



# THE TRANSFIGURATION, KENSAL RISE

**Sunday Masses:** (Sat 6pm) Sun 9am & 11am, **Italian:** 12.30pm  
**Holydays:** 10am & 7pm **Holy Hour:** Fri 6pm (not in Lent)  
**Weekday Masses:** Mon & Fri 7pm Tues, Wed, Thu & Sat 10am  
**Confession:** Sat 10.30-11.15am & 5-5.45pm and on request

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION

21st April 2019

## NEWSLETTER

*“Why search for the living among the dead”*

My dear Parishioners, Christ is Risen, Alleluia!

Once again, we have followed in the footsteps of Christ over the last few days and experienced through the liturgy, his Passion and death. This was beautifully expressed through our Solemn Liturgies and sacred music.

On Holy Thursday, we remembered our Lord instituting that foremost Sacrament, the Holy Eucharist, the Sacrifice of the Mass. And with that, the ordained priesthood, so as to perpetuate the mystery of the cross throughout time.

On Good Friday, we walked with our Lord as he carried his cross, a cross weighed down by the sins of the world, my sins and your sins. I find it a truly moving experience as I watch you, my dear friends, come forward to kiss the wounded feet of Christ. Some of you I know carry in your heart the loss of a loved one, terminal illness, breakdown in a relationship, or your own personal crosses. Somehow I wish to reach out to heal your sorrow but I know it is only in kissing those wounds, the wounds of our Saviour Jesus Christ, that real healing will come into your hearts. Then we waited as our Lord lay in the tomb and we exploded with joy at the first Mass of Easter, the Easter Vigil. That warm bright light of the Easter candle was carried into the darkened church and suddenly we were filled with hope for the future.

This morning we gather to continue that celebration, the resurrection of our Saviour Jesus Christ. Today let us truly rejoice and celebrate the depth of God's love for us in his son, Jesus Christ.

With my affection and prayers,  
Fr Sean

### Easter Mass Times

Easter Sunday - 9am Mass, 11am Mass, Italian Mass at 12:30pm

Easter Monday - 12noon Mass

### Church Offerings

Offertory envelopes can now be collected from the Presbytery during office hours. I'd like to suggest that those people paying tax, contribute to the Parish by standing order rather than the offertory envelopes. This greatly reduces the financial workload in the office. It also means that there is a regular income to your Parish. If you are a tax payer please sign a gift aid form. This means that you will contribute no more money to your Parish but we can claim back from the government the tax that you would have paid on your donation. However you contribute to your Parish I would like to thank you for your ongoing generosity, for the maintenance and the upkeep of our beautiful church, parish salaries and the support of the Priest.

### Italian Mass

There will be no Italian Mass on Sunday 5th May as Fr Natalino is away in Lourdes.



The 30th Anniversary Planning Committee are busy making preparations for the celebration of Fr Sean's 30th Anniversary as a Priest. After Easter, members of the Committee will be at the back of the Church taking details of everyone who will be donating food, drinks, cakes or other edibles for the party. Please have a think of what you would like to bring and how many people you would cater for. We will also have a raffle on the day in our continued efforts to raise funds for our annual Senior Citizens Christmas Party.

### HYMNS

#### 9am Mass

#### 11am Mass

<b>Entrance</b> 267	<b>Entrance</b> 267
<b>Kyrie</b> Heritage Mass	<b>Kyrie</b> St Anne's Mass
<b>Gloria</b> Heritage Mass	<b>Gloria</b> St Anne's Mass
<b>Gospel Accl</b> 261	<b>Gospel Accl</b> 261
<b>Offertory</b> 272	<b>Offertory</b> 278
<b>Sanctus</b> Heritage Mass	<b>Sanctus</b> St Anne's Mass
<b>Memorial Accl</b> Sung	<b>Memorial Accl</b> Missa Simplex no 1
<b>Agnus Dei</b> Heritage Mass	<b>Our Father</b> 587
<b>Communion</b> 284	<b>Agnus Dei</b> St Anne's Mass
<b>Recessional</b> 271	<b>Communion</b> 283
	<b>Recessional</b> 287

### FEASTS AND MASS INTENTIONS

20th - 27th April

\*Easter Vigil in the Holy Night, Easter Sunday and Easter week

Date	Time	Intention
Sat 20th*	8pm	Patricia Mary Martin (1st A)
Sun 21st*	9am	People of the Parish
	11am	Aysha Frade (A)
Mon 22nd*	12noon	Daniel Antunes (A)
Tues 23rd*	10am	James Lennon (Ints)
Wed 24th*	10am	Kay Dubrey (A)
Thurs 25th*	8pm	Kathleen Barry
Fri 26th*	7pm	Gina Ponzoni (Ints)
Sat 27th*	10am	Joao Oliveira (A)
	6pm	People of the Parish

### SANCTUARY LAMP AND SIDE ALTAR LAMPS

Main Altar: Fr Sean Thornton (Ints)

Sacred Heart: Liz Tighe (RIP)

Our Lady: Fr Dempsey (RIP)

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**PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE IN THE PARISH WHO ARE SICK AND/OR HOUSEBOUND AND ALSO THOSE WHO HAVE NOBODY ELSE TO PRAY FOR THEM**