

Donnycarney Parish proposes to appoint a parish secretary to provide administrative assistance in the day to day running of the parish office. Full details on Notice Board

The Irish Catholic— the Irish Catholic Newspaper is now available to buy from the Sacristy Cost €2.00.

The Contemplative Payer Group now meet in the Dominican Convent, Griffith Avenue on Tuesday evenings at 8.00 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration in Clonturk House, Ormond Road, will continue each Sunday night from 7.00 p.m. All are welcome.

PLEASE SEE NOTICE BOARD FOR DETAILS ON THE FOLLOWING:

Pro Life Mass with Fr. Pat. Collins and Veneration of St. Pio's glove afterwards.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK:

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

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Marie Mullen, Brendan O'Connor.

MONTH'S MIND:

Marie Farrell.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Philomena Costello, Bob Fleming, Maria Kelly, Jimmy & Ellie Murran, Maura Gregg, Ronnie Wilson, Dec'd members of the Wilson Family, Annie & Paddy Toher, Julia Hamell, Mary O'Connell, John Burke, John & Mary Quirke, Paddy & Betty McDermott, Jacqui McAleese. Rosaleen & Joan Naughton.



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:

Baptisms take place on the 2nd Saturday of the month at 12.00 noon.

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**Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time
3rd March 2019**

Thought for the day

For many, it is seemingly possible to sleep-walk through life, to live on an entirely sentient level. Perhaps our current culture of distraction supports such superficial so-called living. Many, however, are dissatisfied and long for an awakening, a conversion, a transformation, for something more. Such a hunger of the heart is acknowledged in many religions and philosophies — Jesus' teaching here could just as easily be on the lips of the Gautama Buddha. The difference for Christians is the grace of God in Christ and the gift of the Holy Spirit. Ultimately, it is all grace, grace upon grace as the Prologue of John puts it.

Prayer

God of all our awakenings, we know that the journey inward is the journey home. Keep our hearts restless until we come to rest in you. Amen.

Hymns:

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Recessional: Hymn: May God's Blessing.....

CONFIRMATION CONGRATULATIONS - Congratulations to all those boys from Scoil Mhuire who were confirmed in their faith here in the parish church on Friday last. We hope they had a very enjoyable day and we pray that they will use the wonderful gifts of the Holy Spirit which they received and that they will stay close to the Lord as they grow up.

CONFIRMATION PREPARATION - Meanwhile the girls from 6th class in St Vincent de Paul School are in their final week of preparation for their big day on Friday next 8th March when Fr Kieran McDermott (Episcopal Vicar at the Office of Evangelisation & Ecumenism and Administrator of the Pro-Cathedral) will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to them at 11 am. We will keep the girls in our prayers during the week as they get ready to confirm their faith and be strengthened by the Holy Spirit.

FIRST COMMUNION MASS - The next special Mass in preparation for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion will be celebrated at 12.30 pm next Sunday, 10th March. We look forward to praying along with the boys and girls and their families.

Ash Wednesday—Next Wednesday 6th March is Ash Wednesday and is a day of fast and abstinence. Masses on Ash Wednesday are at 8.00 a.m. & 10.00 a.m. Blessed Ashes will be distributed after all Masses and will be available (near the altar) all day. **Mass during Lent will be at the usual times—8.00 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.**

First Sunday — This Sunday is the first Sunday of the month and Eucharistic Adoration will take place from 3.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.

Weekly Scripture Reflection Group continues every Thursday morning in the Annadale Room from 11.00 a.m.. All are welcome.

“Volunteer vetting on-line form reminder: A reminder to people who

recently submitted the paper Volunteer Vetting form, please check your email regularly for a link to the on-line form from the Garda Vetting Unit This on-line form must be completed within 30 days of being issued. If the link expires then a new paper form has to be submitted again.

Trocaire Boxes are available at the back of the Church and you are invited to support Trocaire in assisting people in the world's poorest regions to live with independence and dignity.

The Society of St. Vincent De Paul will hold their usual Church gate Collection next weekend 9th/10th March.

Eucharistic Adoration takes place every Monday afternoon in our Parish Church from 3.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. New members welcome.

Parish Lotto:

There was no winner of the Parish Lotto this week. The winning numbers were: **13, 14 15 & 19**

The jackpot now stands at €6,700.00

Last entries for the weekly Draw before 1.00 p.m. Monday



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.

Maryfield Transition Year Students and their Religion Teachers are hosting the Generation Club 2019, which will run for 5 Fridays : March 8th, 15th, 22nd & 29th, & April 5th. This is a social gathering of the young and the not so young, to communicate and share with each other. **VENUE : Maryfield College. TIME: 11.00am-12.10pm.**

Advance Notice—Alzheimer's Society of Ireland- Marino parish Annual Tea morning in aid of the Alzheimer's Society of Ireland is on Thursday, 2nd May, 2019, in the Marino Room, immediately after the 10am Mass Please note the date and come along to support this worthy cause.

Thank you —we wish to thank all those who so generously have volunteered to help deliver the 2 monthly Parish Newsletter to every home in the parish. We would still like more volunteers to deliver If you can spare the

Pilgrimage to Knock—Our parish Pilgrimage to Knock takes place on Sunday May 19th, leaving from outside the church at 8.00am. Cost €20.00. To book contact Catherine at 085-7602223 or Lorraine at 086-3900073. Book early to avoid disappointment.

Divine Mercy Sunday—Our parish will host Divine Mercy Sunday on April 28th. Full details later.

Special Request - Marino Parish Knitting Group, the 'Knitwits' have had a request from a few of our maternity hospitals to knit small hats for new born babies. They put a little hat on all babies now as soon as they are born. Full details along with a pattern for a little hat are available at the back of the Church. The group meet on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month from 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in the Annadale Room. New members welcome. Contact Maureen at 085-1088538

