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Mass Intentions: 

Sunday 29/05
9.30am Christopher McAllister (R/D)
11.00am Noel Judd (MM)
 Damhnait Dennehy (MM)

Monday 30/05
10.00am Frank O’Flaherty (R/D)

Tuesday 31/05
10.00am Greta Brady (R/D)
 Edmund Healy (R/D)
 Special Intentions

Condolence to the Sisters of the Holy Faith Convent on the death of Sr. Una Coughlan (RIP) and to the Family and Friends of Francis (Frank) O’Flaherty whose funeral took place in Our Lady of Dolours

GLASNEVIN PARISH CENTRE

We are looking for a voluntary Parish Centre Manager to replace our long-standing Manager Noel Burns, who is stepping down after years of dedicated service. If you feel this role could be of interest to you, please contact Fr. Richard or Fr. Paul to discuss further.

Many thanks to the wonderful sponsors of our Sunday Miscellany Event

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- 3 DENTAL**

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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

Many thanks to parishioners and visitors for your generous support of the Easter Offerings, which contribute to the remuneration of the priests of the parish and of the diocese. Envelopes are 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 other practical ways, are invited to register directly online with the Irish Red Cross at registerofpledges.redcross.ie Let us continue to pray for the people of Ukraine and for an end to this humanitarian crisis.

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. 

Building Hope

All parishioners are invited to a Building Hope parish gathering in the parish centre immediately after 11.00am Mass this Sunday 29th May. Tea/coffee will be available on arrival. The goal of Building Hope is to encourage us as a faith community to assess the pastoral strengths and resources we would bring to working in closer partnership with other parishes in order to reach out more effectively. This gathering marks the first phase of Archbishop Dermot Farrell’s initiative, which invites every parish in the diocese to participate in creating a plan for the future of pastoral life in our diocese. Parishioners are invited to read the Archbishop’s Easter Pastoral Letter, the Statement of Mission, and the Building Hope Prayer, all of which are posted on the noticeboard in the church and on our parish website. The Building Hope prayer can be found at <https://dublindiocese.ie/the-building-hope-prayer> Archbishop Farrell’s Pastoral Letter, Living the Hope of Easter, can be found at <https://dublindiocese.ie/category/building-hope/>.



Congratulations to all those who helped to make the ‘**Sunday Miscellany**’ such a great success last Sunday. The parish centre was completely full, as we were treated to wonderful singing from the Forget Me Nots choir together with children from St. Brigid’s GNS, and great story telling from Peter Martin and Ailish O’Connell. Over €3,000 was raised for the **Irish Red Cross Ukraine Appeal**, while our special guest, Fr. Vasyl, spoke very movingly of how the Ukrainian community have been touched by the welcome and support they have received in Ireland. A huge thanks to our parish team and Jubilee committee for the great organisation of the whole event.



GLASNEVIN WALKING GROUP

If you are active and interested in joining our new brisk walking group in Glasnevin on Mondays, please give Kathleen a call on 087 2411394 for details.



The monthly SVP outdoor collection takes place this Sunday 29/5, your support is greatly appreciated

***Reflection:** Today’s feast acknowledges transitions. It captures that in-between time linking Jesus’ resurrection and his sending of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, which we celebrate next Sunday. The disciples experience Jesus’ physical absence but have grown sufficiently in their faith to be willing to wait to be empowered by his Spirit, so that they can witness to his continued presence and action in the world. It is a time of transition too for pupils finishing primary school and preparing to move to secondary school, for those preparing to go on to third level, and those again who are graduating from college in the coming weeks.*

Along with quite a number of priests in the diocese, I too will be on the move in the coming months. I have been appointed to serve in Brackinstown parish in Swords from mid July. I will be sad to leave Glasnevin, but changing parish is an intrinsic part of diocesan life, and I look forward to the challenge of getting to know a new faith community and seeking with them to serve Christ’s vision of the kingdom. There will be another moment to express my thanks to parishioners and to the parish team for all that I have gained from being part of the team here. I am delighted that a classmate of mine, Fr. Kieran Dunne, has been appointed to assist Fr. Paul here in Glasnevin, and I have no doubt you will give him a warm welcome. These diocesan changes in many ways highlight the importance of the Building Hope project we have just embarked upon, as we seek to discern how best we can collaborate with neighbouring parishes to proclaim the Good News.



Congratulations to the 6th year students from Scoil Chaitriona and St. Mary’s H.F. Secondary School who celebrated their Graduation Masses this week. We wish them every success in the Leaving Cert exams which start in ten days’ time and every blessing for the next stage of their lives!



Botanic Hockey Club

Saturday 4th June
 St. Mary’s Secondary School, Glasnevin
 Toilet Facilities / Coffee & Tea
 Contact: 0857666541
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The SVP outdoor collection on 24/4 raised €735, sincere thanks for your generous support