

Parish of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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Parish Newsletter

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Sunday Masses

Sat 6pm Dick, Peggy and Marian Rice (ann)
Elizabeth and Patrick Brien (ann)
Kevin Jackson (ann)

Sun 8.45am Bill Lewis (ann)
Betty Ryan (ann)

10.00am Lorraine Farrell (ann)
Ita Keenan (RD)

11.15am Mary Keegan (ann)
Fenton McCarthy (ann)

12.30pm Frank and Gisela O'Rourke (ann)
Kitty Butler (ann)

1.15pm St Begnet Ecumenical Service

7.30pm Brenda O'Regan (ann)

Recently Deceased Ann Aldridge
Our thoughts are with her family, relatives and friends.

Months Mind Freda Brennan

Anniversaries: Molly O'Keefe, Anne O'Brien, Mary Keegan, Frank and Gisela O'Rourke, Fenton McCarthy, Pat and Maria Flavin, Josephine Byrne, Maura and Bill Foley, Christopher Hogan, Clare Poulter, David Byrne, Michael Buckley, Paul Buckley and Vicki Buckley.

May they rest in peace. Amen.

Remembered at Masses this week

Mon 10am: Veronica Barrett (SI)

Tues 10am: Eithne Murphy (ann)

Weds 10am: John Boushel (ann)

Thurs 10am: Aonghus O'Donnell (ann)

Fri 10am: Paddy Mullen (ann)
William Dwyer (ann)

Sat 10am: Myles and Carmel Murray (ann)

Ecumenical Celebration of St. Begnet

All are welcome to the celebration of St. Begnet in the ruins of St. Begnet's Church, across the road, immediately after the 12.30pm Mass this Sunday 13th November. Entrance through the Heritage Centre.

Church Gate collection

This weekend's Church gate collection is in aid of the Laura Lynn Foundation. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration continues each Monday from after the 10am Mass until 5 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration provides us with a chance to be with God one to one. Come, sit & pray with Jesus.

Meditation Group

Our parish meditation group meets every Thursday evening, from 7.30 to 8.30pm, at Presbytery No. 2. All most welcome!

Year of Mercy

May we make God's merciful love ever more evident in our world through dialogue, mutual acceptance and fraternal cooperation **Pope Francis Nov 10th 2016**

Music for all!

This week we welcome American musician Curtis Stephan and his teen ministry colleague Erin Horomanski from Texas. Their mission is to encourage all musicians, young adults, and people who want to make a difference in our parish and they will do this through a series of talks, music sessions, prayer and adoration. The theme for the week is THRIVE! The events will be held in Dalkey and Monkstown parishes and in local schools and include: a Musicians and singers reflection and 'dessert' on Wed 16th at 7:30 pm in Monkstown Parish Hall; a **Meet & Greet happy hour** with Curtis and Erin for community leaders from 6 - 8pm in the Queens in Dalkey, followed by a Pub night for 20's+ on Thurs, 17th 8-10 pm also in The Queens; A **"Power Hour"**: adoration to **'Deepen and Renew'** on Fri eve; 18th and teen and adult choir rehearsals on Sat, 19th (venue and details tbc). Curtis and musicians will sing at 6pm Mass in Monkstown parish and at 7.30pm on Sunday in Dalkey. Check out Spirit Radio @ 11:15 on Wed, 16th for a sneak peek of Curtis! For more contact Amy @ 085 814 7036 or amyandthomas@outlook.com or follow the Facebook page at www.dalkeyparish.ie.

CASA Clothing Collection

The Clothing Collection next weekend is in aid of CASA-Caring and Sharing Association. This weekend CASA volunteers will distribute bags for return collection next weekend 19th and 20th November. CASA is a voluntary organization whose goal is to develop friendships between helpers and adults and children with a disability. All ladies, men and children clothes, accessories and shoes. Clean bed linen, curtains, bric - a - brac and any unwanted gifts you may have are most appreciated. The money raised from the sale of the collection will help in the funding of a much needed Respite break to many adults and children with physical, sensory and intellectual disabilities and their families. Please support.

Quiz night

St V de P hold a quiz night this Tues 15th Nov at 7.30pm in Bakers Corner pub. All funds go directly to national Rehab Hospital patient needs. Great prizes and raffle !!

Sale of Work for Malawi

On next Saturday, 19th November, in Our Lady's Hall, 10.30 a.m. to 2 p.m.. All proceeds to the poor and needy in Malawi. Cakes, cosmetics, bric a brac, Fantastic bargains for all!

Loreto Primary School, Dalkey.

The closing date for applications for Junior Infants in Sept 2017 is **Friday November 25th**. If you live in Dalkey Parish (and have not yet registered) and wish to enrol your child, please phone the school for an application form on 01-2802128.

