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Mass Intentions

Sunday 26/1/20

11.00am Mary Lane (R/D)
06.30pm Brigid & Tomás Madden (A)
 James & Kathleen O'Dwyer (A)

Monday 27/1/20

10.00am Joseph Kelly (R/D)
 Bessie, Billy & Anne Morrissey (A)

Tuesday 28/1/20

10.00am Special Intention

Wednesday 29/1/20

10.00am Tom Daly (R/D)
 Michael McGrath (Thanksgiving)

Condolences to the family of Allyson Lawless whose funeral took place in Our Lady of Dolours during last week.



The monthly outdoor collection for the St. Vincent de Paul Society will take place after both Masses this Sunday.

Pope Francis has established this Sunday 26th January as Sunday of the Word of God. Our weekly Aifreann Gaeilge at 9.30am will be recorded by Radio na Gaeltachta this Sunday and broadcast at 11.00am. Fr. John Joe Spring will be the celebrant

The You Shall Be My Witnesses parish programme of preparation for Confirmation begins on Monday 27th January, involving children and their parents from the various schools in our parish who hope to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation in the coming months. Four weekly sessions will take place on Monday evenings from 7.30-8.30pm at St. Brigid's GNS.

This Sunday also marks the beginning of Catholic Schools Week (26th Jan- 2nd February). To mark the occasion, pupils from St. Mary's Holy Faith Secondary School will introduce and prepare the liturgy and music for the 6.30pm Mass. They will also participate in the weekday Mass on Monday 27th January at 10.00am.

The monthly Do This in Memory Mass in preparation for First Reconciliation and First Communion will take place at 11.00am this Sunday. Refreshments will be served in the parish centre immediately after the Mass. A cake sale organised by students from Dominican College will take place at the same time in the parish centre to fundraise for a volunteering trip to Jamaica next year with Mustard Seeds (an Irish Catholic Charity), to assist in an orphanage.

Reflection: Regular reading of sacred Scripture and the celebration of the Eucharist make it possible for us to see ourselves as part of one another. As Christians, we are a single people, making our pilgrim way through history, sustained by the Lord, present in our midst, who speaks to us and nourishes us. A day devoted to the Bible should not be seen as a yearly event but rather a year-long event, for we urgently need to grow in our knowledge and love of the Scriptures and of the risen Lord, who continues to speak his word and to break bread in the community of believers. Christ Jesus is knocking at our door in the words of sacred Scripture. If we hear his voice and open the doors of our minds and hearts, then he will enter our lives and remain ever with us. from APOSTOLIC LETTER BY THE SUPREME PONTIFF FRANCIS, "APERUIT ILLIS" INSTITUTING THE SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD

GROUPING NEWS

The Glasnevin Grouping of Parishes comprises		
Our Lady of Dolours	Glasnevin	018379445
Corpus Christi	Drumcondra	018360085
Our Lady of Victories	Ballymun Road	018420346
Our Mother of Divine Grace	Ballygall	018369291
St. Columba	Iona Road	018308257

The Laudate Festival, an evening of music and reflections presented by primary school children, will take place on Tuesday 28th January at 7.00pm in Our Lady of Victories church.

A Living Word Workshop is being presented by Patricia Carroll in Clonliffe Diocesan Centre on Wednesday 29th January from 7.30-9.30pm. Ideal for all Ministers of the Word and anyone interested in leading others in reading and reflecting together on the Word of God, with particular focus on the readings for the Sundays of Lent. Anyone interested in taking part should register ASAP with Mary Dent at mary.dent@dublindiocese.ie

Beginning in February the clergy of the five parishes in the Glasnevin Grouping will rotate on the first Sat/Sun evening of each month. Next Sunday, 2nd February Fr. Paul or Fr. Richard will celebrate the 6.00pm Mass in Our Lady of Victories, Ballymun Road, while Fr. Joseph or Fr. Harry will celebrate the 6.30pm Mass in Our Lady of Dolours.

The new weekend Mass times for the five parishes in the Glasnevin Grouping came into effect from 1st January 2020. They are clearly marked on the posters around the church and on the parish website.

There has been a very good response to the launch of our initiative of encouraging parishioners to place their contributions to both the first and second collections at Mass in an envelope. This enables the parish to record and acknowledge contributions and, at no extra cost to individual parishioners, increases the tax rebate the parish can claim each year from revenue. As the new envelopes for the coming year will be distributed prior to Sunday 1st March, the parish Finance Committee will be available after both Masses next Sunday 2nd February to assist parishioners who would like to participate.

OTHER EVENTS /NEWS

Parish Hall Activities

Monday	Line Dancing (Hall)	10.30-12.30pm
	Ballroom Dancing (GVAR) (Hall)	2.00-4.00 pm
Tuesday	Zumba Exercise	7.00-8.00pm
	Pilates (Hall)	9.15-10.15am
	Bowls GVAR (Hall)	10.30am-12.30pm
	Parish Group Meeting (Front Room)	10.30am-12.30pm
Wednesday	Coughlan Irish Dancing (Hall)	4.00-6.00pm
	Table Tennis GVAR (Hall)	10.30-12.30pm
	Senior Citizens Tea/Bingo (Front Room)	10.30-12.30pm
Thursday	Ballet Classes (Hall)	3.00-7.00pm
	Cumann Na BHFian (Hall) (Irish Youth Club)	7.30-9.30pm
	Fall Prevention Class (Hall) (Dee Quinn)	1.00-2.00pm
	Table Tennis GVAR (Hall)	10.30-12.30pm
Friday	Bridge Classes (Front Room)	2.00-4.00pm
	Yoga for Children (Hall)	3.30-5.30pm
	Pilates (Hall)	6.30-7.30pm
Saturday	Bonus GVAR (Hall)	10.30-12.30pm
	Foroige Youth Club (Hall)	7.30-9.30pm
	AA Group (Front Room)	8.00-10.00pm
Sunday	Zumba Exercise (Hall)	11.00am-12pm
	Tolka Dots Choir	2.30-5.00pm

If you wish to join any of the above classes, turn up on the day or night or contact Noel Burns (0879893160) re availability of hall.

The Dublin Diocesan World Day of the Sick Conference will take place on Saturday 8th February at Newtownpark Pastoral Centre, Newtownpark Avenue, Blackrock, Co. Dublin. The theme of this year's conference is: "Hope in the Face of Suicide". The conference begins at 10.00am (registration from 9.30am) and concludes with lunch at 1.00pm). The annual Mass for the World Day of the Sick will take place on Sunday 9th February at 3.00pm in the Church of the Guardian Angels, Newtownpark Avenue, Blackrock. All are welcome

INDOOR BOWLS CLUB~ ST CANICES
 Bowls Club continue to play Wednesday & Friday 7.30 - 9.30pm in Church St, Finglas . New season starting & new members always welcome. Phone number - 0861608940

MASS TIMES
Sunday: 9.30am (Irish), 11am & 6.30pm
Weekdays: 10am
Holy Days: 6.30pm (Eve), 10am

Confessions: Saturday 10.30am
Morning Prayer: Weekdays 9.45am

1st Collection €820 2nd Collection €600 Family Offering €365

Thank you for your generous support!