

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

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Newsletter 7th September 2014

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading Ez 33:7-9

Psalm Ps 94:1-2, 6-9, R/v 8

2nd Reading Rm 13:8-10

Gospel Mt 18: 15-20

We have to learn to help and to heal each other and avoid attitudes of prying, denunciation, jealousy and informing.

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 or on request after other Masses.

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.

Ministers of the Eucharist 7th September

6.15 pm F. Murphy

10.00am J. Foyle

11.30am Catherine Carew, Louis Eves, Gabrielle Marry

Minister attending Gascoigne Home

F. Murphy

Mass Intentions for the coming week

Sunday 7th 10.00am pro populo

11.30am Brendan Creegan
(1stA)

Monday 8th 10.00am Requiem Mass for the
late Rose Deane

Tuesday 9th 10.00am

Wednesday 10th 10.00am

Thursday 11th 10.00am

Friday 12th 10.00am

Saturday 13th 6.15pm

Collections for last weekend

First collection € 812

Second collection € 580

Shrines/books/family offerings € 207

The first and second collections are remitted to the Dublin diocese in full every week.

The church restoration fund appeal now stands at €105,440 from 136 donations. We are very grateful to all of those who have donated to date. If you have not already made a donation we would ask you to consider doing so.

Notice for parents/guardians

Children are most welcome to use the bathroom in the sacristy area during Mass and other liturgies. We would ask that a parent or guardian accompany children at such times. This is to comply with Child Protection guidelines. Thank you.

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

Mary Newman Parish Secretary Tel (01) 4967449 email info@beechwoodparish.com

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

SATURDAY 20th Sept 8pm.

The Ranelagh Singers with special guests Lismore Choir present Choralcopia - with music from Rutter, Stanford and others.

Venue Sandford Parish Church

Admission €10 and €8.

Please come along and join us.

Ranelagh Singers are looking for new members. If you are interested please contact Aoife Worn

at aoifeworn@oceanfree.net or mobile 0872851684

First Holy Communion 2015

The Do this in Memory programme for children who will be receiving First Holy Communion in our parish next May, begins with a meeting for parents on Wednesday September 24th at 7.30pm in the church. Parents of second class children in Sandford Parish National School, Scoil Bhride and Lios na nOg are invited to attend. The dates for the monthly 'Do this in Memory of Me' Masses will be available at that time. The First Holy Communion Masses will be held on three Sundays in May 2015.

We pray for all the children, their parents, families and teachers as they begin their preparation for this important milestone in their Christian journey.

Confirmation 2015

Next spring we will be having three Confirmation ceremonies for the children from the three local schools. Again we ask for prayers for the children, their parents, families and teachers.

Mass Collectors

We are currently seeking assistance to help with the mass collections. If you could help out for 4 Sundays per year, could you contact Rita Lovett at rita.Lovett@hotmail.com, or 086 8529647, stating what mass you normally attend. We would be delighted to welcome new faces.

The rota for September is as follows:

6.15 vigil mass

Donal Mc Carty	area 1
PJ Carty	area 2
Ronan O Connell	area 3
volunteer req'd	area 4

10am Sunday mass

Mary Stokes	area 1
Aisteann O Lorchann	area 2
Noreen Foyle	area 3
Rita Lovett	area 4

11.30 Sunday mass

Frances Clancy	area 1
Larry Mahon	area 2
Colman Boylan	area 3
Nora Palmer	area 4

There was an article in the Irish Times property supplement about George O'Malley, stuccodore! George and his team of highly skilled craftsmen have been engaged to carry out the task of restoring the ceiling and plasterwork over Our Lady's Altar where the dry rot was discovered. They began work here this week.