



Church of the Holy Name

Beechwood Avenue , Ranelagh

Parish Newsletter

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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 Tuesday** for publication on the following Sunday. If you would like to receive the newsletter by email please let us know.

SUNDAY 1st October 2017

SEEING YOUR LIFE THROUGH THE LENS OF THE GOSPELS Matthew 21:28-32

1. It is possible to be a dutiful and observant Christian, and yet feel there is something missing. It makes such a difference when your heart is in what you are doing – so much better than just going through the motions. Where do you experience that most in your life?
2. The desire of Jesus for us is that we grow in that kind of committed, enthusiastic involvement in life. What encourages you to grow in this way?
3. The elders probably thought well of themselves in contrast to the tax collectors and sinners. Perhaps you know some unconventional people, ones who appear to ignore the 'right' way of doing things, and yet they have taught you something about true goodness.

John Byrne osa

The Parish Office has new opening hours,
Monday to Friday 9.30am – 1.30pm.

If we can help in any way, please feel free to drop in.

All are welcome.



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

If you would like to arrange baptism for your child please contact the parish office on (01) 4967449.

Wedding bookings are strictly by appointment with the Parish Priest.

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

Mass Intentions for coming week

Sunday 1st

1000am Florence Barlow (RD)

11.30am Gerry Gordon (4th A)

Monday 2nd

10.00am

Tuesday 3rd

10.00am Pat O'Leary (8th A)

Wednesday 4th

10.00am

Thursday 5th

10.00am John Kelly (5th A)

Friday 6th

10.00am

Saturday 7th

10.00am For all the Faithful Departed

6.15pm Michael & Eithne Cassidy (A)

Sunday 8th

10.00am

11.30am John Horgan (RD)

We pray for all our deceased loved ones. May they rest in peace.

We also remember all those in our community who are ill or housebound and all those who care for them.

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.

Ministers of the Eucharist 1st October

6.15pm Nora Palmer

10.00am Mary Keane

11.30am Anne Dollard/Colman Boylan/Rita Lovett
Gascoigne Home Catherine Carew

Recent Collections

24th September

1st Collection € 694

2nd Collection € 600

Shrines, books, family offering € 216

Thank you for your support

The 1st collection is remitted in full to the Dublin Diocese and is used for the support of the priests who are in active ministry in the Diocese and also for those who are ill or retired.

The Share collection is also remitted in full to the Dublin Diocese and is used to support parishes who are in need of financial assistance.

Christmas and Easter Dues are also remitted in full to the Dublin Diocese.

On Saturday 9th September, Fintan O'Carroll's Organ Psalm Book and the Veritas Organ Hymn Book, together with perhaps 100 photocopies of hymns and motets went missing from the altar rail behind the organ.

It would be greatly appreciated if whoever found them could return them to the altar rail or leave them in the sacristy as they are needed on a weekly basis by the choir.

Thank you.

Tá Scoil Bhríde ag ceiliúradh céad bliain ó bunaíodh an scoil i 2017. Is í Lúise Ghabhánach Ni Dhufaigh co-bhunaitheoir na scoile agus tá dráma nua scríobhte ag Celia de Fréine iar thuismitheoir na scoile mar gheall ar a saol. Lúise an t-ainm atá air agus léireofar é i halla Scoil Bhríde ón Déardaoin 5ú Deireadh Fomhair go dtí Satharn 7ú Deireadh Fomhair ag 8 pm. Léiríodh é don chéad uair an bhliain seo caite agus fuair sé ard-mholadh. Beidh páirt Lúise á aithris ag Hilary Bowen-Walsh agus á cur i láthair ag Umbrella Theatre Company i gcomhar le Scoil Bhríde agus Féile Ealaíona Raghnaíoch. Ticéid ar €10 ar fáil ar www.luise.eventbrite.com nó sa scoil.

Scoil Bhríde is celebrating its hundredth anniversary this year. Louise Gavan Duffy co-founded the school in 1917 and Celia de Fréine an ex parent has written a play based on her life. The play, called Lúise will be performed in the school from Thursday October 5th to Saturday October 7th. Hilary Bowen-Walsh will play the part of Louise and it is produced by The Umbrella Theatre Company in conjunction with Ranelagh Arts Festival. It premiered in the school last September to huge acclaim. Tickets €10 available on line at www.luise.eventbrite.com or from the school. All are very welcome!



Family Offerings

Family offering envelopes for the year beginning 1st October 2017 have been distributed this week. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you who contribute by the weekly envelope. Your continued financial support of the parish is most welcome and we are very grateful. If you usually contribute by weekly envelope and did not receive a box this week please take one from the back of the church.

If you do not currently contribute to the parish by weekly envelope and would like to do so, please feel free to take one of the boxes of envelopes from the back of the church.

We would also like to thank those parishioners who contribute by monthly standing order. Again your support is very much appreciated.

Standing order forms are also available at the back of the church if you would like to consider donating to the parish in this way.

All the proceeds from the weekly 1st collection, the weekly Share collection and all Easter and Christmas Dues are remitted in full to the Dublin Archdiocese.

The parish relies on income from weekly envelopes, monthly standing orders, donations and bequests to fund the day to day running costs. We are also able to claim a tax rebate on donations made to the parish where donors have signed a form permitting us to apply to Revenue for the rebate. This month we have received almost €18,000 from Revenue relating to donations made in 2015. We will be applying to Revenue next month for a rebate relating to donations made in 2016.

We thank all of those who have signed forms permitting us to claim this rebate.