#### **COMMUNITY**

Fr Kevin Hanley OFM Conv. Fr. Aidan Walsh OFM Conv. Fr Marius Tomulesei OFM Conv. Br Joe Fenton OFM Conv.

Sr. Joan Margaret Kelly (Parish Sister)

Parish Priest, Fr Marius Tomulesei OFM Conv.

## **MASS TIMES**

Sunday 6:00pm (Vigil Saturday), 9.30am, 11:30am

## **Weekdays**

Monday-Friday: 8am, 10am

Saturday : **10am** First Friday : **7.30pm** 

Holy days: 8am, 10am and 7:30pm

See notice board for details

Rosary said after 8am and 10am Mass in Church and at Adoration at 6pm

#### **CONFESSIONS**

Monday-Saturday after 10am Mass **DEVOTIONS**:

#### St. Anthony: Tuesday 8am and 10am

St. Maximilian : <u>Votive Mass to Our Lady</u> First Saturday 10am

Divine Mercy Devotion:

#### After first Friday Mass 7:30pm

**BAPTISMS**: Baptism usually takes place on Sunday's at 11:30am Mass. Parents must first meet with one of the parish team. Both parents must attend the preparation talk held in the parish meeting room. Details may be obtained from the Parish office.

**MARRIAGE**: <u>six months</u> advance notice is required. Details available from the Parish office.

**NEWSLETTER ITEMS** must be handed into the Parish Office by Thursday morning.

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## **Our Lady's Hall**

#### **Parish Centre PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday — Friday

9:30am - 1:00pm & 2:00pm - 5:00pm

#### **FRANCISCAN MASS ASSOCIATION (F.M.A.)**

Mass cards are available from the Parish Office during office hours only. A Sunday Mass and the First Friday Masses are offered for all members of the F.M.A. both living and deceased.

**CHURCH CLOSES:** Monday-Friday at 7pm and after evening Mass Saturday and Sunday. Car park is free during Mass Times. Parking fees apply at all other times.

#### MINISTRY TO THE SICK

In the case of sudden illness or an emergency please call a priest immediately Friary 01-4825821. Holy Communion is brought to the sick and housebound on the First Friday. Hospitals are visited weekly. **Please inform the Parish Priest in advance** 

### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Adoration will take place in the small Chapel on righthand side of the Church.

6pm - 7pm Monday to Friday

No Adoration from 24<sup>th</sup> December until 3<sup>rd</sup> January

#### **Fairview Parish Donations**



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## Parish Newsletter 25th - 31st December 2022

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD JESUS CHRIST

## **Mass times**

Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> December

10am Mass



# Christmas eve Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> Vigil Mass 6pm

Family Mass and Blessing of our Crib
There will be a Carol concert 20mins before the 6pm Vigil

**Vigil Mass 8pm** – Carols with Parish Choir

## Sunday 25th December (Christmas Day)

## 9:30am and 11:30am

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> December 10am Mass (St Stephens Day)

<u>Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> December</u>
<u>Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> December</u>

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> December **10am Mass 10am Mass 10am Mass** 

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> December
Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> December

10am Mass
10am Mass

Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> December Vigil Mass 6pm

Thanksgiving for 2022 and New Year

Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Sunday 1st January 2023 (New Years Day)

Vigil (Saturday) 6pm, 9:30am, 11:30am Mass

## **Our Lady's Hall Parish Centre**

PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED FROM Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> DECEMBER AND WILL REOPEN ON

#### **VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO HELP IN THE PARISH OFFICE**

Monday 9th JANUARY at 9:30am - 1:00pm & 2:00pm - 5pm. Parish Office: 01-837 6000 Friary: 01-4825821

## **Sunday Offering**

Church € 504 Share € 430 Envelope € 773

St Faustina at Midnight Mass on Christmas Eve in 1937, St. Faustina saw a glorious vision of the baby Jesus. She writes about it in her Diary and describes what happened. When I arrived at Midnight Mass, from the very beginning I steeped myself in deep recollection, during which time I saw the stable of Bethlehem filled

with great radiance. The Blessed Virgin, all lost in the deepest of love, was wrapping Jesus in swaddling clothes, but Saint Joseph was still asleep. Only after the Mother of God put Jesus in the manger, did the light of God awaken Joseph, who was also praying. But after a while. I was left alone with the Infant Jesus who stretched out His little hands to me, and I understood that I was to take Him in my arms. Jesus pressed His head against my heart and gave me to know, by His profound gaze, how good He found it to be **next to my heart.** At that moment Jesus disappeared and the bell was ringing for Holy Communion.

Upgrade of the Church Lighting: The upgrade of the lighting system in our Church is scheduled with the contractor for January 202 3.

As you are well aware energy use in these times has become a major issue. It makes sense financially and in a practical way to change to low power LED lighting. This upgrade will improve energy and maintenance efficiencies

## DONATIONS ARE WELCOME

Please place donation in an envelope and write your NAME & ADDRESS and "Church Lighting" on envelope

## **New Mass Times in Our Parish in 2023**

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday (Vigil): 06:00 pm

Sunday: 09.30 am & 11.30 am

**DAILY MASS** 

Monday — Friday: 8:00 am & 10:00 am

Saturday: 10:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) Monday – Saturday after 10:00 am

Mass

**HOLYDAYS OF OBLIGATION** 

08:00 am, 10:00 am, 07:30 pm

First Friday Mass followed by Adoration 7:30 pm

**Baptism & Marriage: By appointment** (Six months' notice required for marriage)

## Mass Intentions 18<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> December 2022

**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Day** 

Vigil Mass 6:00 pm **Family Mass and Blessing of our Crib** 

Vigil Mass 8:00 pm **Carols with Parish Choir** 

9:30am Friars Intentions 11:30am Friars Intentions

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> December

**St. Stephens**, first martyr

No 8am Mass

10am Novena

**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> December** 

**St John,** Apostle and Evangelist

No 8am Mass

10am Novena

Wednesday 28th December

The Holy Innocents, Martyrs

No 8am Mass

10am Novena

Thursday 29th December

No 8am Mass

**St Thomas Becket,** bishop and martyr

10am Novena

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> December

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

No 8am Mass

10am Novena

Saturday 31st December

St. Sylvester, pope

No 8am Mass

10am Novena

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> January 2023 Mary, The Holy Mother of God

Vigil Mass 6:00 pm Thanksgiving for 2022 and

**New Year Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary** 

9:30am

11:30am