

'Sea of Green' at jammed Temple Bar as people flock to pubs for St Patrick's Day celebrations By Emma Nevin, March 17, 2022



St Patrick's Day celebrations are underway in Ireland pre-pandemic style as people flock to the pubs to enjoy the day.

An estimated 400,000 people attended Dublin's iconic St Patrick's Day parade earlier.

Locals and tourists have now moved onto pubs and restaurants to continue the day's celebrations.

Live webcam footage from EarthCam shows a jammed Temple Bar with hundreds of people crowded onto the street.

Although it has gotten a lot busier during the afternoon, there were queues outside pubs in the city at 10:30am this morning with people keen to kick off the celebrations early.

Many took to social media to react to the "sea of green" in Temple Bar.

One said: "Looks like St Patty's day in Ireland may be more of a destination than Germany for Oktoberfest."

Another wrote: "Temple bar is rocking."

A third said: "I've been to Temple Bar on a normal day. It's 100% never like this."