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**Mass Intentions:**

**Sunday 08/08**

**9.30am** Danny O’Kane (A)  
 Fred Logue (A)  
 Special Intention  
**11.00am** Paddy O’Malley (A)  
 Anna Barrett (R/D)

**Monday 09/08**

**10.00am** Special Intentions

**Tuesday 10/08**

**10.00am** Sam Kavanagh (R/D)

**Wednesday 11/08**

**10.00am** Conor Flynn Burns (3A)  
 Special Intention

**Friday 13/08**

**10.00am** Angela Gorham (4A)  
 Special Intention

**Saturday 14/08**

**10.00am** Sylvia Mohan (2A)

**CHURCH OPENING AND MASS TIMES**



There are two Masses each Sunday: at 9.30am and at 11.00am. We thank parishioners for observing the following guidelines:

\*The church is divided into two pods, and stewards are on hand to count parishioners in and guide you as to where to sit, so we can maximise the number who can attend while ensuring all safety measures are observed.

\*We ask parishioners to wear a face mask while attending Mass and to sanitise your hands using one of the dispensers available as you enter the church.

\*Holy Communion is brought to you by the celebrant or an assisting minister.

\*Follow the guidance of stewards in exiting the church at the end of Mass.

Mass will continue to be streamed on the webcam for those who choose for the moment to continue to participate from at home: [www.glasnevinparish.ie](http://www.glasnevinparish.ie)

The church remains open each day from 11.00am-5.00pm for private prayer.

*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.*



We thank parishioners for your contributions to the **First and Second Collections** and also to the **Family Offering**. The new combined envelope allows parishioners to indicate how much you would like to contribute to any or each of these collection. If you would like to avail of the envelopes to support the parish in this way, please contact Aine in the parish office (01/8379445). Contributions can also be made through the **‘Donate’** button on the parish website: [www.glasnevinparish.ie](http://www.glasnevinparish.ie)



Letters of acknowledgement for your contributions in 2019 have recently gone out to parishioners. If you did not receive an acknowledgement or if you have any queries in relation to your contributions, please get in touch with Aine at the parish office. Acknowledgements for parishioners’ contributions in 2020 will issue in the coming weeks



The **Glasnevin Village Residents Association (GVRA) Clean-Up group** meet each Saturday to clean up around the village. They particularly welcome parish volunteers on the second Saturday of each month when they do weeding and tidying around the church. Gardening gloves and hi-vis jackets are provided



We have commenced cleaning and painting around the exterior of the church and surrounds. This will greatly enhance the appearance of the church. However, we apologise to parishioners for any slight inconvenience the work may cause in the coming weeks, particularly around the car park area.

**Pathways** is a two-year, one evening a week, Adult Faith Development course on Thursday evenings. Run by the Archdiocese of Dublin in DCU St. Patrick’s Campus (MDCCE), Drumcondra Road. Late September to May (7.00 p.m. – 9.30 p.m). Application now open for September 2021. Early application advised. Contact: **Pathways** Director, Eileen Houlahan at 18087594 [www.evangelisation.ie](http://www.evangelisation.ie) [pathways@dublindiocese.ie](mailto:pathways@dublindiocese.ie).

**COVID-19 SUPPORT LINE FOR OLDER PEOPLE**

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

Archbishop Farrell has appointed Patricia Carroll of the Office of Evangelisation and Ecumenism, as **Director of the Office for Mission and Ministry**. We congratulate Patricia on her appointment and pray God's blessing as she takes on this key leadership role in the Diocese.

*Reflection: ‘Many of us have become caught up in the excitement of the Olympic Games over the past three weeks, especially with the success of our athletes in rowing events and in the boxing ring. But as all elite athletes will concede, success comes at a cost: rigorous training schedules and dieting regimes, mental preparation and enormous amount of time away from family and friends. In this Sunday’s First Reading, the prophet Elijah is at a particularly low point in his life and faces a stark choice: he can either give in to despair or take the food he needs to give him strength for the journey ahead. Being a Christian today is not a walk in the park either. It calls for wisdom, courage, faithfulness, self-sacrifice, and a sense of justice. We need nourishment for the journey, and that nourishment is Christ himself, the ‘bread of life’. Today is always a good day to strengthen or renew our relationship with Christ. Take time to pray, read one of the gospels, make a decision to come back to Mass again, receive Communion. ‘I am the bread of life that comes down from heaven..... so that a person may eat it and not die.’*

Our August **Anam Cara** Parental & Sibling Bereavement Support Group West Cork online meeting for parents will take place on Tuesday 18th August 2020 at 7pm. This online meeting will be facilitated by Alva Bevan. If you have not already availed of this support and are now interested in joining us online, you can drop an email to [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie). We can then send on more information to you. If the online meetings are not an option for you at this time, Anam Cara can also offer '1 to 1' support over the telephone. You can contact us on 087 9637790 for more info.

**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](mailto:ourladyofdoloursparish@gmail.com).

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