



St Brigid's Parish Cabinteely



Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

30th June 2019

I'll do it tomorrow!

Those of us who are procrastinators will identify with today's Gospel. We have the best of intentions, but somehow our 'to do' list for today keeps getting pushed out until tomorrow, and the next day, and the next week. There is always an excuse, or something more urgent that needs to be done. The things that we do not prioritise get relegated to the bottom of the list, and sometimes drop off altogether, so that they never get done.

In Luke's Gospel, when Jesus invites people to follow him, he gets some similar responses – 'I'll be right with you, I'll add it to my 'to do' list. 'I will follow you, sir, but first let me...' The excuses these people give are far from feeble: one wants to go and bury his or her father first, another simply wants to say goodbye to their family. But Jesus has what sound like very harsh words for these predicaments. There is no time, there can be no excuses, this is more important.

Discipleship is a path that requires sacrifice. It is a path that means living in a new and different way. Rather than focusing on the past, we need to move forward and get on with the task. Jesus tells us: 'Once the hand is laid on the plough, no one who looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.' There is work to be done, and it cannot wait. People who are hungry, homeless, marginalised or suffering cannot wait. The earth cannot wait. Our 'to do' lists need to be shaken up. If we are to live as disciples, the time is not tomorrow, it is now.



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MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 29th June 2019

6.30 pm Vigil

Sean Byrne - 4th Anniversary

Sun 30th June 2019

10.00 am

Michael & Elizabeth Lyons - Anniversary
Thanksgiving Mass

12.30pm

Geraldine Quinn - Recently Deceased
Raymond Widdis - 19th Anniversary

Months Mind

Recently Deceased

Anniversaries:

Clare Gormley (1st Anniversary),
Michael (Mick) O'Hara - 6th Anniversary

Mon 10am

Tues 10am

Thurs 10am

Friday 10am

First Friday

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Dear Friends,

Each year throughout the entire Church, on the Sunday nearest the Feast of Saints Peter and Paul, a collection is held for the charitable work of the Pope. It is interestingly one of the oldest collections in the Church. It was first mentioned in history as far back as 1031 and in Ireland it dates back to Norman times.

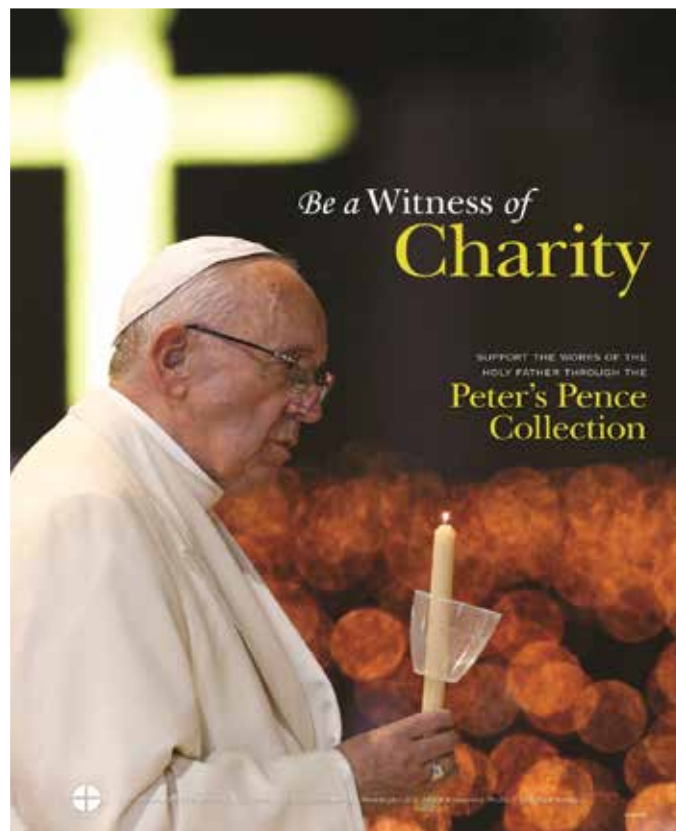
Pope Francis has shown us by his word and by his example the special concern he has for the poor and those on the periphery of society. He has said that he wants a Church which is poor and there for the poor. He has a special concern for the victims of human trafficking and modern forms of slavery. He has appealed on many occasions for support for the many Christians who suffer persecution because of their faith. Pope Francis' own personal life style is marked by great simplicity.

