

# Church of the Holy Name, Beechwood Avenue Upper, Ranelagh, Dublin 6.

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## Newsletter 13<sup>th</sup> September 2015 Twenty fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1<sup>st</sup> Reading Is 50:5-9  
Psalm Ps 114:1-6, 8-9, R/ v9  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading Jas 2:14-18  
Gospel Mk 8:27-35

### Mass times

Daily Mass Monday to Saturday at 10.00am  
Vigil Mass Saturday at 6.15pm  
Sunday 10.00 (Irish) and 11.30am (Family Mass)  
Masses on Holy Days :Vigil Mass of the Holy Day at 7.30pm with Masses on the day at 10.00am and 7.30pm  
Confessions before and after Saturday Mass.

### Baptisms

The parish baptisms are held on the first Saturday and last Sunday of each month at 12.30pm. Prior booking with the Parish Administrator is essential. A copy of the child's civil birth certificate must be provided at the time the booking is made. Please note also that godparents must be at least 16 years of age and must be confirmed.

Wedding bookings strictly by appointment with the Parish Administrator.

Child Protection Representative contactable via [childprotection@beechwoodparish.com](mailto:childprotection@beechwoodparish.com) or through the Parish Office.

Please ensure that your mobile phone is switched off or in silent mode.

We request that children be accompanied by a parent/guardian at all times while in the church.

### Ministers of the Eucharist 13<sup>th</sup> September

6.15 pm D. McCarthy  
10.00am Yvonne Cooney, S. Clarke  
11.30am Mary McCormack, Carmel  
Shanahan, M. Burke

### Minister attending Gascoigne Home

F. Murphy

### Mass Intentions for the coming week

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> 10.00am pro populo  
11.30am Peg McGrath  
(Months Mind)  
Monday 14<sup>th</sup> 10.00am Mary McCarthy (RD)  
Birthday remembrance  
Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> 10.00am Clare O'Flaherty (11<sup>th</sup> A)  
Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> 10.00am  
Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> 10.00am  
Friday 18<sup>th</sup> 10.00am  
Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> 10.00am  
6.15pm Johnny Wade (A)  
Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> 10.00am pro populo  
11.30am John Markham (13<sup>th</sup> A)

### Collections for last weekend

1<sup>st</sup> Collection € 786  
2<sup>nd</sup> Collection € 546  
Shrines/books/family offering € 273

### Beechwood Chamber Choir

*(Saturday Vigil Mass) - New Singers Wanted!*

*The Chamber Choir hopes to have enough singers to sing a new 3 or 4-part polyphonic piece every Saturday, relevant to each week. Two main liturgical events will take place during the coming year: one during Advent (when we hope to sing Cristobal Morales' "O Magnum Mysterium" and fragments of Handel's "Messiah") and one during Lent/East (during which we hope to sing Allegri's "Miserere" and/or Palestrina's "Stabat Mater").*

*New singers are needed and welcome! If you are interested please contact Albert at [albertlussa@gmail.com](mailto:albertlussa@gmail.com) or on 086 348 75 22 or speak with him after any Saturday Mass.*

*The Choir rehearses on Thursdays from 8pm to 9:15pm and will resume singing on Saturday 5th September.*

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Parish Office (church grounds) opening hours Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri 9.30am – 1pm

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Sr. Teresa McAllister Parish Sister c/o Parish Office, Tel (01) 4967449

### **Crosscare Annual Collection**

Annual Collection for Crosscare takes place next weekend – 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> September. We hope to have a speaker from Crosscare at all our Masses. We appeal for your generous support. The total amount donated last year in this parish was €2,013.

### **Crosscare staff begin work on planning to help refugees**

At the request of Archbishop Diarmuid Martin, Crosscare staff in Dublin have begun working on a draft programme of support for refugees. Crosscare also plans to work directly with Dublin priests and parishes in co-ordinating appropriate support at local level. Archbishop Martin said planning for the reception of refugees should begin immediately in what he called ‘the greatest refugee crisis since the Second World War’.

Crosscare staff, with expertise in housing and in working with refugees, have been planning on how to respond quickly when government agencies confirm the numbers that Ireland can expect to receive.

Crosscare also has the largest foodbank network in Dublin and while demand for food from Dublin families is still very high, it is another existing structure through which parishioners may be able to offer a helping hand.

Crosscare is one of the leading providers of support and accommodation to homeless people in Dublin. It also works directly with refugees and asylum seekers arriving in Dublin through the Crosscare Migrant Project.

There will be a Patrician Meeting on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm in Parish Office. All are welcome.

Beechwood Avenue Childrens/Youth Choir are looking for new members. They sing each week at the 11.30am Family Mass. Please speak to Madelene (Director) if you would like further information.

### **Ranelagh Active Retirement Association**

We are now resuming activities after our summer break.

Exercise classes in Beechwood Community Centre on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> September at 2pm.

Art classes in Woodstock Community Centre on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> September at 2.30pm

Cost is €5 per class.

If you are interested please contact Mary at 4964038 or Pauline at 4970908.

### **Do This in Memory of Me**

There will be a meeting later this month for the parents of all children in Sandford Parish National School, Scoil Bhríde and Lios na nOg who are preparing for First Holy Communion.

The monthly Masses begin with the Enrolment Mass on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> September. We invite children from Scoil Bhríde and Lios na n’Og to our 10.00am Aifreann as Gaeilge and children from Sandford Parish National School to our 11.30am Family Mass.

**DATES FOR DO THIS IN MEMORY**

**2015–2016**

Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup> September

Sunday, 25 October 2015

Sunday, 22 November 2015

Sunday, 13 December 2015

Sunday, 24 January 2016

Sunday, 21 February 2016

Sunday, 20 March 2016

Sunday, 10 April 2016 3rd

Sunday, 29 May 2016