and song. Our readers never let me down. Johnny and Carmel who are always there long before and long after..... The Mercy and Poor Clare Sisters continue to hold us in the prayer of every hour and in their Mass of every day.

We blessed 400 bottles of Easter Water. There were gone by Tuesday. (I am sorry I didn't charge a euro) but seriously..... thank you once again for your Offertory and Easter Dues collection which has been quite extraordinary . Our Trocaire collection at the moment stands at approx €5000. A gentle reminder to drop back your Trocaire donation in the coming week.

Finally thank you for all your prayer, good humour and generosity in word and deed. Truly you embody the beautiful words of St. Paul: **"Love is always ready to excuse , to hope, to endure and to trust whatever comes"**.

(Fr. Frankie)

Lord
 You bless us as we rest, Restore us as we sleep
 You care for us as we drift off
 And hold us in our dreams.
 You are the safest place, You are the God of Grace.
 Forgiven, loved and held by You
 Is each small seed of faith.
 You know our thoughts and feelings, You see our deep desires.
 You understand our weariness and catch each tear we cry.
 You walk beside us every day, You are our faithful friend.

Hang it on the Cross.

If you have a secret sorrow, a burden or a loss
 An aching need for healing.....Hang it on the Cross
 If worry steals your sleep and makes you turn and toss,
 If your heart is feeling heavy.....Hang it on the Cross
 Every obstacle to faith or doubt you come across,
 Every prayer unanswered.....Hang it on the Cross
 For Christ has borne our brokenness and dearly paid the
 Cost to turn our trials to triumph.....Hang it on the Cross

