# We continue to serve.

Baltinglass Credit Union remains open to serve our Members in light of COVID-19. Open 6 days Monday - Saturday

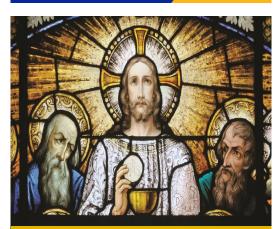
Open: 10:00 AM

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If you would like to discuss your loan repayments please do contact our Credit Control Team on the above number.



MASS Mon. - Fri. 10am Saturday 6pm Sunday 11am

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# A Coronavirus Prayer

### Loving and healing God,

we, the people of Kildare & Leighlin turn to you in prayer, confident that you are with us and with all people in every moment. We stand before you as people of hope, trusting in your care and protection. May your faithful love support us and soothe the anxiety of our hearts.

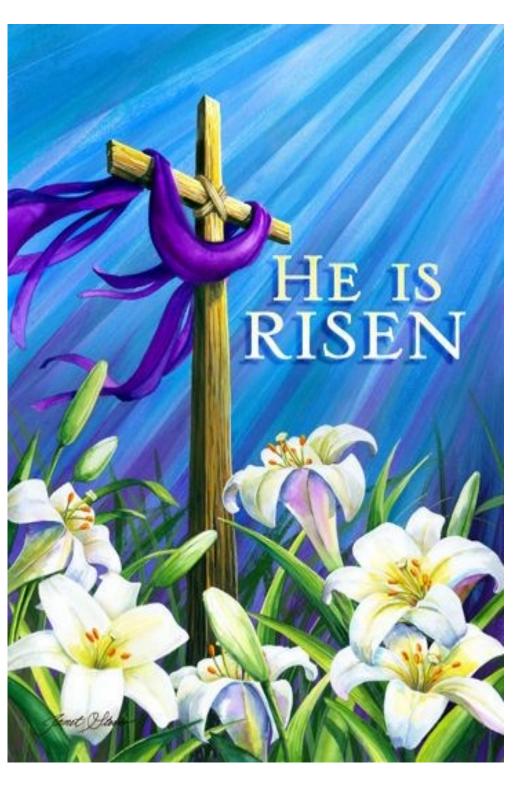
#### Generous God,

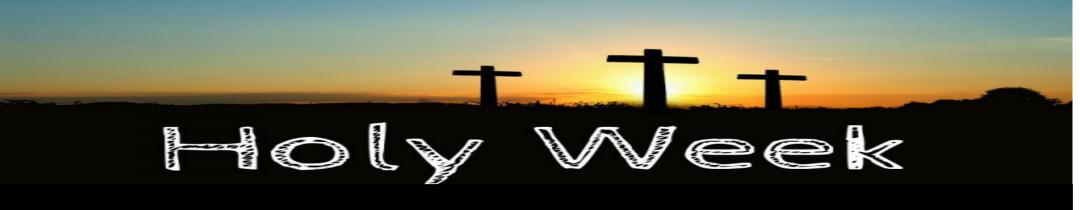
fill us with compassion and concern for others, young and old, that we may look after one another in these challenging days. Bring healing to those who are sick with the virus and be with their families. May those who have died rest in your eternal embrace. Comfort their family and friends. Strengthen and protect all medical professionals caring for the sick and all who work in our medical facilities. Give wisdom to leaders in healthcare and governance that they may make the right decisions for the well-being of people. We pray in gratitude for all those in our country who will continue to work in the days ahead in so many fields of life for the sake of us all. Bless them and keep them safe.

## O God of creation and life,

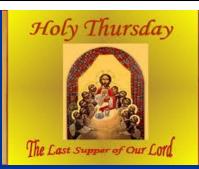
we place ourselves in your protection. May the mantle of your peace enfold us this day and tomorrow.

St.Brigid, pray for us. St Conleth, pray for us. St Lazerian, pray for us. May all the saints of God, pray for us. Amen.





# ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH WEBCAM & ON RADIO 100.2FM

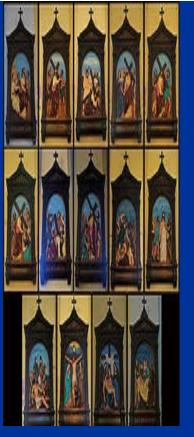


Mass of the Lord's Supper At the heart of Holy Thursday is Jesus' command to serve others, modelled by Jesus in washing of feet and the the gift of himself in the Eucharist. 'Do this in memory' is a call to us as members of the Christian community to be a Eucharistic people. This means not only receiving the precious gift of Christ in the Eucharist but living Eucharist in our daily actions of care and service to one another.



The Passion of the Lord On this Good Friday day of fast and abstinence, the Church gathers in silence as we take up our prayer from the liturgy of Holy Thursday. The silence echoes more profoundly this year, perhaps, than in any other year in our living memory.

Yet in that silence sits our deepest truth. In the Passion, Christ has taken upon himself the sufferings and the sins of our world.



Stations of the Cross 7.30pm



The Easter Vigil is rich in symbol and ritual action. While we will not experience it in quite the same way this year, it typically unfolds as follows, in four parts. The celebration begins around the light of the Easter fire. The fire is blessed, the Easter Candle is lit and this light is shared before we sing our great proclamation of Easter, the Exsultet. In the second part of the night we vigil with the stories of our salvation, the great stories from the Old Testament proclaimed in the light of our Easter faith and culminating in the proclamation of the resurrection in the Gospel reading. Now in the third part we are ready to do what our whole Lenten journey has been about – to welcome new members in baptism and to renew our own baptism before we complete our celebration of the vigil with the Liturgy of the Eucharist in which we receive the nourishment and grace of the Body of Christ to sustain us in the Christian journey.

On this greatest of nights in the life of the Church we keep vigil with the Lord. Although this year's Vigil cannot be celebrated in all its richness, in the darkness of these days we can dare to rejoice. Because, through the resurrection, the risen Lord has conquered all darkness and overcome the power of death.

3pm