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How can we celebrate Mary in May?

Say the Rosary

- Wear symbols associated with Mary e.g. brown scapular, miraculous medals, Rosary beads
- Make a May altar
- May processions
- Songs
- · Many children celebrate their First Holy Communion in May where they join with Mary and Jesus at the table of the Lord....



Plea For Mary's Help

May she who experienced the cares and hardships of earthly life, the weariness of daily toil, the hardships and trials of poverty, and the sorrows of Calvary, come to aid the needs of the Church and the human race. May she graciously lend an ear to the devout pleas of those all over the world who beg her for peace. May she enlighten the minds of those who rule nations. And finally, may she prevail on God, who rules the winds and storms, to calm the tempests in men's warring hearts and grant us peace in our day. What we seek is true peace grounded on the sturdy foundations of justice and love—on a justice which recognizes the legitimate rights of the weak as well as those of the strong; on a love which keeps men from falling into error through excessive concern for their own interests. Thus each person's rights may be safeguarded without the rights of others being forgotten or violated.

Excerpt from Encyclical of Pope Paul VI on Prayers During May for Preservation of Peace

Given at Rome, at St. Peter's, 29 April 1965

Mass Times St Mary of the Rosary Weekend Masses:

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion | Saturday 10am Saturday Vigil Mass | 6.15pm Sunday 8am | 12 noon | 6pm

> Weekday Masses 8am | 11am

Adoration | Weekdays 5-7pm **Confessions** | Sat after Liturgy

Parish Radio: 106.2FM St John the Baptist, Tyone

> Saturday | 7.30pm Sunday | 10.30am

A Prayer For the Vocation of Marriage

Heavenly Father, through the intercession of the Holy Family, help us treasure the gift of marriage that reflects the love of Christ for the Church, where the self-giving love of husband and wife unites them more perfectly and cooperates in your plan for new life created in your image. Help us support men and women in their vocation of marriage, especially in difficult times when they join their sufferings to the Cross. Help us uphold the institution of marriage in our society as the place where love is nurtured and family life begins. Help us acknowledge that our future depends on this love and your providential care for us. Amen

Pray For Your Priest A Suggested Prayer

O Jesus, Eternal High Priest, live in (name a priest), act in him, speak in him. Think your thoughts in his mind, love through his heart.

Give him your own dispositions and feelings.

Teach, lead and guide him always. Correct, enlighten and expand his thoughts and behavior.

Possess his soul; take over his entire personality and life.

Replace him with yourself. Incline him to constant adoration and thanksgiving; pray in and through him. Let him live in you and keep him in intimate union always.

O Mary, Immaculate Conception, Mother of Jesus and Mother of priests, pray and intercede for (...) Amen

A Note on Today's Gospel Jesus speaks to his disciples and tells them that if they love him, they will keep his commandments. He promises to ask the Father to send them another Advocate or Helper, the Spirit of truth, who will abide with them forever. Jesus assures his disciples that he will not leave them as orphans, but will come to them. He explains that whoever loves him will keep his word, and both he and the Father will love that person and come to them and make their home with them. Jesus also promises that the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, will teach them everything and remind them of all that he has said to them.

This Week We Offer A Special Prayer For...



Hail Mary, Mother of Mercy, our life, our sweetness and our hope.

To you, we cry, as children of God, joined as one with our wounded world, with hearts full of hope for a home transformed.

Mother of Creation, look upon us we pray, so we may come to see God's earthly garden through the radiant light of wisdom.

Holy Mary, Mother of all, make us worthy we pray, to treasure the earth our common home, and show us the blessed fruit of your womb, Jesus.

Amen.



Sacraments of Holy Communion & Confirmation

Tuesday May 16th Sacrament of Reconciliation NCS @

Thursday May 18th Burgess & Youghalarra Confirmation

@ 11am

Portroe Confirmation @ 4pm

Friday 19th May St. Mary's No 2 Confirmation St. John's

@ 6pm

Saturday 20th May St. Mary's No 2 Communion St. John's

@12 noon

Friday May 26th Community School Communion

@ 2.30pm

All Ireland Rosary Rally in Knock

The All Ireland Rosary Rally will take place on Saturday June 3rd from 1pm in Knock. It will include Holy Mass, the Rosary, the Stations of the Cross and a talk by Bishop Oliver Doeme. The Main Celebrant for the Holy Mass is Archbishop Eamon Martin. A bus will leave from Ennis. Please book your seat early to avoid disappointment. Ring Seamus: 087 2752578



Our Faithful Departed

Shay Spain Michael Burke Margaret (Peg) McLoughlin (née Flynn) May They Rest In Peace. Amen.

Those We Remember | Sat 13 - Sun 21 May

St Mary of the Rosary

Tony White (1st A) Sat 13th 6.15pm Mary Harnett (1st A) & deceased family

members

Sun 14th 12noon Tommy Brett (A)

> Con O'Meara (A) Michael Hunt (A)

Mary Kate Creagh (A) & her husband Jimmy & deceased family members

Daniel Flannery (A)

Eileen Cassidy (A) & deceased

members of the Barry & Cassidy families

Denis & Mary Kate Maher & their sons Sun 14th 6pm

Pat & Seamus (As)

Liz Grey (A) & her grandparents

Anna Wade (A)

Mon 15th 11am Tues 16th 11am James & Maureen Ryan (As) Weds 17th 8am Deceased members of the Mason

family (A)

Mai Clerihan (A) Weds 17th 11am Thurs 18th 8am Breda Comerford (A)

Sat 20th 6.15pm

Sun 21st 6pm

Sun 21st 10.30am

Donal Walsh (1st A)

James Norris (1st A) Sun 21st 12noon Ger Gavin (A)

Agnes McNamara (A)

Philomena (Ena) Lynch (MM)

Daniel (Danny) White (A) Michael Quigley (A)

Martin & Nora McKenna (As)

Nellie (Ellen) Abbott (A)

Billy Shoer & Baby James (As)

Joe & Winifred O'Meara (As)

St John the Baptist

Sat 13th 7.30pm Jack & Brigid McIntyre (As)

Charlie Bond (A)

Trudy Rouine & Pat Larkin (As)

Seanie Hogan (MM) Sun 14th 10.30am Sat 20th 7.30pm

Jim Sheehan (A)

Gus Hegarty (A)

Tommy & Lizzie Treacy (As)

Maura & Jimmy Lyons & Lily Glynn

Liam Gleeson (A) & grandson Patrick

Gleeson

Gerard Sherlock (A)

Readers | 20-21 May 2023

6.15pm Joan McCarthy 7.30pm Ann Marie McCann 8.00am Paul O'Dwyer 10.30am **Bridget White** Eilish Carter 12noon Alice Darcy 6pm

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North Tipperary Hospice 6K Walk. May 19th. Family event. Start / Finish at Courthouse. Registration from 6pm. Walk starts at 6.30pm. Voluntary bucket collection at start for Hospice. Further details contact Pat Delaney at 085 1741411. All Welcome.