

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

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Newsletter 2nd November 2014

The Commemoration of all the Faithful

Departed

1st Reading Is 25:6-9

Psalm Ps 26:1, 4, 7-9, 13-14, R/ v 1

2nd Reading Rm 5:5-11

Gospel Mt 11:25-30

Mass times

Daily Mass Monday to Friday 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 or through the Parish Office.

Notice to parents/guardians

Children are welcome to use the bathroom in the sacristy during Mass. We request that they be accompanied by a parent/guardian.

Ministers of the Eucharist 2nd November

6.15 pm Nora Palmer

10.00am M. Keane

11.30am Anne Dollard, Colman Boylan,
David K'Eogh.

Minister attending Gascoigne Home

M. Keane

Mass Intentions for the coming week

Sunday 2nd 10.00am

11.30am Pro populo

Monday 3rd 10.00am Sr Marie Duddy (RD)

Tuesday 4th 10.00am Dr Tony Burke (A)

Wednesday 5th 10.00am

Thursday 6th 10.00am Brendan Callaghan (6th A)

Friday 7th 10.00am Altar List of the Dead

Saturday 8th 6.15pm Paddy Fearon (3rd A)

Collections for last weekend

First collection € 547

Second collection €

504

Shrines/books/family offerings € 341

An additional sum of €2,140 has been received for the Missionary Sisters of the Holy Rosary Ebola Fund in Sierra Leone and Liberia. That brings the total amount so far up to €4,681.40. The Sisters wish to express their profound gratitude for your outstanding generosity.

Mass of Commemoration for All Souls

The 11.30am Mass on this Feast of All Souls is always a very special and emotional one in our parish life. We remember in a special way those of our community who died during the past twelve months. We pray for the consolation of their bereaved and grieving families. We also remember all our deceased loved ones; family, friend or neighbour. We invite you to light a candle during the Mass and bring it to the altar as an act of loving remembrance.

The church will remain open until 6pm today.

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November Liturgies

Sunday 9th November War and Peace.

The 11.30am Mass on Sunday 9th November will be celebrated by Monsignor Eoin Thynn, Head Chaplain of the Defence Forces. In this Mass we will remember all of those who have died in worldwide wars and conflicts and we will pray for peace.

Sunday 16th November

The 11.30am Mass on Sunday 16th November will be celebrated for all missionaries.

Sunday 23rd November

The 11.30am Mass will be celebrated for all the benefactors of our parish.

November Altar List of the Dead

Envelopes and cards are available at the back of the church and Albany and Edenvale doors. All those whose names are entered on the Altar List of the Dead are remembered at the 10.00am Mass on the First Friday of each month. Please return list and offering before the end of October.

Ikon

The Holy Name of Jesus is on view on Our Lady's Altar side of the church. Written by *Luchio Alvarez* it features the sign IHS. (Jesus Christ, Son of God Saviour). There is a pamphlet explaining its design, and meaning at the entrance to the Church. Please take one. The Ikon was gifted to our church to mark the Centenary. Our website carries further information about it.

Visit of President Michael D. Higgins

December 21st 2014 will be a very special day here at Beechwood as we receive, as our guest for Centenary Irish Mass at 10.00am, His Excellency Michael D. Higgins. We welcome him and Mrs. Higgins and we are pleased to say that the Chief Celebrant and Homilist will be An tAthair Michail MGreil, SJ. Julian Vignoles is preparing the choir and our liturgy will feature some beautiful *Sean Nos* pieces and input from Na Casadaigh. A reception will follow.

First Friday 7th November

Next Friday is the first Friday of the month. Holy Communion will be brought to our ill and house bound parishioners. If you know of a family member, friend or neighbour who would like a first Friday visit please let us know. Mass is celebrated next Friday for all those whose names are on the November Altar List of the Dead. There will be Benediction after Mass.