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Mass Times

Monday to Saturday 10.00am

Vigil Mass Saturday 6.15pm with Nomine Sanctus Choir

Sunday 10.00am (Irish/bilingual) with Choir

Sunday 11.30am (Family Mass) with Beechwood Avenue Childrens/Youth Choir

Holy Days

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

Confessions : before and after Saturday Masses

Baptisms

Parish baptisms are held on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month at 12.30pm. If you would like to arrange baptism for your child please contact the parish office.

Wedding bookings are by appointment with one of the priests of the parish.

The parish Child Safeguarding and Protection representatives may be contacted through the parish office or at

childprotection@beechwoodparish.com

Ministers of the Eucharist 9th December

Vigil Mass France Murphy

10.00am Joe Foyle

11.30am Catherine Carew

Gascoigne Home Mary Keane



Ranelagh Singers Annual Carol Service

Monday 10th December at 8.00pm

The Ranelagh Singers under the direction of Rosemary O'Brien present '*Lullay my Liking*' - a concert of uplifting choral music from medieval times to the present day.

Special guests

- ♦ The Gonzaga College Orchestra
- ♦ The choir of Sandford Parish National School
- ♦ Sandford and St Phillips Choral Scholars conducted by David O'Shea

Master of Ceremonies Doireann Ni Bhriain
A collection will be taken up in aid of Alice Leahy Trust.

The Annual Collection for the Society of St Vincent de Paul will take place at all Masses this weekend 8th and 9th December and will replace the Share collection. We ask for your generosity for this very important collection.

Why not send a loved one or friend a Christmas card with a unique picture of our beautiful church. The cards are available in the Parish Office and sacristy each weekday and also on Sunday mornings in the church. The cost is €7.50 for 5 cards. The proceeds will go towards paying off the parish deficit.



Sympathy cards from Beechwood Avenue are also available in the office and sacristy.

We thank you for your support.



We would like to thank everyone who was involved in our Advent Service of Readings and Carols last Sunday. The Nomine Sanctus choir provided wonderful music and singing. We thank the Liturgy Group, our readers, our flower team and all those who helped with refreshments. It was a special and uplifting beginning to our Advent season!



Our Advent Service of Reconciliation will take place on Saturday 22nd December at 10.30am. All are very welcome.

Our Christmas mailing will be delivered in the parish during the next week. We would very much appreciate assistance in delivering them. If you would like to help please call into the office.

Christmas Dues will be very gratefully received. All Christmas Dues are returned to the Dublin Diocese and are not retained for the use of the parish.

Rathmines, Rathgar, Milltown Bethany Bereavement Support Service

There will be a group meeting of the Bethany Bereavement Service at the Parish Centre, 52 Grosvenor Road, Rathgar on Wednesday, 12 December, at 8.00 p.m. We regret that we shall not be able to offer a service at Milltown in December but we hope to resume meetings in Milltown on the third Wednesday of January. If you are bereaved or experiencing loss of any kind and would appreciate talking to trained listeners in a supportive, confidential setting, you would be very welcome. This is a free service. For further information please phone: 085 2238032

The Legion of Mary invite you to a PATRICIAN MEETING on Monday 10 December 2018 at 7.30 pm in Beechwood Parish Office. Topic for discussion :The Real Meaning Of Christmas. Tea served. Do come and bring a friend.

Mass Intentions for coming week

Sunday 9th

10.00am Nollaig Mac Giolla Padraig (RD)

11.30am Jim Davis (Month's Mind)

Monday 10th

10.00am Special Intention

Tuesday 11th

10.00am Paulette Sweeney

Thursday 13th

10.00am Sr. Mary Loreto O'Leary (2nd A)

Saturday 15th

10.00am Lewis Leary (7th A)

Sunday 16th

10.00am William Orr (A)

Jo O'Neill (A)

11.30am Thomas O'Rourke Clancy (A)

Signed Mass cards are available in the sacristy and in the Parish Office. An offering is received with gratitude and is another way of supporting your local clergy.

Collections 2nd December

1st collection (for Common Fund) € 800—remitted to the diocese

2nd collection (for Share) € 684 - remitted to the diocese

Shrines/books/family offerings € 371

We thank you for your continued generous support of your parish and the diocese. The parish is supported financially by weekly family envelopes, monthly standing orders, bequests and income from shrines and books. If you would like to become a regular contributor please contact the office.

Please let us know if you would like to receive the newsletter by email!