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Mass Intentions:	
	
<b>Sunday 08/05</b>	
<b>9.30am</b>	Esther Pat King (1A) Paddy Gilmore (R/D)
<b>11.00am</b>	Frank O'Bradaigh (10A) Charles Coyne (40A) Maureen Cromwell (R/D) Bernie Spillane (R/D)
<b>Tuesday 10/05</b>	
<b>10.00am</b>	Angela Breathnach (R/D) Valerie Whyte (R/D) Special Intention
<b>Friday 13/05</b>	
<b>10.00am</b>	Mary McCabe (R/D) Attracta & Tommy Doolin (A)

Many thanks to all those who have submitted applications to participate in the **Glasnevin Grouping Pilgrimage to Lourdes** from 2nd-5th September as part of our Jubilee celebrations. Already a large group have signed up. There are still a few places left. Please submit your completed booking form to the parish office (ourladyofdoloursparish@gmail.com), and a deposit of €100 should be paid directly to Marian Pilgrimages (Tel. 01/8788159) to secure the booking.



Students from St. Mary's HF Secondary School, who are participating as volunteers for the first time in the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes in September, will be holding a **cake sale** outside the Church next Sunday 15th May after to raise some sponsorship for their trip. Your generous support of their efforts will be greatly appreciated.



**CHURCH OPENING AND MASS TIMES**

- \* Sunday Mass times are 9.30am (as Gaeilge) 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.

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](http://www.glasnevinparish.ie)

Many thanks to all those who have already returned Easter Offerings, which contribute to the remuneration of the priests of the parish and of the diocese. Envelopes are still available at the back of the church and Easter Offerings may be left in the safe also at the back of the church.

It is becoming increasingly difficult to source accommodation for the refugees who continue to arrive in Ireland from Ukraine, fleeing the war which is devastating their country. Parishioners who are willing to offer a room in their home, or to assist in whatever practical way, are invited to register directly online with the Irish Red Cross at: [registerofpledges.redcross.ie](http://registerofpledges.redcross.ie) Let us continue to pray for the people of Ukraine and for an end to this humanitarian crisis.

The monthly meeting of the Glasnevin Grouping Committee will take place on zoom on Monday 9th May at 7.00pm.

The Diocesan Lay Ministry Collection, which supports the development of a variety of lay ministries takes place next Sunday, May 14th. Donations can be made online at <https://pay-payzone.easypaymentsplus.com/customer/10012/product-list/>.



Archbishop Dermot Farrell has launched his Easter Pastoral Letter and the first phase of the Building Hope Initiative, which invites every parish in the diocese to participate in creating a diocesan plan for the future. The goal of Building Hope is to encourage us as a faith community to assess our pastoral strengths and resources and to consider with which other parishes we might enter a more formal partnership, in order to build up the kingdom of God and reach out in pastoral service to others. Parishioners are invited to read the Archbishop's Pastoral Letter, the Statement of Mission, the parish profile, the parish partnerships' timeline and the Building Hope Prayer, all of which will be posted on the noticeboards in the church and on our parish website.

Our parish pastoral council and parish finance committee have already formed the Parish Building Hope Leadership Group to reflect on the above documents. The chairperson of the Leadership Group, Ciaran Coll, will address parishioners at Mass next Sunday 15th May and invite everyone to a parish gathering in the parish centre immediately after 11.00am Mass on Sunday 29th May.

The Building Hope prayer can be found at <https://dublindiocese.ie/the-building-hope-prayer/>

Archbishop Farrell's Easter Pastoral Letter, Living the Hope of Easter, can be found at <https://dublindiocese.ie/category/building-hope/>.



We congratulate the children from GETNS/GNS and NDNPS who celebrated their First Communion on Saturday 7th May.

**World Day of Prayer for Vocations** is being observed this Sunday, May 8th when parishes are invited to pray for vocations to the priesthood in the Archdiocese.

**Reflection: The Building Hope Prayer**

*Pilgrim God, we give you thanks and praise.  
 You constantly journey with us even in our darkness and doubts.  
 We seek your way of loving kindness to walk together as one family.  
 Open our eyes to recognise you in the faces of one another,  
 in the breaking of bread and in the splendour of creation.  
 May the risen Christ sow seeds of hope and new life deep within us.  
 May our hearts and minds be filled with your Word,  
 bringing forth truth, justice and peace.  
 May the Holy Spirit working in and through us do much more  
 than we can dare to imagine  
 as we live out our baptismal calling in humble and loving service.  
 We make this our prayer through Christ Our Lord. Amen.*

*Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us.  
 St Laurence O'Toole, pray for us.  
 St Kevin, pray for us.  
 St Brigid, pray for us.*

Our Lady of Dolours  
 JUBILEE COMMITTEE  
 are proud to present an afternoon of  
**STORY AND SONG**  
 Join us from  
 4pm to 5pm  
 on Sunday 22nd May for  
*Sunday Miscellany in Glasnevin*  
 in the Parish Hall  
 Featuring  
 THE FORGET ME NOTS CHOIR  
 joined by the students from  
 St. Bridget's Girls School, Glasnevin  
**Tickets: €5**  
**Children: Free**  
 All proceeds to  
 IrishRedCross  
 Supporting the Ukrainian Crisis Appeal  
 Tickets can be purchased from the parish office and sacristy  
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