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St PATRICK'S STRANDHILL Do join us in Hope and Prayer.
 Web-Cam: www.churchservices.tv/strandhill www.stpatrickstrandhill.ie

Mon 5 th April	10:00am	Maurin and Des Melody Anniversary RIP
Tue 6 th	10:00am	Joe McArdle Anniversary RIP
Wed 7 th	10:00am	T & P Kennedy Anniversary RIP Sean Sweeney Anniversary RIP
Thurs 8 th	10:00am	Kathleen Toolan Anniversary RIP Tom and Elizabeth McGrath Anniversary RIP
Friday 9 th	10:00am	Teresa and Paddy Neafsy Anniversary RIP Peter Cooney 2 nd Anniversary RIP
Sunday 11 th April 2021	11:00am	Divine Mercy Sunday Theresa Keane Anniversary RIP Dessie and Mary Monaghan and Phil O'Rourke Anniversary RIP

CONGRATULATIONS to Nia Grace Jinks baptised on Sunday 21.03.21 in Star of the Sea, - Daughter of Maeve and Colm Jinks Kilmacowen.

PLEASE PRAY FOR the soul of Jim Crowley RIP brother-in-law of Grace Crowley, recently deceased.

Collections: St Patrick's: €509. Thank You.

MASSSES The on-line Mass for the coming weeks for the parish will continue at 10:00am Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs and Fri and 11:00am on Sunday. Please join us in prayer as a faith-filled community. **Web cam:**

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OTHER OPTIONS **RTE NEWS NOW**- Monday-Friday at 10:30am. Saorview Channel 21 or Sky Channel 521; -- Online at:

www.knockshrine.ie—12:00 and 7:30pm (commencing with Rosary)

VATICAN TELEVISION Pope Francis has arranged for his celebration of Mass to be televised at 6:00am. Translated into English. www.vaticannews.va/en.html

RADIO MARIA IRELAND Each day at 10:00am from studio in Dublin www.Radiomaria.ie Saorview Ch 210 or Radio Maria Ireland Mobile app.

TAX CLAIM FORMS A Vital source of income. Please avail of the opportunity to support our ministry. We're deeply appreciative. Parishioners who don't use the envelope method might consider direct debit. Thank you.

STANDING ORDERS Parishioners may avail of the Standing Order facility. Pay Bank of Ireland, Stephen's St. Sligo. Forms available in the Church Porch

ST PATRICK'S STRANDHILL A/C STRANDHILL CHURCH

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News Items by Tuesday please to: rsnews2020@gmail.com

EASTER MESSAGE

We are all conscious that this Holy Week has been one of world wide profound sadness and anxiety and has brought us all together as a Global Village. We priests are praying in a particular way for all the people of the parish at this time. May all the signs of the Resurrection, love and kindness and goodness, which we are witnessing each day, bring renewed Easter hope to one and all. While following all the guidelines we welcome you to visit out churches and sustain each other in prayer as this crisis evolves. Be assured of remembrance in our Daily Mass. With the consolation and new joy of the Easter Gospel. --- Fr. Niall and Fr. Christopher.

AND PEOPLE STAYED HOME! *written in 1869, probably after a cholera epidemic .*

And People Stayed Home	And People Healed
And Read Books And Listened	And In The Absence Of People
And Rested And Exercised	Who Lived Ignorant Ways,
And Made Art And Played	Even The Earth Began To Heal
And Learned New Ways Of Being	And When The Danger Ended
And Stopped And Listened Deeper	And People Found Each Other
Someone Meditated	And Dreamed Of New Visions
Someone Prayed	And Created New Ways Of Life
Someone Danced	And Healed The Earth Completely
Some Met Their Shadow	Just As They Were Healed
And People Began To Think Differently	Themselves.

AN EASTER REFLECTION

Easter's standing at your door again,
So don't you see that stone has got to go
 The stone of fear, -- of selfishness and pride
 of greed and blindness, --- and all the other stones we use
 to keep Jesus in the tomb.
 So here's to rolling stones away
 To give our Lord the chance He needs to rise and touch a troubled, lonely world.
 We call it Resurrection
 It's wild with wonder,
 It's beautiful and real
 intent on showing life around,
 that it touches and it heals.

Yes, Easter, You can come An angel of life I'll be, I'll roll the stone away and set myself and all of us free

CHRIST IS RISEN

Christ is Risen:
 The world below lies desolate.
 Christ is Risen:
 The spirits of evil are fallen
 Christ is Risen:
 The angels of God are rejoicing
 Christ is Risen:
 The tombs of the dead are empty
 Christ is Risen Indeed
 from the dead, the first of the sleepers,
 Glory and power are his
 forever and ever.

EASTER GRACE PRAYER BEFORE A MEAL

Lord, as we gather together as family and friends
 we invite you once again into our lives.
 May the hope of your resurrection colour
 May the promise of your spirit working in
 us light up our lives.
 May the love you revealed to us shape our giving.
 May the truth in your word guide our journeys,
 And may the joy of your kingdom fill our' memories,
 As we gather together underneath the banner of your
 life,
 We thank you for all the wonderful. food that we can
 now enjoy,
 And celebrate your glorious resurrection.