

A scripture based contemplative prayer group meets in the Oratory, Clonturk House, Church Avenue every Tuesday evening for 1 hour, beginning at 8.00 pm. **All Welcome.**

Eucharistic Adoration 2018 in our parish church will take place each Monday from 3.00—4.00 p.m.

Eucharist Adoration also takes place in the Oratory of the Rosminian Fathers, Clonturk House each Sunday night (except Bank Holiday Week-ends) from 7.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.

PLEASE SEE CHURCH NOTICE BOARD for details on :

Pilgrimages to Lough Derg

PRAYER FOR THE SICK:

Please pray for all in the parish who are seriously ill.

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Dolores McGuinness (nee Lee), Desmond McDonald

MONTHS MIND:

Kathryn Mulready, Jacqui McAleese

ANNIVERSARIES:

Michael Bannon, Paddy Fitzpatrick, Eveleen Dempsey, John Glover,
Rosana Read, Maureen McCabe, Bridie Hehir, Ann Hehir,
Jeanette & John Boyle, Eileen Cowley, Christine & Michael Ivory,
Dec'd members of Chase family, Robin/Gerry Farrell, Martin O'Leary.



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Second Sunday of Easter — 8th April '18

Thought for the day



How did any of us make the journey towards faith in Christ? No doubt a great part of it is simply what we received—usually from family. At some point, did I make a conscious choice? Perhaps at other times, I felt like walking away the faith project? What kept me going? Did a more personal ownership of faith result? Perhaps I can identify with the intuition of John O'Donahue, "Faith is helpless attraction to the divine." In spite of everything, in spite of myself, somehow it is part of who I am.

Prayer

Mysterious God, we are those who have seen and at the same time not seen. Help to look beyond the simple gifts of each day to see you the giver behind—and in—every gift. Help us embrace the grace that we may know true blessedness in believing.

Please return Mass leaflets and yellow notices (if not taking home) to back of Church—Thank you.

Hymns:

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Mass Times

Saturday:

10.00 a.m. & 5.30 p.m. (Vigil)

Sunday:

9.30 a.m., 11.00 a.m., 12.30 p.m.

Weekdays:

8.00 a.m. & 10.00 a.m. (Monday to Friday)

Eve of Holy Days:

7.30. p.m. (Vigil)

Working Holy Days:

8.00 a.m., 10.00 a.m., 11.00 a.m.

St. Patrick's Day:

As Sunday

Bank Holidays:

10.00 a.m. (Church closes at 11.00 a.m.)

Confessions:

Saturday:

10.30 a.m. - 11.00 a.m. & 5.00 p.m. - 5.30 p.m.

Thursday - Eve of First Fridays:

After 10.00 a. m. Mass

Baptisms:

1st & 3rd Saturday of each month - 12.00 noon

Divine Mercy Sunday – This Sunday is Divine Mercy Sunday and a Holy Hour will take place at 3pm followed by Holy Mass at 4pm in Corpus Christi Church—Celebrant Msgr. Alex Stenson. Confessions will be available from 3pm to 4pm.

The Society of St. Vincent De Paul will hold their usual Church gate collection this week-end, 7th/8th April.

Easter Dues— Offerings of Easter dues are being gratefully received—the parish team thank you most sincerely for your continued support.

Choose Life 2018 - The Catholic Communications Office are circulating a newsletter *Choose Life 2018*. It promotes the Church's position on unborn human life and encourages family discussion on this important Subject. The newsletter will be published each week on the diocesan website at www.dublindiocese.ie/choose-life-2018 and is available at the back of the Church.

First Communion - Next Sunday, 15th April the 12.30 pm Mass will be the final one of special preparation for our 2nd class children preparing for First Holy Communion. The boys will receive theirs on Saturday April 28th and the

girls the following month on Saturday May 19th, so keep them in your prayers as they get ready to receive Jesus in this special way for the first time.

Confirmation—the girls from 6th class in St Vincent de Paul school will be confirmed this Friday, the 13th by the Very Reverend Kieran McDermott. Fr Kieran is the Administrator of the Pro-Cathedral and heads up the Office for Ecumenism and Evangelisation in Archbishop's House. As you know the girls were to have been confirmed on 2nd March but the snow got in the way so we pray that nothing gets in the way this time !

The Scripture Prayer Group meets every Thurs at 11.00am in the Annadale Room. Come and pray with the Gospel of the following Sunday. All welcome!

Tea/Coffee mornings will resume again on Tuesday next 10th April and will continue every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday morning after the 10.00 a.m. Mass. Please come and join us.

A Collection for Suas will take place next weekend 14th/15th—Suas is a movement that supports quality education in disadvantaged communities in Ireland and in developing countries

Parish Lotto:

There was no winner of the Parish Lotto this week.

The winning numbers were: **13, 18, 19 & 24**

The jackpot now stands at €2,200



Church Repository/Shop: The Church Repository/Shop is open every Tuesday and Thursday morning after 10.00 a.m. Mass and after 11.00 a.m. Mass on Sundays. We have a good supply of sacramental mementos for boys and girls for all special occasions.

Signed Mass Cards are also available from the Parish shop as well as the Sacristy.

World Meeting of Families is seeking to hire a Junior Finance Assistant – full job description and information available on www.worldmeeting2018.ie/jobs

Marino Parish Knitting Group – the 'Knitwits' meet twice a month on the first and third Saturdays in the Annadale room from 10.30 a.m. to 12.00 noon approx. We knit for various Charities and would make you very welcome. Cup of tea and lively conversation provided.

Service of Remembrance A Service of Remembrance for the Coombe Hospital will be held on Sunday 8th April at 3.00pm in Our Lady of Dolours Church, Dolphin's Barn,

"Heart to Hand" Good Friday Food Collection Sincere thanks to everybody who supported this year's Collection so generously. As usual, the parishioners of Marino excelled themselves! "Heart to Hand" appreciate your continued support in their work of helping desperately poor people.

Advance Notice to all Ministers of the Word.

Fr. Alex Stenson will give a Talk to all our Parish Ministers of the Word on Thursday, 19th April, at 7.30pm in either the Marino or Charlemont Rooms (exact location to be notified later.) All the Ministers of the Word are being personally notified, and we hope you will be able to attend.