The Peter's Pence collection is a gesture of solidarity with the Pope in his care for the poor and I ask you to contribute generously also as a sign of your personal appreciation of the work of Pope Francis.

With sincere thanks for your generosity and with prayerful regards in the Lord, I ask you also to pray for Pope Francis and his ministry and for me.

Yours very sincerely

Diarmuid Martin Archbishop of Dublin



Luisne Going Green- Environmental Talks this June, July & August

July 6th: Dee Hennessy is hosting an afternoon on Mindfulness and the Environment at Luisne on Saturday 6th July, from 2 - 5pm. - a reflective afternoon on an issue of vital concern to all of us. Cost by donation (€20 or whatever you can afford). Booking essential at 086-051 7575.

Why not try an MPhil in Christian Theology? Here at the Loyola Institute, Trinity College Dublin, we offer an excellent suite of modules, and opportunities to dialogue with fascinating classmates, with a variety of experiences of Church. Teaching is in the evening. For further details check our website or email Helen at loyola@tcd.ie. Generous scholarships available.

All Parish Volunteers must be Garda Vetted. Please contact the parish office for more information on how to submit an application.

Items for inclusion in this newsletter should be emailed to newsletter@cabinteelyparish.ie by Monday of the week of publication.

New stock & cards can be purchased in the parish centre at very reasonable prices. Call in and take a look.

The Parish Centre

There are rooms available for rent ranging in size from 15 to 100 people.

Do you have an idea for a course, a class, a one off event for 2019? Are you looking for a venue??? Give Marian/Ann a call on 01 2858835 to arrange to view our facilities.

The **Coffee Dock** is open weekdays from 10am and is open Sunday Morning after 10am Mass. A warm welcome guaranteed. **Fancy brushing off your Cúpla Focal ?** Conversational Irish at one of the tables in the Parish Pastoral Centre [after the 10am Sunday mass] is starting back on Feb 3rd.

All levels of fluency welcome

New Parish Office Opening Times

From Wednesday 2nd January 2019, the secretarial office will be opened on Mondays and Thursday from 9 AM to 4 PM. Front Office/Bookshop will be opened Monday to Friday 9 AM to 4 PM

Cabinteely Active Retirement Association welcomes members who are retired age 55 or up. We are affiliated to A.R.I. (Active Retirement Ireland) Our activities are :- Boules, Cards, Mahjong, Pitch and Putt, Scrabble, Walks and Talks, Socials, visits to places of interest, Holidays (home and Away). There is an annual subscription and a small charge for some events.

Bethany Bereavement Support

There will be no "drop in"
for **July & August.**
We will re-start on
27th September.

All Welcome

Deansgrange Cemetery Sunday

Annual Mass and blessing of
graves will take place on Sunday
7th July at 3pm.



**The Irish Cancer Society's
Volunteer Driver Service** is
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application form please email Gail
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**We welcome into our Parish
Community
through Baptism.**

Laoise Jennings

Odhran Madigan

Isabelle Davis

James Dunne

Marcus O'Donnell

Zara Kennedy

Rosie Wallace



New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week.

The global *Network for Grateful Living* was founded by Brother David Steindl-Rast, a Benedictine monk. The website offers programmes and practices to foster the ability to see the wonder and opportunity in every moment and aims to motivate its visitors to act with love, generosity, and respect towards oneself, one another and the Earth. Access this, and other rich online spiritual resources, via www.NewPilgrimPath.ie

International Mass:

If you have come to live in Dublin recently, you may like to meet others from different countries for prayer, worship and just social contact. If so, join us for the International Mass each Saturday evening at 7.00pm in the Church of Mary Immaculate Refuge of Sinners, Rathmines. All welcome.