Bereavement Mass

This year's Mass for the bereaved in our Parish will take place on Tues 22nd Nov at 7.30pm. 'During the Mass a candle will be lit in memory of each parishioner who died during the past year'. Tea/coffee will be provided after Mass. Everyone is welcome.

Calling all Cake Decorators

Senior Help Line, with centres in Donnybrook and Leopardstown invites local schools, families and companies to take part in their Gingerbread Village competition which involves decorating a gingerbread house and bringing it to the Talbot Hotel, Stillorgan on Sun Dec 4 from 2-5pm. Entry kits which include one prepared house, one cake board, sugar and fondant icing plus instructions cost €20 and are available from www.gingerbreadvillage.com. Dec 4 is a family afternoon with children's fun and games, Santa postbox, raffle, face painting and gift stands. Senior Help Line is a national confidential listening service for older people, LoCall 1850 440 444. For more information, contact Yvonne Keane at 046-9557766.

Follow them up to Carlow!

A bus for supporters of Cuala who play against St Mullins in the Leinster SHC semi-final will leave Hyde Rd at 11am next Sunday 20th. Tickets from Cuala office, 01 2350717. Good Luck lads!

Advent begins on Sunday 27th November

The Maynooth College choir will join the Carmelite Sisters in Delgany on Saturday 26th Nov at 3pm for the Blessing of Advent wreath and Evening Prayer. All are most welcome for this beautiful liturgy. Bring your advent wreath for blessing.

Night must fall

St Patrick's Dramatic Society Dalkey presents: 'Night Must Fall' by Emyln Williams, Wed 16th to Sat 19th Nov 20. Pavilion Theatre, Dun Laoghaire, Nightly at 8pm

Bereavement Counselling in Dalkey Parish

The bereavement counselling service,(non-denominational), offers confidential counselling on a one to one basis by trained volunteer counsellors in Presbytery No.2 each Tuesday night from 7-9pm and Wednesday afternoons, 2-5pm. Please call 01 8391766 for an appointment on donation basis.

Hymns to be sung at 11.15 Mass Sunday

Entrance Hymn

You shall cross the barren desert
But you shall not die of thirst.
You shall wander far in safety
Though you do not know the way.
You shall speak your words in foreign lands
And all will understand.
You shall see the face of God and live.

*Be not afraid, I go before you always,
Come, follow Me, and I will give you rest.*

If you pass through raging waters
In the sea, you shall not drown.
If you walk amid the burning flames,
You shall not be harmed.
If you stand before the pow'r of hell
And death is at your side,
Know that I am with you through it all.

Offertory Hymn

Lord, accept the gifts we offer
At this Eucharistic feast.
Bread and wine to be transformed now,
Through the action of Thy priest.
Take us too Lord, and transform us,
Be Thy grace in us increased.
May our souls be pure and spotless
As this host of wheat so fine.
May all stain of sin be crushed out,
Like the grape that forms the wine,
As we, too, become partakers
In this Sacrifice Divine.

Communion Hymn

I will come to you in the silence,
I will lift you from all your fear.
You will hear my voice, I claim you as my choice,
Be still and know I am here.
I am hope for all who are hopeless,
I am eyes for all who long to see.
In the shadows of the night, I will be your light,
Come and rest in Me.

*Do not be afraid, I am with you,
I have called you each by name.
Come and follow Me, I will bring you home,
I love you and you are Mine.*

I am strength for all the despairing,
Healing for the ones who dwell in shame.
All the blind will see, the lame will all run free,
And all will know My name.
I'm the Word that leads all to freedom,
I'm the peace the world cannot give.
I will call your name, embracing all your pain,
Stand up, now walk, and live.

Recessional Hymn

Longing for light, we wait in darkness.
Longing for truth, we turn to You.
Make us Your own, Your holy people,
Light for the world to see.
*Christ be our light, Shine in our hearts,
Shine through the darkness.
Christ be our light, shine in Your church
Gathered today.*
Longing for peace, our world is troubled.
Longing for hope, many despair.
Your word alone has power to save us,
Make us Your living voice.

Live in Homecare

Affordable Live-in Homecare provide live in careers for the elderly in your area. If you are looking for a live-in career for your relative, please call Mary or Tom today on 087 9916791. Our website is www.alhomecare.ie

Exercise Dementia Prevention study

A new study involving Trinity College Dublin seeks volunteers over 50 with mild memory problems to search for possible links between exercise and dementia prevention. Ph 085-2239249

Knock

Check out www.knockshrine.ie for their series of FAITH renewal events for winter 2016, including 'living in hope' - a chance to take some time out on a quiet day to shine a light in the darkness. More from 09409375355.