

Church of the Holy Name

Beechwood Avenue , Ranelagh

Parish Newsletter

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Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and
Friday **9.30am to 1.30pm**

Closed on Thursday

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Parish Pastoral Council

Chair: Mrs Anne Dollard

Parish Finance Committee

Chair : Mr Pat O'Connor



The church and surrounding streets! This photograph was taken by a drone camera.

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading Hab 1:2-3, 2:2-4

Psalm 94:1-2, 6-9, R v 9

2nd Reading 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14

Gospel Lk 17:5-10

The prophet Habakkuk is surrounded by a people of violence, strife and greed. How is to live in such a world? He is counselled to have patient faith, to remain faithful despite the apparent hopelessness. Christ's disciples should realise the gift of faith is given to them for perseverance.

Coffee and Cake for Crumlin

You are welcome to join us for a coffee morning in support of The Children's Heart Centre, Crumlin.

Saturday 8th October 10am to 2pm

5 Mountain View Road, Ranelagh

For more information contact
Karen Golden on 0879684498.

We welcome items for publishing in the weekly newsletter. If you wish to submit an item please send it to us by **10.00am on Monday** for publication on the following Sunday. If you would like to receive the newsletter by email please let us know.



Mass Times

Monday to Saturday 10.00am

Vigil Mass Saturday 6.15pm

Sunday 10.00am (Irish)

Sunday 11.30am (Family Mass)

Holy Days

Vigil Mass of the Holy Day 7.30pm with Masses on the day at 10.00am and 7.30pm

Confessions before and after Saturday 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 see our website for more detailed information.

Wedding bookings are strictly by appointment with the Parish Administrator.

Child Protection Representatives may be contacted at childprotection@beechwoodparish.com or through the Parish

Mass Intentions*Sunday 2nd*

10.00am Anthony Saab (Month's Mind)

11.30am Gerry Gordon (3rd A)

Monday 3rd

10.00am Pat O'Leary (7th A)

Tuesday 4th

10.00am Maura Griffin (RD)

Wednesday 5th

10.00am John Kelly (4th A)

Thursday 6th

10.00am Mass Intention for Holy Souls

Friday 7th

10.00am

Saturday 8th

10.00am pro populo

6.15pm Timothy and Mary Fallon (A)

Sunday 9th

10.00am

11.30am Robert Creedon (10th A)

Recent collection figures**18th September**

1st collection € 640

2nd collection (Crosscare) € 1857

Shrines, books, envelopes € 498

First Friday Visits

Communion is brought to our ill or housebound parishioners on the First Friday of every month. If you, or someone you know, would like a First Friday visit, please let us know.

Eucharistic Adoration takes place here daily (Tuesday to Saturday) from 10.30am to 11.00am

Ministers of the Eucharist 2nd October

6.15pm Joe McFadden

10.00am Matt McHugh, Pauline Knight

11.30am David K'Eogh, Molly Corbett

Gascoigne Home : Nora Palmer

Italian Earthquake Appeal

We sent a cheque to the Dublin Diocese to be forwarded to the Bishop of Rieti in whose diocese the recent devastating earthquake occurred. The amount raised here in Beechwood was €1578. We thank you once again for your great generosity.

Appeal Sunday

If you would like to contribute towards the parish running costs there are family envelopes and standing order forms available in the church this weekend.

A report from the recent Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes

The word 'pilgrimage' conjures up images of prayer, solemnity and hardship to most people, and no doubt a pilgrimage to Lourdes does the same.

It does not prepare you for the overwhelming warmth and caring of the hundreds of volunteers who give of their time and love year after year to make this a wonderful experience for us pilgrims. The absolute 'joie de vivre' is palpable from the moment the plane lands and it all begins.

The ceremonies are emotional and solemnly wonderful—the Anointing of the Sick for example and the Youth Mass, the Torchlight Procession and the (Icy!) Baths to name but a few.

The fun is down to the interchange of so many disparate people, in all shapes and sizes! The afternoon picnic, the songs, the music and of course the laughter! The pleasure of mixing with the wonderful young and hard working volunteers—some of whom are still in school here in Dublin. And not forgetting the love stories, some just beginning and many more that began there years ago—and are still happening. Most treasured of all are the new friends you make and the memories you take home. Roll on Lourdes 2017!

(Nuala Brennan, Lourdes Pilgrim 2016)

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who supported our recent Lourdes appeal. Thanks to your generosity we were able to send three parishioners to Lourdes this month. Candles were lit at Lourdes for all our parishioners.

Do this in Memory of Me Enrolment Sunday



Today we welcome all the children who are beginning their preparation for First Holy Communion. We pray for the children, their parents, families and teachers.

Loving God

We call to mind the children who will prepare for First Eucharist during the coming year and all who care for them. We ask your blessing on all of them and on all of us gathered here. May we always walk as children of the light and be prepared to share that light with those whom we meet.

The following dates are the scheduled dates for the Do this In Memory of Me Masses.

Sunday 2nd October

Sunday 30th October

Sunday 20th November

Sunday 11th December

Sunday 22nd January

Sunday 12th February

Sunday 19th March

Sunday 9th April

Sunday 30th April

Sunday 18th June

St Mary's National School Belmont Avenue, Donnybrook

There is an information meeting on Monday 3rd October for parents wishing to apply for a Junior Infant place in 2017.

The meeting will take place between 5pm and 7pm in St Mary's, Belmont Avenue.

If you wish to enrol a child you are asked to bring along a copy of the child's birth certificate and baptismal certificate and also a recent utility bill (as proof of address).

The meeting will take place in the school on Belmont Avenue. You may contact the school at 01 2195734 for more information.