

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

Celebrating 100 years – 1914 to 2014

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## Newsletter 10<sup>th</sup> April 2016 Third Sunday of Easter

First Reading Acts 5:27-32, 40-41  
Psalm Ps 29:2, 4-6, 11-13, R / v2  
Second Reading Apoc 5:11-14  
Gospel Jn 21:1-19

### 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.

### Ministers of the Eucharist 10<sup>th</sup> April

6.15 pm Nora Palmer  
10.00am M. Keane  
11.30am Anne Dollard, Coleman Boylan,  
David K'Eogh

### Minister attending Gascoigne Home

F. Murphy

### Collections for last weekend

1<sup>st</sup> collection € 818

2<sup>nd</sup> collection € 612

Shrines/books/family offering € 127

### Mass Intentions for the coming week

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> 10.00am

11.30am Edward McDonald (A)

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> 10.00am Fiona Byrne (A)

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> 10.00am

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> 10.00am

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> 10.00am

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> 10.00am

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> 10.00am

6.15pm Maura Laffan (A)

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> 10.00am Michael (5<sup>th</sup> A) and

Mamie (15<sup>th</sup> A) Dooley

We also remember Pdraigin &

Seamus Ui Ghuidhir

11.30am Kate Healy (A)

### Vocations Sunday April 17<sup>th</sup>

Next Sunday, Good Shepherd Sunday, is Vocations Sunday. We pray for Our Priests and Seminarians. A special collection for Students to Priesthood in Dublin takes place instead of Share. Let us encourage young people to hear the call to Ministerial Priesthood. If you feel you want to know more look at [www.vocations.ie](http://www.vocations.ie)

### First Holy Communion Masses

The children and parents and teachers in Lios na nOg, Sandford Parish National School and Scoil Bhríde have been working very hard preparing for First Holy Communion. The Mass dates are:

8<sup>th</sup> May at 10.00am Lios na nOg

15<sup>th</sup> May at 11.30am Sandford

22<sup>nd</sup> May at 11.30am Scoil Bhríde

The English Mass on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> May will be at 10.00am.

Beechwood Avenue Parish

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

## **Child Safeguarding and Protection** **Important Notice**

We, in the Parish of Beechwood Avenue, are committed to providing a safe and supportive environment, which will facilitate and encourage children and young people to be active participants as members of our parish and community.

Children form an integral part of the Christian Community. So also do staff members, agency volunteers and parish voluntary lay faithful (e.g. Ministers of the Eucharist, Parish Council Members, Church Readers, Sacristans, Parish Child Protection Representatives, Altar Society, Monday cleaners, those who visit elderly parishioners and users of Parish property).

To this end we have and continue to ensure that best practice in the area of Child Protection procedures are followed. As part of this we are holding two training advice meetings on

*Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> April at 10.45AM in the church and*

*Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30 PM in the Parish Pastoral Community Centre.*

**All staff and volunteers are required to attend one of the two meetings.**

Gary Kehoe, Training and Development Co-Ordinator, Child Safeguarding and Protection Services, Dublin Dioceses will be giving the presentation and information training.

If in the mean time you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us through the parish office.

We thank you in advance for your cooperation.

*Fr Bernard Kennedy ADM*

*Philip Daly Parish Child Safeguarding Rep*

*Anne Dollard Parish Child Safeguarding Rep*

## **Silent Retreat at Milltown Park**

A silent one-day retreat for men and women will be held on Sunday 10 April at Milltown Park from 10.00am-6.00pm. Join us for spiritual direction by Jesuit Fathers who will give talks, guided prayer, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Mass and Blessing of the Sick. Meals provided. Contact: Lay Retreat Association 01-5577113 (Suggested offering €30).

**Lough Derg Jubilee Year of Mercy Pilgrimage Season opens on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> May with One Day Retreats which continue for the month of May. Booking is essential. The Three Day Pilgrimage season begins on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June. You may begin the Pilgrimage on any day between 1<sup>st</sup> June and 13<sup>th</sup> August. Pre-booking is not required for the Three Day Pilgrimage. Contact Lough Derg by telephone 071 9861518 or Email [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org), [www.loughderg.org](http://www.loughderg.org)**

## **Irish Building and Design Awards 2016**

Manley Construction Ltd, who were the main contractors for our centenary refurbishment, were in touch with us this week to give us the great news that the church has been shortlisted in the 'Cultural Project of the Year' Category in the Irish Building and Design Awards! The awards ceremony will be held in Dublin later this month.

## **SPRING BAZAAR**

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> April from 11.00am – 2.00pm in St Philip's Parish Hall and Grounds, Temple Road, Dartry  
A super fun family day out!  
Admission Free