



**HOLY REDEEMER PARISH  
COMMUNITY OF FAITH,  
WELCOME AND SERVICE  
SUNDAY 21ST APRIL 2019**



*The Priests, together with the Parish Pastoral Council wish you all every blessing for a very Happy Easter.*

**DIVINE MERCY NOVENA**

Ceremony concludes in **Kilcoole Parish Church on Divine Mercy Sunday 28th April, at 2:30pm.** Novena Leaflets are at the back of the church. Please feel free to take one.



**OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS LAST SUNDAY**

*First Collection (Common Fund) amounted to € 1285*

**PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK**

The parish is organising a coach to Knock on Saturday 27th April, departing 7am  
From Main Car Park, Herbert Road, Bray, Co. Wicklow.  
Cost: €25 To Book Please Contact:  
Brendan Herlihy on 087 2398440

**DUES ENVELOPES**

When returning your Easter dues envelopes, please place them in the boxes in the walls around the Church.

**TROCAIRE BOXES**

Trocaire boxes and envelopes can be returned to the sacristy



**EASTER TIMETABLE 2019**

**EASTER WEEK MASSES**

Easter Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April	11am Mass No Evening Mass
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April – Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> April	10am Mass No Evening Mass
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> April	Masses as usual

**PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES**

- **Holy Rosary Group - Monday - Saturday** after 10am Mass led by Antoinette Farrell in the Main Church
- **Miraculous Medal and Rosary - Monday** after 7pm Mass in the side chapel
- **Lectio Divina** each Tuesday at 11am in the Presbytery.
- **Holy Face Devotions—Tuesday** immediately after the 7pm Mass main church (Prayer booklets available for new members)
- **Prayer group with Exposition - Wednesday** after 7pm Mass in the side chapel
- **The Nazarine Community Charismatic Prayer Group — Wednesday** Little Flower Hall 8pm
- **Silent Holy Hour — Friday** in the side chapel 11am to



**HAND-OUTS OR DONATIONS**

Sometimes we are left wondering, will the money we have given to those begging at the Church doors make matters worse for them? Sadly, the answer is **yes**. That is where organisations like the Five Loaves, Simon, Vincent de Paul and addiction support groups, can help us.

These unfortunate “neighbours” who beg, are well known to the support organisations. These organisations are only too willing to provide the necessary help and support to address their particular issues. We would, therefore, **strongly** recommend that you **do not give money directly** to those who beg at the Church door. Instead, if you do want to help, we would encourage you to give through the helping organisations. Money given at the Church door, unfortunately, is used for the wrong purposes. Some people have even said that they feel intimidated, which is a worrying development.

For this reason, we have asked the Gardai to be a presence for a number of weeks after Masses so as to discourage drug dealing in the plaza in front of the Church. Unfortunately, it has become a favourite area for this trade. We would ask you instead to support the town’s charities and support groups who provide for the real needs of the poor and afflicted.

**SVP Church Gate Collection 7th April**