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Mass Intentions:



Sunday 07/03

11.00am Bridget McManamon (R/D)
 Geraldine Geraghty (A)
 Sharon Lawlor (A)
 Philip Hickey (A)
 Sheila Fogarty (A)
 Jim Maloney (A)

Monday 08/03

10.00am Tony O'Neill (R/D)

Tuesday 09/03

10.00am Gary Lynch (M/M)

Friday 12/03

10.00am Special Intention



Mass times & Church Opening times

Sunday and weekday Masses are accessible on webcam (accessed through the front page of the parish website: www.glasnevinparish.ie) and are recorded for later viewing. The church remains open each day from 11.00am-5.00pm for private prayer.

Please note: The Sacristy and Parish Office are currently closed for access. If you need to contact either please phone 01-7979153 or 01-8379445 or email any requests for mass intentions, mass cards, baptismal/confirmation certificates etc. to ourladyofdoloursparish@gmail.com.

N.B. all weekly mass intentions must be booked no later than Wednesday of the previous week in order to be included in the mass intentions list and in our newsletter.



The Glasnevin Grouping of Parishes presents:
'Living in Unsettling Times: Reflections for the Time and Season'.

A series of online reflections by Fr. Paddy Sweeney. The weekly reflections can be accessed on webcam from each of the five parishes in turn.

Thursday 11th March: Our Lady of Dolours, Glasnevin: www.glasnevinparish.ie

Living with Loss

Thursday 18th March: St. Columba's, Iona Road: www.ionaroadparish.ie

Will we get back to normal?

Thursday 25th March: Corpus Christi, Drumcondra: www.corpuschristidrumcondra.ie

I haven't much to offer!



Our weekly **Zoom meeting** to read and reflect together on the readings for the following Sunday is now on Fridays at 7.30pm to facilitate parishioners participating in Fr. Paddy Sweeney's reflections on Thursday evenings. Our shared reading of the Sunday readings may be of particular interest to Ministers of the Word or members of parish liturgy groups. Provide the parish with your email address, and a link to the meeting will be sent to you each week

Boxes of envelopes have gone out to households who support the **Family Offering** (the only collection which directly funds the work of the parish) and to those who contribute by weekly envelope to the first and second collections at Mass. There is a new combined envelope which invites parishioners to indicate which of the collections they would like to support through the contribution in the envelope. If you have not received a box and would like to support the parish in this way, please contact Aine in the parish office, and she will get a box of envelopes delivered to you.

OFFERINGS

We thank parishioners for your generous contributions to the **First and Second Collections** and to the **Family Offering**. A 'Tap and Go' machine at the back of the church is available for a contactless donation, and a **'Donate'** button on the parish website www.glasnevinparish.ie can also be used for regular contributions.

Faithfest for teenagers is back!! Join us for an evening of games, music, workshop, chats and prayer. Faithfest will take place **Friday 5 March from 6:30 – 8:30pm online**. You can register online using this link: <https://forms.gle/DwKDsXCuTornHFYA8>. For more information email: faithfest@dublindiocese.ie

Trocaire Lenten Campaign 2021

This year Trocaire's Lenten Campaign will focus on exploring the Impact of Conflict on Families in South Sudan. This Lent, we learn more about the suffering of people who have lost their homes and loved ones to war, and how they are rebuilding their lives through love, friendship and solidarity. Parish resources are now available at **Parishes - Resources | Trócaire (trocaire.org)**. The Trocaire Lenten boxes are available at the back of the church

Gardiner Street Parish - Novena of Grace 2021:

Let Us Dream The Novena of Grace is going ahead as usual from **4th March 2021**. This year we will have one evening Mass online at 7.30pm. During Lockdown Pope Francis has invited us to dream ...*what have we learned from this pandemic and what kind of people can we be after it?* Our preachers; Fr. John Callanan SJ, Dr. Jessie Rogers and Fr. Ashley Evans SJ, will help us understand our lockdown experience and prepare us for the future. **To join the Novena:** Connect to online Masses at 7.30pm nightly via our website: www.gardinerstreetparish.ie A booklet with the readings for each day, the Novena prayer and hymn, available in the Parish Office. To order a copy, Tel. **01-836 3411** or email: SFXgardinerstreetparish@outlook.com

ALONE manage a national **COVID-19 Support Line for Older People** and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the Coronavirus. Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line 0818 222 024 is open 7 days a week 8am - 8pm

Reflection: Christians rightly admire and believe in Jesus because he incarnates God's extraordinary compassion and understanding of human weakness. This is why we are taken aback by a very different side to Jesus which we witness in this Sunday's Gospel. Not only does he display anger but his actions are aggressive, bordering on violent, driving people out of the temple and knocking over the tables of money changers. But should we be so surprised? Anger after all comes from caring passionately about something, particularly injustice or inequality in our world or the plight innocent people find themselves in. Just this week we have witnessed protesting civilians being gunned down on the streets in Myanmar and a report on the impact of war and famine on the people of Yemen, and this Lent Trocaire is drawing our attention to the situation of people in poverty in South Sudan. If these situations don't move us as people of faith to respond in some way, there is something wrong. In the face of so much suffering in our world, perhaps the only sin is that of indifference.

An afternoon of reflection for married and engaged couples will be held on **Saturday March 6th** from 2pm- 5pm. Organised by Teams Ireland, the afternoon will be led by Colette Furlong, a chaplain at Sligo University Hospital and catechist at Sligo Cluster of Parishes and will offer presentations, periods of reflection, and time for small group sharing. The day will conclude with the celebration of the Eucharist by Fr Richard Sheehy via webcam from the church of St. Columba Iona Road at 6.00pm (www.ionaroadparish.ie). A voluntary contribution of €5 per person is requested. To book, contact Rosemarie and Brendan Gavin at: breros7@gmail.com

Aware - Support & Self Care Groups
 If you, or those with whom you work wish to connect with people in relation to your mental wellbeing, please consider using the Phone In and Zoom Support & Self Care Groups, the Support Line or Support Mail. These services provide support, coping skills and information and help people who are in distress to know and feel that they are not alone in their experience. For more info about the groups <https://www.aware.ie/support/support-groups/> and all of our services on www.aware.ie

Family Offering Donation €1020, 1st Collection €85, Share Collection €60 - thank you for your generous support