



Church of St. Vincent De Paul, Marino, D09 KN83

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Mass Times

Weekdays:

10.00 a.m.
(Monday to Friday)

Saturday:

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

Sunday:

9.15 a.m. & 11.00 a.m.

Eve of Holy Days:

7.00 p.m. (Vigil)

Working Holy Days:

10.00 a.m. 11.00 a.m.

Eve of St. Patrick's Day:

5.30 p.m. (Vigil)

St. Patrick's Day

9.15 a.m. & 11.00 a.m.

Bank Holidays:

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

Eucharistic Adoration

Saturday:

5.00 – 5.30 p.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.

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 20th February 2022

Thought for the day

In the most generous perspective, the desire for retaliation represents a longing for justice and equity. For example, “an eye for an eye.” Such justice is easily distorted into vengeance, hence the limiting of vengeance to precisely equal retaliation in the Old Testament. That tempering of vengeance does not really go far enough. The problem is responding in kind—the ultimate logic of which would be one person left with one eye!! Jesus goes to the heart of the matter: do not respond to violence with violence, do not engage at the level offered. Instead, turn the dynamic on its head: love your enemies and break the cycle of hatred and violence.

Prayer

Help us, compassionate God, to take to heart the teaching of Jesus that love without limit may be our rule of life.

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

Entrance Hymn:

(Please do not remove Hymn Booklet from Church)

Recessional:

ALONE

“ALONE supports older people to age at home, combatting loneliness and isolation. Would you like to volunteer from the comfort of your own home? We are seeking volunteers to make Support & Befriending calls to older people. Please visit our website at www.alone.ie or call our National Support and Referral line on 0818 222 024 to find out more about volunteering with ALONE.”

MEDJUGORJE PRAYER GROUP

Medjugorje prayer group meetings continue every Thursday from 8.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m. in the Annadale Room.

CHILDRENS CORNER

Children's Corner this week is on a Feast of Feast Days!

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Eucharistic Adoration in Clonturk House, Ormond Road, Sunday 7 p.m. until 8 p.m. All are welcome.

BANK REGULATIONS

Due to new banking regulations all contributions made to the parish by cheque should be made out to the **“Church of St. Vincent De Paul.”**

CHURCH SHOP/REPOSITORY



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.



ANNIVERSARY MASSES

Please note bookings for Anniversary Masses should be booked in at least one week in advance to avoid disappointment.

UNIVERSAL SYNOD



POPE FRANCIS WANTS TO HEAR FROM YOU

In October last year Pope Francis invited every Catholic in the world to outline their dreams, ideas, and concerns in a sincere effort to bring about real transformation and renewal in the Church. This process is called a “Universal Synod”. A Synod is a gathering of people which advises the Bishop or the Pope on issues of governance within the Church. Pope Francis wants every Catholic to speak and have their voice heard so that all the people collectively can shape our future.

We cannot run away from the fact that the church must face the lack of faith and, also its history of abuse and failure. Through this process the Pope is seeking to acknowledge the hurts that exist within our church community and work to heal those relationships, so that the Catholic Church in Ireland can fully live out its calling to serve the wider society.

In our parish we will be inviting everyone to participate in a gathering during the month of March 2022 where we will hope to listen to a broad range of people and collect their joys, sorrows, hopes and fears in relation to the church. Pope Francis asks people to have courage and speak frankly and boldly and to listen humbly and be open to other’s ideas. He believes this is what God wants in the third millennium. He wants the synodal processes to create space for different views, and different visions for the future, especially laypeople and all those on the margins who feel disenfranchised, but in a spirit of sharing, respectful listening, and discernment, rather than argument. "Every encounter calls for openness, courage and a willingness to let ourselves be challenged by the presence and the stories of others," the pope said.

We ask each and every parishioner to respond to the Pope’s call and participate in our Parish Synod Gathering. A date, time and venue for the gathering will be organised within the coming weeks.

PRAYER CARDS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH.

FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION PROGRAMMES

We are delighted to have begun our parish programmes for Communion and Confirmation for those celebrating these sacraments later in the year. We had a number of Enrolment Ceremonies before Christmas where the children and their families made promises to put their best effort into their preparation, so **we ask all parishioners to pray for them** that they will be strengthened by the Good Lord to keep their promises and that this time of preparation will be full of graces and blessings for all!

The **Confirmation** boys and girls are taking part in a new film-based programme developed by Scripture Union which we hope will help them explore questions about their Christian faith and lead them to a relationship with Jesus that they can draw on throughout their lives, while the **First Communion** families have begun preparing for and attending a series of Parish Masses.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK:

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

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Elizabeth Duff

MONTHS MIND:

ANNIVERSARIES:

Brian McGinn, Dr. Deirdre Power,

Ann Loftus, Jim & Simon Behan,

Justin McCarthy, Betty & Elizabeth Boland,

Ronnie Wilson.