



SEEING YOUR LIFE THROUGH THE LENS OF THE GOSPEL:

John 20:19-31

1. 'Peace be with you' was the greeting of Jesus on meeting his frightened apostles. Who has come to you bringing peace at times when you were frightened? For whom have you been an agent of peace?
2. The greeting is followed by Jesus missioning his apostles, and us, to continue his project of spreading the Good News of God's love and forgiveness. What does it mean to you to see yourself as missioned by Jesus?
3. Jesus promises the gift of Holy Spirit to empower the disciples to be witnesses to forgiveness. Forgiveness is at times an essential step on the road to peace. Perhaps you can recall when holding on to a hurt or grudge disturbed your inner peace. What helped you to forgive and find peace?
4. Thomas, doubting and questioning, is possibly a person with whom we can identify. What part have doubting, and questioning, played on your faith journey? How has your faith been strengthened by such moments?
5. 'Blessed are they who have not seen and yet believed'. That requires great trust. Perhaps you have had the experience of being trusted without having had to prove every step along the way. What was it like to be trusted in that way? Who have you been able to trust in a similar manner?

EASTER DUES & PARISH CLERK COLLECTION

Thank you to all who distributed the Easter Dues envelopes to our parishioners. We wish to thank all who have returned the Offering Envelopes to the Church over Easter and others who will drop them in as soon as possible. Please note that cheques should be made payable to 'Our Lady of the Rosary Parish' for the Priests, and to 'Margaret Clifford' for the Sacristan.

HOSPITALITY ON WEDNESDAYS: Please come for tea/coffee and a chat in the Parish Centre after the 10:00 am Mass on Wednesdays. It is a great opportunity to meet up with your friends and neighbours. We look forward to seeing you there. Our thanks to Anne and her team.

PARISH COUNCIL: The Parish Council will meet this Tuesday 9 April in the Parish Centre at 7.30 pm.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The monthly collection for the local conference will be taken up after each Mass this weekend, 6 / 7 April. SVP is looking for volunteers, if you, or a family member or friend are considering volunteering please contact one of our members at the church gate collection after mass or alternatively contact www.svp.ie/volunteer. Our Lady of the Rosary Conference would like to thank all for your generous support throughout the year.

FAMILY MASS: It is lovely to see so many families at our monthly Family Mass. Our April Family Mass is Sunday next 14 April at 11.30am. Those who have agreed to help lead prayers are asked to come early please. Please come to the Parish Centre for Tea and chat afterwards.

FIRST COMMUNION PREPARATION PROGRAMME: We welcome the children and their families next weekend as part of their First Communion Preparation. JFK boys and families – 13 April: 6.00 pm Mass.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK

This National Pilgrimage will take place on Saturday & Sunday, 13th & 14th April. Travel and accommodation details, the weekend programme at Knock, as well as contact numbers and booking details, may be found at www.eucharisticadoration.ie.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 6th	18:00	
Sun 7th	10:00	Bridie, Willie & Michael Ryan (A) Margaret Ryan (A)
	11:30	
Mon 8th	10:00	Pro Popolo
Tues 9th	10:00	Gerald Mulvin (A)
Wed 10th	10:00	
Thurs 11th	10:00	
Fri 12th	10:00	Imelda Carmody (A)
Sat 13th	18:00	Tom Noonan (A)
Sun 14th	10:00	Willie, Sarah, Bridie & Michael Ryan (A)
	11:30	Pat O'Callaghan (1 st A) Veronica O'Kelly (A) John & Sheila Doherty (A)

Mass Times:

Daily Mass – Mon to Fri – 10:00
Sat Vigil & Eve of Holy Day – 18:00
Sunday & Holy Day – 10:00 & 11:30

Baptisms:

Sat 17:00 & Sun 12:15 by appointment

Marriages: by appointment

Priests:

Fr. Des McAuliffe P.P. tel - 061 324825
Fr. Tom Ryan C.C. tel - 087 2997733

Adoration: First Friday after 10:00
Mass. During Lent: 9:15, every Friday.

Parish Website:

www.ourladyoftherosaryparishlimerick.ie

Parish Clerk:

Margaret Clifford at Church Sacristy
tel - 061 325 288

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 09:00 to 09:45
& Sunday from 09:00 to 12:30

Church Open for Private Prayer:

Mon – Sat from 09:30 to 15:00