

PLEASE SEE NOTICE BOARD FOR FULL DETAILS ON:

Repair Café at DCU - Call for Volunteers to share skills....

Priory Institute—Lent on line.....

Age & Opportunity— "Changing Gears "— A personal development course for managing Health Issues - Our Lady's Hall, Fairview starting April.....

Alhomedcare—Care of the elderly in their own home

Knock—Marino Parish Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine will take place on Sunday 24th May 2020 - Contact Lorraine on 086-3900073 or Catherine on 086-8424747

Rosary Beads—If you have an extra set of Rosary Beads that you are not using please leave them into the Sacristy for use in our hospitals.

Postage Stamps—If you could drop any used postage stamps into the Sacristy it would be appreciated. They are used on the Missions.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK:

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

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Sarah Donlan

Eamonn Costello

Fr. Patrick Mulvey

MONTHS MIND:

Kevin O'Reilly

ANNIVERSARIES:

Eileen & Patrick Fitzgerald, Patrick McMahon, Áine Pobjoy, Joe Scully, Tony

Kelly, Grainne Reynolds, John Breen, Justin McCarthy.

Material for the Church Notice Board & inclusion in the Sunday Bulletin should reach us by Thursday morning.



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Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time —23rd Feb.

Thought for the day



Today's gospel continues the challenge from last week to go deeper into the heart, the seat of hidden thoughts and desires. The call to conversion is a call to give just as we have received: we are loved and so should love; we are forgiven and so should forgive; we are consoled and so should console and so forth. Why is that? Because the love etc. that we have received becomes truly "me" only when I pass it on. Only then have I experienced the message of the prophet: I will remove from your body the heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. (Ezek 36:26)

Prayer

O God, open our ears to hear the word of Jesus, your Son. Open our hearts, that we may know true conversion from within. Open our hands that we may give just as we have received.

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

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.

Entrance : Hymn 35 Page 16

Recessional : The Light of Christ

(Please do not remove Hymn Booklet from Church)

Ash Wednesday—Next Wednesday 26th February 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.**

Lenten Talks—Monsignor Alex Stenson will provide a series of scripture talks & discussion in the Marino Room at 7.30 p.m. on 5 Wednesdays of lent starting on 4th March in preparation for the celebration of Easter.

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.

First Sunday — Next Sunday 1st March is the first Sunday of the month and Eucharistic Adoration will take place from 3.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. with adora-

tion from 4.30 to 5.00 p.m. for children.



Eucharistic Adoration in Parish Church takes place every Monday afternoon in our Church from 3.00 to 4.00 p.m. and on the first Sunday of the month from 3.00 to 5.00 with adoration from 4.30 to 5.00 p.m. for children. **Eucharistic Adoration in Clonturk House**, continues every Sunday evening from 7.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. All are welcome.

“The Generation Club” The Transition year students in Maryfield College are holding **“The Generation Club”** again this year in the School Assembly Hall. It will continue Wednesday 4th March from 11.40 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. **Note: To facilitate the Generation Club** the regular Wednesday tea morning in Marino Room is cancelled (**Tuesday & Thursday mornings not effected**) We will resume again as normal on 1st April. Please go along and enjoy—your support will be much appreciated.

Confirmation —This coming week is a very important one for our Confirmation boys and girls. The boys of Scoil Mhuire will be confirmed by Fr Liam O Cuiv, Episcopal Vicar and Administrator of Killester Parish on Friday at 11 o'clock. We hope and pray that this will be a very special occasion for them all.

Tuesday evening is the Ceremony of Light for the girls and their parents when the candidates for Confirmation promise to take responsibility for their faith, with the support of their parents and the entire Faith Community. Please keep all the Confirmation children in your prayers. Anne Dooley, Parish Catechist.

3rd Class Mass—We extend a special invitation to the boys and girls of 3rd class to join us at the 12.30pm Mass next Sunday when we will explore what Lent is all about, using 'Godly Play'.

Parish Lotto:

There was no winner of the Parish Lotto this week.

The winning numbers were: 6, 26, 27 & 29

The Jackpot now stands at €2,400.00

Note: The latest time for receipt of entries is 12 noon on date of draw.



Accommodation required - Sunday 1st & Monday 2nd March.

The NET Ministries Team who were in the parish recently to run pre-Confirmation retreats with our 6th classes, will be back in the area next weekend to run a retreat for 6th years in a local secondary school and are in need of accommodation. These young people, who do very worthwhile peer-to-peer retreat work, give of their time & resources on a voluntary basis (they fundraise before joining NET to support themselves for the year) and so are very worthy of our hospitality. Contact Connor Duncan at NET Ministries on 085 8733517 if you're in a position to host. Thanks, Anne Dooley, Parish Catechist.



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 all occasions.

Parish Newsletter—The latest date for material for inclusion in the parish newsletter is 6th March 2020.



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The **'Knitwits'** meet every 1st & 3rd Saturday of the month from 10.30 a.m.— 12.30 pm. We look forward to new members. For further details Ph.: (085) 1088538.

Our Scripture Reflection Group meet on Thursday mornings at 11.00 am in the Annadale room.



School Building Project—Work is to start tomorrow Monday 24th February on a 2 classroom extension to the Infants/Girls Schools. This will necessitate the partial removal of the dividing wall between the Church and the school. It is expected to cause minimal disruption to Church activities except for a period of approximately two weeks from Monday 2nd March while excavated materials are being removed from the site. During this period Church traffic will be restricted to the other side of the church and school traffic will not be allowed on the Church grounds. Apologies for the inconvenience caused to Parishioners during this period.