

Parish of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary



Parish Newsletter

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2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

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Priests of the Parish: Fr Patrick M. Devitt Adm. 2857773
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Sunday Masses

Sat 6.00pm: Leo McCormack (ann)
Bill Murphy (MM)
Aidan Byrne (ann)

Sun 8.45am:
10.00am: Jim Lawless (ann)
11.15am: Kathleen Derham (Ann)
Michael Boylan (1st ann)
Michael and Sasha Coleman (ann)
John Kenny (ann)

12.30pm: Joseph Nolan (ann)
Dominic Dowling (ann)
Sally Boland (ann)

7.30pm: Paddy and Kathleen Keogh (ann)

Recently Deceased Ellie McGovern, Josephine Walsh,
Des Kelly.

Our thoughts are with their families, relatives and friends.

Months Mind

Bill Murphy, Marie Byrne

Anniversaries Michael Boylan, Catherine McGovern, Sally Boland, Kitty McGrane, Ivan Byrne, Aidan Byrne.

May they rest in peace. Amen.

Remembered at Masses this week

Mon 10am: Special Intention
Frank Duggan (ann)
7.30pm: Christian Unity Service

Tues 10am: Catherine Flynn (ann)

Wed 10am: Des Kelly Requiem Mass
Tom McGinty (ann)
Jimmy Duggan (ann)

Thurs 10am: Samuel and Rose Ferguson (ann)
Grainne Boyd (ann)

Fri 10am:

Sat 10am: Thomas Reilly (ann)

Eucharistic Adoration Rota

Eucharistic Adoration is held this and every Monday from after 10am Mass until 5 p.m. A rota has been placed on the main notice board if you would like to commit to being present at a particular time on a regular basis in silent meditation and prayer with Jesus.

Compline

Compline continues each Weds evening at 6.30 p.m. in the church. All are welcome.

Come and Pray Awhile

Daily Rosary continues after 10am Mass each day except on funeral days. All are welcome.

Year of Mercy - Tweet for this week

'when we entrust ourselves to the Lord, we can overcome all obstacles that we encounter on the way'.

Pope Francis Jan 15th

Church Unity Service

The Church Unity Service for the combined parishes of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary and St. Patrick's will take place this year in St. Patrick's Church this Monday evening 18th January 2016 at 7.30 pm. The speaker is Pádraig Ó Tuama, Leader, Corrymeela Community. Everyone is most welcome. More at www.corrymeela.org

Praying with Scripture

Lectio Divina - praying with Scripture is restarting on Thursday 21st January at 10:50 am. Finishes 12:15 with refreshments afterwards. Contact Claire on 087 205 9007 Venue 4 Barnhill Grove, Dalkey.

Volunteer Cooks

Meals on Wheels Dalkey urgently require a team of cooks for every second Sunday to prepare meals. If you are interested in helping and feel you can make this commitment please contact Brid Sheanon on 0863677365.

Webcam

Due to technical problems our webcam has not been fully operational since before Christmas. We are trying to find a solution but are being hindered due to the quality of the broadband facility available to the Church. Please bear with us while we try to resolve. The webcam will be switched off until further notice. Your patience is greatly appreciated.

St Vincent de Paul Clothing Appeal

The Society of St Vincent de Paul will collect donations for their annual clothing appeal after all Masses this weekend.

Parent and Baby/Toddler group

Our playgroup for parents with young children meets on Mondays 10.30 - 12.00 in the Youth Hall behind Our Lady's Hall. All most welcome.

ICON course

An ICON course given by Mihai Cucu will take place at the Carmelite Monastery, Delgany, Co Wicklow from February 22nd - 27th. Beginners welcome. mihaicucu78@gmail.com

Walk for Wishes

Join Make A Wish on their fundraising challenge as they travel to the Islands of Sardinia and Corsica (Sun 9th - Sun 16th October 2016). Walkers of all capabilities welcome. Places are limited and the total amount to be raised by each participant for the walk is a minimum of €3,500, which includes all aspects of the trip. If you would like to take part, please email mary@makeawish.ie or call 01 205 2012.

