



## Easter Sunday April 2010

We live and die; Christ died and lived! ~John Stott

**On behalf of the whole Parish Team I would like to wish you and all your loved ones a very Happy Easter. In these economically difficult days may our faith sustain us, may our lives be filled with a sense of hope and may we all live our Christian vocation in a loving way. May the light of Easter show us our true future is in the hands of the Risen Christ.** Fr. Brendan

### Mass for Easter Week

**Monday** Mass 11am only.

**Tuesday to Saturday** Mass 10am only.

Office closed until Thursday 8<sup>th</sup>.

"Do not abandon yourselves to despair. We are the Easter people and hallelujah is our song."

-- Pope John Paul II

With OUR EYES we see  
The beauty of Easter  
as the earth awakens once more...  
With OUR EARS we hear  
The birds sing sweetly  
to tell us Spring again is here...  
With OUR HANDS we pick  
the golden daffodils  
and the fragrant hyacinths...  
But only with OUR HEARTS  
can we feel the MIRACLE of GOD'S LOVE  
which redeems all men...  
And only with OUR SOUL  
can we make our 'pilgrimage to God'  
and inherit His Easter Gift of ETERNAL LIFE.

The Easter Card and timetable should have been delivered earlier this week, thanks to those who helped, if there were any errors or mistakes in names, titles etc we apologise and if you let

us know we can rectify it in the future. We thank you for your continued and generous support.

The resurrection gives my life meaning and direction and the opportunity to start over no matter what my circumstances. ~Robert Flatt

Easter says you can put truth in a grave, but it won't stay there.

~Clarence W. Hall

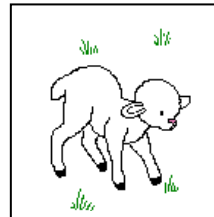
The joyful news that He is risen does not change the contemporary world.

Still before us lie work, discipline, sacrifice. But the fact of Easter gives

us the spiritual power to do the work, accept the discipline, and make the sacrifice. ~Henry Knox Sherrill

The lamb is a particularly important Easter symbol in

central and eastern European countries. It represents Jesus and relates His death to that of the lamb sacrificed



on the first Passover. Christians traditionally refer to Jesus as "the Lamb of God."

All I need to know about life I learned from the Easter Bunny.  
Don't put all of your eggs in one basket.  
Walk softly and carry a big carrot.  
Everyone needs a friend who is all ears.  
Everyone is entitled to a bad hare day.  
Let happy thoughts multiply like rabbits.  
Some body parts should be floppy.  
An Easter bonnet can tame even the wildest hare.

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