"Knockadoon Music and Liturgy Course is now open for booking!
A place for choirs and young people to experience a week of music, friendship and community from the 11th to the 17th of August! More info available on our Facebook, Instagram & Twitter @KnockadoonML or our website www.knockadoonml.com"

Our Deacon Jeremy Seligman has had to take a leave of absence from the **Parish until the end of summer** due to work commitments which involve him being abroad.



FATIMA PILGRIMAGE 09- 16 SEPT.

7 Nights Full Board - €799 pp sharing in Domus Pacis Hotel, Fatima. Single supplement available. Further information can be seen on the Church Noticeboard - Fattima Poster. You can also contact Mary - 087.6542925 or Eileen - 01.4574832.

Bonnybrook Parish

**Parish Retreat Mon 1st to Thurs 4th July 2019
ST. JOSEPH THE ARTISAN CHURCH**

Saint for all Seasons: Journeying with St. Joseph Devoting ourselves to relationships of Faith in family, home and community

Monday, 1st July 2019 Morning Mass at 9.30am. Evening Liturgy at 7pm Standing on the Shoulders of those who built our parish and those who continue to do so. **Tuesday, 2nd July 2019** Morning Mass at 9.30am Evening Liturgy at 7pm Our lives are so filled with traffic, television, loud music--too much noise. God is in the bits and pieces of everyday life. How do we find God? **Wednesday, 3rd July 2019** Morning Mass at 9.30am. Evening Liturgy at 7pm. Honouring the dignity of work, workers and employment. Guest Speaker: Mr. John Bosco O'Hagan, maker of the Papal Altar & Ambo which we are privileged to have in our Church. **Thursday, 4th July** Morning Mass at 9.30am. Evening Liturgy at 7pm Celebrating God's dream for us The person of St. Joseph, his life, and his dream... Sr. Joann Heinritz CSJ A Sister of St. Joseph of Carondelet, in the Los Angeles Province. She is involved in the sabbatical program at the Jesuit School of Theology in Berkeley as spiritual director, retreat director and instructor and has given retreats and workshops both nationally and internationally, empowering individuals and groups to explore ways to become whole and holy. Joann has been involved in a variety of pastoral ministries, including education, religious education, pastoral outreach, liturgy, spirituality and healing ministry. Last year, Joann led a very successful Cluster Retreat for Bonnybrook, Priorswood and Darndale. We are delighted to welcome her again as she leads the Golden Jubilee Retreat for our Parish. **Tuesday, 2nd July 2019** Walk the Labyrinth in the Stardust Park at 4pm (Weather permitting) Discover a path that leads to God.

Contact: Moderator Parish Sisters Fr. Joe Jones Sr. Irene Dunne Sr. Margo Delaney Tel: 01 848 5262 Email: office@bonnybrookparish.ie Web: www.bonnybrookparish.ie

'All are welcome Mass'

gives a particular welcome to LGBT (lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender) people, their parents, family members, & friends. This celebration of Sunday Mass takes place at 3.30 PM on the Third Sunday of each month in the chapel at Avila Carmelite Centre, Bloomfield Avenue (off Morehampton Road) Dublin 4, and is followed by chat over tea and coffee.

The Thursday Bible Reflection group finished for the summer last Thursday 27th June. They will re - start on the **12th September, NOT the 2nd September** as advertised in last week's newsletter.



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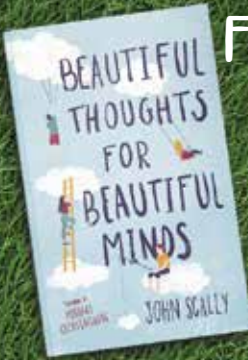
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