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Mass Intentions:



Sunday 13/03

09.30am Catherine Meehan (R/D)
11.00am Bridget Carolan (A)
 David Murphy (R/D)
 Eileen Molloy (R/D)
 Special Intention

Tuesday 15/3

10.00am Greta Reid (50A)
 Paddy Cromwell (Birthday Remembrance)

Thursday 17/3 (Feast of St. Patrick)

09.30am Cora & Christy Campbell (A)
11.00am Meghan McGuinness (1A)
 Special Intention



The boxes of Offerings Envelopes for 2022/2023 are available for collection and delivery from the parish office. To assist with delivery, labels with addresses have been placed on each box, and the boxes are grouped according to the various streets in the parish. We ask parishioners to deliver the boxes that are assigned for their particular street or (if already taken) another street.

Anam Cara North Dublin, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 16th March at 7:15pm in the Carnegie Court Hotel, Swords, Co. Dublin. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. Please contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 for any queries.

CHURCH OPENING AND MASS TIMES

- * Sunday Mass times are 9.30am and 11.00am. Weekday Masses are Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday & Saturday at 10.00am. There is no mass on Thursdays
- * The government has lifted most Covid restrictions, but parishioners and visitors may choose to continue to hand sanitise on entering the church and to wear face masks during the Mass. Communion is received in the hand only.
- * 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.



Many thanks to our parish staff and volunteers, to our Jubilee and Parish Centre Committees, and to all who contributed to making last Sunday's Jubilee celebrations such a success! Archbishop Dermot Farrell led us in a beautiful Mass of thanksgiving and it was a wonderful celebration of parish life and faith. The Archbishop unveiled our Jubilee logo and presented Benemerenti papal awards to two long time parish volunteers, Una Campbell and Noel Burns. There was a wonderful atmosphere at the reception in the parish centre after the Mass. Thanks, too, to those who took photos of the event and sent them in to the parish. We hope to put some of them up on our website.



As part of the celebrations to mark the 50th Jubilee of our church, we are planning a Glasnevin Grouping Pilgrimage to Lourdes from 2nd-5th September. Given the present circumstances, all plans and the details are provisional. However, if you would like to take part, flyers with details and booking forms are available at the back of the church. Please submit your booking form to the parish office (ourladyofdoloursparish@gmail.com). A deposit of €100 should be paid directly to Marian Pilgrimages (Tel. 01/8788159) to secure the booking



Thursday next, 17th March is St. Patrick's Day. Mass times are as on Sunday: Mass as gaeilge will be celebrated at 9.30am and there will be Mass at 11.00am.

The Office for Mission and Ministry are offering daily reflections for the Lenten Journey. With parishes holding their Synod gatherings during Lent, we will be focusing on themes around journeying, walking with, listening to each other and to the Spirit. The reflections will be posted each morning on the Facebook page of the office for Mission and Ministry, www.facebook.com/officeformissionandministry



We had a good turnout at our first Synodal gathering on Thursday night with a lively engagement on the two questions put before us. The second of our Synodal gatherings will take place on Thursday 24th March from 7.00-8.30pm in the Margaret Aylward Centre at the Holy Faith convent on Glasnevin Hill. If you are unable to attend on this date, you are welcome to attend any of the similar gatherings in the other parishes in the Glasnevin Grouping. Dates, times and venues for these are on the posters in the church. We encourage you to bring at least one other person with you. Second gathering: Thurs 24th March 7pm to 8.30pm
 When you think of your experience of Church, what brings hope?
 When you think of your experience of Church, what brings fear or anxiety?



We congratulate the children from Scoil Mobhí who celebrated Confirmation this week. The children from St. Brigid's GNS will receive the sacrament of Confirmation on Wednesday 16th March at 11.00am and 1.00pm. The Ceremony of Light for children attending NDNISP/GNS and GETNS will take place at 7.30pm on Wednesday 16th March.

We thank parishioners for your contributions to the First and Second Collections at Mass. A Tap and Go machine at the back of the church facilitates parishioners and visitors who wish to contribute to the First and Second collections but who don't carry cash. Contributions to the parish can be made through the 'Donate' button on the parish website: www.glasnevinparish.ie

Reflection: There has been a great response to the humanitarian crisis unfolding in Ukraine. People have already donated millions of Euro towards the Irish Red cross appeal and many have offered accommodation to refugees arriving in Ireland. Those wishing to offer accommodation can do so using the Irish Red Cross portal: registerofpledges.redcross.ie

A Prayer for the People of Ukraine

*Loving God,
 We pray for the people of Ukraine,
 For all those suffering or afraid,
 that you will be close to them and protect them.
 We pray for world leaders,
 for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.
 We pray for the world; that in this moment of crisis,
 we may reach out in solidarity
 to our brothers and sisters in need.
 May we walk in your ways
 so that peace and justice
 become a reality for the people of Ukraine
 and for all the world.
 Amen.*

*Our Lady, Queen of Peace, pray for us!
 Our Lady of Kyiv, pray for us!*

(From the Irish Conference of Bishops)

The Gospel Mass at Our Lady of Victories Church, Ballymun Road, resumes this Sunday 13th March at 6.00m.