### **Church Services**

### Marino:

**Mass Times:** 

Weekdays: 10.00a.m. (Mon to Fri) Sat: 10.00a.m. & 5.30p.m (Vigil)

Sun: 9.15a.m. & 11.00a.m.

Eve of Holy Days: 7.00p.m. (Vigil) Working Holy Days: 10.00a.m. Eve of St. Patrick's Day: 5.30p.m. St. Patrick's Day: 9.15am. &

11.00am.

**Bank Holidays:** 10.00a.m. *(Church closes at 11.0 a.m.)* 

**Eucharistic Adoration Sat:** 5.00pm. – 5.30p.m.

**Confessions:** 

Sat: 10.30a.m. - 11.00a.m. &

5.00p.m. - 5.30p.m.

Thursday - Eve of First Fridays:

after 10.00am. mass

**Baptisms:** 

Baptisms take place on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat. of each month at 12.00 noon

Rosmini:

Weekdays: 10.00am. (Mon to Sat.)

Holy Days: 10.00a.m.

Sun: 10.30am.

Fairview:

Weekdays: 8.00 & 10.00.(Mon - Fri.)

Sat: 10.00am. & 6.00pm. (Vigil)

Sun: 9.30am. & 11.30am.

First Fri. Mass 8.00, 10.00 & 7.30 pm. Adoration after 7.30pm Mass Holy Days – 8.00, 10.00 & 7.30pm. Confessions: after Mass (mon. to

Sat.)

**Donnycarney:** 

Weekdays: -10.00am. (Mon. – Fri) Sat: – 10.00am. & 6.30pm. (Vigil) Sun: – 9.00am.,10.30am., 12.00 noon & 1.00pm. (Ukrainian rite)

**Holy Days:** – 10.00am.

Confessions Sat: after 10.00am

Adoration: Every Friday:10.30am -

12.00 noon.

#### **CHURCH OF ST. VINCENT DePaul MARINO**



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The Presentation of The Lord

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2025

### Thought for the day

Thought for the day Our Gospel today describes two very old people—Simeon and Anna—who are very attractive in their old age. They have lived prayerful lives of faith and in particular of hope and expectation. Being wise, they are people of discernment, and they recognise the moment of grace, the coming of the Messiah. Wouldn't it be wonderful to be like them in old age? The secret is to be now what we hope to be then. If we wish to be serene, wise, discerning, full of faith—then now is the time: As St Paul says: "See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation!" (2 Cor 6:2)

### **Prayer:**

Abba, Father, God of all time, you call us to become your children. Send your Holy Spirit into our hearts that we may live our faith serenely in the present moment and give us grace to recognise the time of your appearing.

Please return Mass Leaflet and yellow sheet (if not taking home) to back of Church – Thank You.

### St. Brigid's Day:

This Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> February is the feast of St. Brigid, the Secondary Patron Saint of Ireland.

### **Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord** (Candlemas Day):

The Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord is on Sunday 2nd February. Blessing of candles will take place at the 5.50p.m (Vigil Mass) on Saturday, the 9.15 a.m. & 11.00 a.m. Mass on Sunday.

### **Feast of St Blaise:**

Monday the 3<sup>rd</sup> of February is a Bank Holiday and is also the Feast of St. Blaise. Blessing of throats will take place after the 10.00 a.m. Mass.

### First Friday:

Next Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February is the first Friday of the month and confessions will be heard on Thursday morning after the 10.00 a.m. Mass

### World Day of the Sick:

The Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes is on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February and to celebrate the Feast Day and World Day of the Sick, a triduum of prayer will take place Sunday 9<sup>th</sup>, Monday 10<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup>. The Novena prayer to Our Lady of Lourdes will be recited after Mass each morning of the Tridium and the Sacrament of the sick will be available after the 10.00 a.m. Mass on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February. Prayer cards are available at Our Lady's altar and at the back of the Church.

### **Christmas Dues:**

The Priests of the parish are grateful for receipt of Christmas Dues. Christmas dues envelopes may be placed in the safes at the back of the Church or handed into the Sacristy.

## 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. A good selection of items are available for all occasions.

Please pay us a visit.



# Donations for your Church – Contactless payment now available:

Due to the ever-decreasing cash flow in our lives and its impact on our parish finances we have introduced 'Tap to Pay' at the back of the church with full operational details in the hope of maintaining necessary funds for the continued maintenance and upkeep of our parish church and grounds - your contributions will go exclusively to the running costs of our parish.

We appreciate your cooperation and understanding and thank you for your ongoing support in these ever increasingly difficult times.

### Please note:

The ongoing first and second weekend Mass collections for the upkeep of **the Diocese** will continue as usual.

### Medjugorje Prayer Group:

The Medjugorje prayer group meetings continue each Thursday evening at 8.00 p.m. in the Marino Room. All are welcome.

### **Eucharistic Adoration:**

Eucharistic Adoration in Clonturk House <u>will not</u> take place on 2<sup>nd</sup> February but will continue each Sunday evening thereafter at 7.00 p.m. All Welcome.

### **First Communion:**

Our next Mass for families with children for First Communion will be celebrated on Sunday next, February 9th at 12.30pm. All are welcome to come and celebrate the Eucharist with our First Communion families. As it's close to the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, our focus will be on praying for the sick and the children will be invited to write prayers for those they know and love who are ill.

# Our Fundraiser

### **Parish Lotto:**

The winning numbers in our Parish Lotto are now available at the back of the Church and on our website. Thank you so much to everyone who is supporting our fundraiser, you are

making a real difference, and we really appreciate your support.

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### **Prayer for The Sick:**

Please pray for all our deceased relatives and friends listed at the back of the Church.

### **Recently Deceased:**

Months Mind: Tom Daly - Anniv

### **Mass Intentions:**

1 <sup>st</sup> February	05. 30 p.m.	Tommy Melia - 3 <sup>ra</sup> Anniv	
		Ann Kavanagh – Anniv	
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Jim Joe & Simon Behan – Anniv

Eileen Gaffney - Anniv

2<sup>nd</sup> February 09.15 a.m. **Christmas Novena of Masses** 

11.00 a.m. Tom Daly – Mths Mind

Carol Coffey – 1<sup>st</sup> Anniv

Frances McIntyre – 10th Anniv

Babs O'Donnell - Anniv

3<sup>rd</sup> February 10.00 a.m. Margaret McCarthy - Anniv

4<sup>th</sup> February 10.00 a.m. Peggy Dawson – 1<sup>st</sup> Anniv

5<sup>th</sup> February 10 .00 a.m.

6<sup>th</sup> February 10.00 a.m.

7<sup>th</sup> February 10.00 a.m. Altar List of the Dead

8<sup>th</sup> February 10.00 a.m.