Cabinteely website Cabinteely e mail

: info@cabinteelyparish.ie - Phone: 01 285 8835

: www.cabinteelyparish.ie - includes Mass Live Link

Foxrock website : www.foxrockparish.ie Johnstown website

: www.johnstownkillineyparish.com

HENRY'S FARM

People who saw Henry Jenkins's farm would murmur to themselves. It was set in one of the most beautiful valleys in the area, with rolling fields that lolled into the distance and disappeared over the gentle inclines of the hills and mountains.

Although the farm was quite productive since Henry had a good herd of prize cattle and a flock of hardy sheep, there were one or two things that stood out as being rather bizarre.

The farmhouse was only just habitable. The rumour was that Henry had had a row with his family and when his father died Henry had been passed over and all the property had been bequeathed to Edward Jenkins, his younger brother with whom he didn't get on. Henry was allowed to stay in it until he died. But knowing that Edward would inherit the house and land, he had deliberately spent nothing on it and let it go to wrack and ruin. The roof leaked, the window frames were rotten and the wall was on the verge of toppling down.

The arable fields that once were vast swathes of corn and barley had been left to grow into brambles and briars. There was plenty of opportunity for the land to be productive, but this was yet another way for Henry to get back at Edward.

Henry didn't mind living in the place. He earned more than enough to live on from the animals and he couldn't be bothered to put himself out. A few buyers came and tried to offer him a large amount for the property, given its potential. But Henry wasn't interested and of course never mentioned it to Edward.

The sting in the tail came one November's evening. News arrived that his younger brother had died. And when the will was read, Edward had left the farmhouse and all the property to Henry.

Faith Development Groups

Centering Prayer: Wednesday 7pm-8pm - this group will meet in the Icon Chapel.

'Gospel Reflections': Thursday 10.30am. this group meet in the 'Icon Chapel' every Thursday morning.

Gospel Contemplation: Fridays 11.00 am

There are **Confessions** every Saturday after 6.30pm Mass here in St. Brigid's, Cabinteely

Weekend Intentions

Along with their families and friends the following people are remembered especially this weekend. This time of the year holds a special significance for all



those who knew and who loved them.

6.30pm -Peter O'Dwyer - 3rd Anniversary Daragh Murphy - Anniversary

10.00am - Thanksgiving Mass for all Parish Volunteers.

12.30pm – Sheila Meehan – 6th Anniversary Sarah Clarke – 3rd Anniversary

11.15am (The Park) - Christy Greaves -Recently Deceased

Recently Deceased: Rosita Manahan

Months Mind: Thomas Bruen, William

Lambie

Anniversaries: June Daly, Joe Dalton

Workshop for Baptism Team

A workshop for members of our Baptism Team will take place in St Brigid's Pastoral Centre on Mon, 16th Oct at 7.30 pm. If you would like to join our Baptism Team please leave your name and contact details in the Sacristy or Parish Office.

New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week.

Mary's life shows us how to live in relationship with God, how to be open to God's will and how to respond to God. In her great prayer, the Magnificat, she sums up the hopes of generations of prophets and patriarchs, she speaks prophetically about the Kingdom of God. Listen on www.NewPilgrimPath.ie

Mass times in St. Brigid's Church Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri - 10 am Saturday (Vigil Mass) - 6.30 pm Sunday - 10 am and 12.30 pm and 11.15 am Park Mass Centre (term-time)

Miles for Mission - Sat 14th Oct - Phoenix Park, 2k, 5k & 10k events. Register on: www.popupraces.ie

Annual Mission Sunday - Collection 22nd Oct. See www.wmi.ie/

Parish Noticeboard.



Social Welfare Information

Our Social Welfare Information Service takes place in St Brigid's Parish Centre every Tuesday -10.30 am-12.30 pm. Just drop in – no appointment needed.

Novice Bridge Club

Our **Novice Bridge Club** takes place every Thursday from 7.30 pm - 10.00pm (for those playing bridge up to 5 years - assistance given if required). Partners not required. If you play, come along and join us.

St Brigid's Cross

The next mini cross is being engraved at present and should be in place in the patio outside the Church before the end of the month.

We are taking bookings for the next cross. Four bricks make up a cross – cost €125 per brick.

A great way to remember a special day/date, wedding, birth, baptism, family or a loved one. Contact the parish office for more information.

Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Bereavement Information Evening on Monday 9th October at 7:30pm in the Maldron Hotel, Whitestown Way, Tallaght, Dublin 24. This is a free event and open to all bereaved parents. As Anam Cara will need to confirm numbers for teas, coffees, etc, please RSVP

to <u>info@anamcara.ie</u> before Friday 6th October or call the Information Line on 085 2888 888.



Church of Guardian Angles, NewtownParkAvenue, Blackrock

A Festival of Flowers & Art, Friday 13^{th,} Sat 14th & Sun 15th October.

Official Opening Fri 7 - 9, Sat 11am - 6pm Admission €10 with Festival Brochure. Kids go free! Contact Parish Office: 2832988 or Lorraine O'Brien: 087-2726578

Application forms from

St Brigid's Girls' School

for Junior Infants beginning September 2018 will be sent out



to all on the list in the middle of October. If you have a daughter due to start school next September contact the school to ensure her name is on the list. If any of your neighbours/friends have a child due to start school next Sept please remind them to check with the school that their child's name is on the list.

ST. BRIGID'S PARISH VOLUNTEERS!

You've given of your time, talents and energy in serving this community...

We want to say "thank you!"

Please join us for a celebration in your honor



today, Sunday October 8th at 10am St. Brigid's Parish Church, Cabinteely for a celebration

'Mass of Thanksgiving'

Refreshments will be served immediately after in the Parish Pastoral Centre.

ALL WELCOME

Set Dancing Classes

Set Dancing Classes will continue here in St Brigid's Parish Centre on Friday evenings at 7.30pm. 2 hours of set dancing + half -hour of steps and, if you play an instrument, join in our <u>learner's session</u> at break time.

€10 for two and a half hours, including set dancing, steps & session.

No experience needed, partner not required, no need to book, just turn up, it's really great fun – go on, give it a try.

Details online at http://www.ceili.ie/fri/

Naomh Bhride Music Group -led by Pat O'Connor - CEOL for GOAL Concert

takes place Sat, 21 Oct at 7.30 pm in the Parish Centre.

Local musicians and guest singers will perform. A donation bucket will be in place.

Tea and biscuits will be served. All welcome.

Contact Pat on 087 289 6038 for more information.



Oil Painting Classes

Oil painting classes take place in the Parish Centre on Tuesday evenings from 7.30 pm to 9.30 pm. There are a few vacancies – contact Derek on 086 3120000.



Faith For Life Programme- an Adult Faith Course designed to help discover more energising and empowering ways to live out your faith. Four weekends – Holy Cross College, Clonliffe Road. 21 & 22 Oct, 2&3 Dec, 20 & 21 Jan, 3& 4 Mar. Contact riavelle@abhouse.org or 8373732, ext. 247.



Golf Lessons for Beginners – due to lack of numbers, this course has been cancelled.