World Day of the Sick 2016

The annual Conference will take place on Sat 6th February from 10.00 am to 1.00 pm at the Talbot Hotel, Stillorgan Road. Speakers include Archbishop Diarmuid Martin, Bishop Donal Murray and Prof J. Bernard Walsh, who will reflect on the Lourdes experience. More info from Trish Conway on 087-6220349. The *Mass of Healing and Anointing of the Sick* is on Sun 7th February at 3pm in Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, Merrion Road (opposite St. Vincent's Hospital). Main celebrant: Archbishop Diarmuid Martin. All are most welcome.

Viatores Christi

Do you want to learn more about the possibility of overseas volunteering and/or training in Overseas Development & Mission? Viatores Christi (VC) will hold an Information & Recruitment Session on Saturday 16th January at 12.00 pm at 8 New Cabra Road, Phibsboro, Dublin 7. Tel. 01 868 9986. info@viatoreschristi.com

Mass to commemorate the 1916 Rising

A Mass to commemorate the 1916 Rising will take place on Sunday 17th January at 11.30 am in St Anthony's Church, Clontarf. Main Celebrant: Fr Piaras Jackson S.J. Reflections on the Rising: Declan Kiberd, Professor of Irish Studies, Notre Dame University. Exhibition and talk plus light refreshments in St Anthony's Hall afterwards.

Bereavement Counselling

The bereavement counselling service, which is non denominational, offers confidential counselling on a one to one basis by trained volunteer counsellors in Presbytery No.2 very Tuesday night from 7-9pm. Just call 01 8391766 for an appointment on donation basis.

Hymns to be sung at 11.15 a.m. Mass on Sunday

Entrance Hymn

Into one we are all gathered through the love of Christ.
Let us then rejoice in gladness, in Him we find love.
Let us fear and love the living God,
And love and cherish all mankind.

Where charity and love are, there is God.

Therefore when we are together in the love of Christ
Let our minds know no divisions, strife or bitterness.
May the Christ our God be in our midst.
Through Christ our Lord all love is found.

May we see Your face in glory, Christ our loving God.
With the blessed saints of heaven give us lasting joy.
We will then possess true happiness
And love for all eternity.

Offertory Hymn

Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me,
Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me,
Melt me, mould me, fill me, use me,
Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me,
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Melt us, mould us, fill us, use us,
Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on us,
Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on all,
Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on all,
Melt all, mould all, fill all, use all,
Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on all,

Communion Hymn

Love is His word, Love is His way,
Feasting with men, fasting alone,
Living and dying, rising again,
Love, only love, is His way
*Richer than gold is the love of my Lord,
Better than splendour and wealth.*
Love is His way, love is His mark,
Sharing His last Passover feast,
Christ at His table, host to the twelve,
Love, only love, is His mark.
Love is His mark, love is His sign,
Bread for our strength, wine for our joy,
This is My Body, this is My Blood,
Love only love is His sign.

Recessional Hymn

Love Divine, all love excelling,
Joy of heaven to earth come down,
Fix in us Thy humble dwelling,
All Thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesu, Thou art all compassion,
Pure unbounded love Thou art,
Visit us with Thy salvation,
Enter every trembling heart.
Come, Almighty to deliver,
Let us all Thy life receive;
Suddenly return and never
Never more Thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing,
Serve Thee as Thy hosts above,
Pray and praise Thee without ceasing,
Glory in Thy perfect love.
Finish then Thy new creation,
Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see Thy great salvation,
Perfectly restored in Thee.
Changed from glory into glory,
Till in heaven we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before Thee,
Lost in wonder, love and praise.

Consecrated Life - Mount Merrion

A service to conclude the Year for Consecrated Life will take place in the Church of St. Therese, Mount Merrion on Tuesday 2nd February at 7.30 pm. All welcome.

Conference for Artists and Architects

in the newly-restored cathedral of St Mel, Longford, will take place on Weds 17th Feb with the National Centre for Liturgy. The keynote speaker is Fr. Kim en Joong, a renowned liturgical artist who designed stained-glass windows for the restoration. Presentations by Michael Gilroy on the liturgical principles that underpin the design of a place of worship in the Catholic Tradition, and by Colm Redmond, MRIBAI RIBA, of Fitzgerald Kavanagh Architects, on the conservation work that took place on this nationally-significant building. Registration is at 10am and the day will conclude at 4pm. Fee: €35 (lunch included). Please book in advance