

Your contributions last week to support:

- Your priests - 1st Collection : €608
- Share - 2nd Collection: €495
- Running Expenses of the Parish (Family offering/weekly envelope: €1,105

Are you playing your part?

Family Offering envelopes / Standing Order forms are available through the parish office.

The Irish Hospice Foundation **LIVING WITH LOSS**

November is traditionally a month for remembrance. This Irish Hospice Foundation event aims to provide information about grief and the range of supports available to bereaved people. It takes place on **Thursday, November 1st, 5.30pm - 8.00pm in the Alex Hotel, 41-47 Fenian Street** (off Merrion Square), **Dublin 2**.

Guest speaker will be Niamh Fitzpatrick, Psychologist and sister of the late Captain Dara Fitzpatrick.

The evening will open at 5.30pm with a formal introduction. There will also be an opportunity to chat to voluntary bereavement support services about the supports they provide. During the evening Niamh Fitzpatrick will address the gathering and speak on the theme 'Living with Loss'.

This public event is FREE to attend. Bookings are not necessary.

Our thoughts and prayers are with the families of Donald (Donie) Martin, Mary Wills and Martin Fox whose funeral Masses took place in our parish this week.
May they rest in peace.

November Mass of Remembrance

Our Annual Mass of Remembrance takes place this year on **Wednesday, November 7th at 7.30pm in St. Mark's Church**. We will remember especially those who died during the past year and whose funeral took place in St. Mark's Church. If you have lost a loved one this year, but their funeral took place elsewhere, and you would like them to be remembered at this Mass please leave their name into the parish office over the next couple of weeks. All are welcome to our Mass of Remembrance as it is an opportunity to remember and pray for all our deceased loved ones, whether they died recently or long ago.

There will also be a **Mass of Remembrance in The Church of the Incarnation, Fettercairn on Sunday, November 4th**, at 10am. Again, those whose funerals took place there during the past year will be especially remembered.

Envelopes for the November Altar List of the Dead are available at the back of the church/parish office. Masses on the First Friday of every month are offered for those whose names are on the Altar List of the Dead.

Beginning Experience

Men and Women - Separated, Divorced, Widowed -
Are you coping?

Few people are able to cope alone with the pain of loss. Do you find that you need more support than family and friends can provide? Seeking help is a sign of strength and self-knowledge - not weakness. 'Beginning Experience' is a healing ministry, which helps to resolve the grief that goes with the end of a marriage or relationship. Coping effectively with bereavement is a skill we can all learn. A team, who are themselves widowed, separated or divorced share their experiences with you.

The next Residential Weekend Programme will be held on Friday, 16th November - Sunday 18th November in the Dominican Retreat House, Tallaght, Dublin 24
Booking Required - For further information please phone:
BEGINNING EXPERIENCE - 086 0877379 or
email: bedublin@gmail.com

Sunday 21st October: Today is World Mission Sunday!

Today we come together for a truly incredible celebration of solidarity and unity within our Church - World Mission Sunday! Today, every single parish worldwide - and YOU - share what you can so the life-transforming work of missionaries overseas can continue. Today, through your prayers and contributions, you are fully appreciating the dedication of our missionaries who live and work in communities that are struggling and often war-torn.

World Mission Sunday is coordinated by 'World Missions Ireland', originally known as the Pontifical Mission Societies and the Church's official charity for overseas mission. It is part of a worldwide network of over 120 charities. Many of the international offices go by the name 'Missio'. World Missions Ireland and their fellow charities ensure that today's contributions are distributed justly to where the need is greatest within our Universal Church.

Today, our prayers and generosity are helping spread the peace and love of Christ. Please give what you can to this weekend's 2nd collection, which replaces the normal Share collection. All donations will be very much appreciated.

Memorial Cross

For the month of November we will have our 'Memorial Cross' in St. Mark's Church. Parishioners are invited to bring memorial cards of their loved ones to be put on the cross. Cards can be left into the parish office during the coming weeks and can be collected at the end of November.

Eucharistic Adoration -

Eucharistic Adoration take place on Fridays after 10am Mass until 3pm. All are welcome to come along and spend a little of that time in quiet prayer and reflection.



WE PRAY FOR THE SOULS OF THE FOLLOWING:

Donald (Donie) Martin, Mary Wills and Martin Fox who died recently

ANNIVERSARIES

Hugh O'Neill
Kathleen, Brigid and Patrick MacMahon
Maureen MacMahon
Lena and Michael Daly
Alice Delahunty
Michael Leonard
Jack Johnston
Sr. Rosina O'Leary (Birthday Remembrance)
Patrick and Mary Hughes

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

BOOKINGS FOR BAPTISMS:

Bookings for baptisms take place in the parish office (church porch) Mon to Fri- 10.30am -12.30 pm, tel: 4620777. Three month's notice is required. Baptisms take place: 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month in St. Mark's Church at 1.30pm.

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

St. Mark's Church

Monday - Friday: 10am

WEEKEND MASSES

St. Mark's Parish Church

Saturday: Vigil - 6.30pm

Sunday: 12.30pm

1st Sunday of the month: 12.30pm - Family (Children's) Mass (St. Mark's Youth Choir - 12.30 Mass 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month)

Church of the Incarnation, Fettercairn

Sunday: 10.00am

Last Sunday of the month: 10am - Family (Children's) Mass

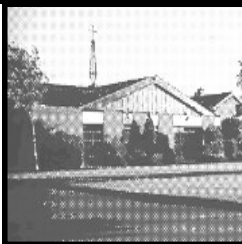
1st Saturday of the month:

Vine Mass (Taize style): 7.00pm

Confessions

6pm - 6.20pm on Saturdays (subject to availability of a priest)

21st October 2018 - MISSION SUNDAY - Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary



ANNUAL AUTUMN GATHERING

For Parishioners from Tallaght, South Dublin and Blessington Deaneries

'Called to authentic Christian Living'

The Gathering will take place in the Maldron Hotel, Tallaght on Saturday, November 17th 2018, 9.15am to 1.15pm.

Timetable: Registration 9.15am

Prayer and Reflection 9.45am

1st Session of workshops: 10.15am - 11.30am

Coffee/tea/displays: 11.30am - 12.05pm

"2nd session of workshops: 12.05pm - 1.15pm

Booking is essential so if you are interested in attending please contact Marian in the parish office as soon as possible, tel. 01-4620777, and leave your name and contact details.

WORKSHOPS TO CHOOSE FROM

Please choose from 2 workshops and give the details into the parish office when registering.

Workshop A: Céad míle fáilte: The Good News of God's hospitality according to St. Luke -

Presenter: Dr. Jessie Rogers. Jesse teaches Sacred Scripture at St. Patrick's College, Maynooth.

Workshop B: Parish Pastoral Councils—Better Together! -

Presenters: Rosemary Lavelle (Pastoral Co-ordinator, Office for Evangelisation and Ecumenism), Dublin Diocese) and Fr. Philip Bradley, St. Joseph's Parish, Terenure

Workshop C: Let us sing to the Lord with our whole hearts! -

Presenter: Sinead Fallon. This workshop will outline the important role of music in the liturgy.

Workshop D: Happy to be Holy - Exploring the latest apostolic exhortation from Pope Francis -

Presenter: Fr. Alan Hilliard. This workshop will take us on a journey through Pope Francis' latest Apostolic Exhortation, *Gaudete et Exultate* in which Pope Francis reflects on what it means to live a holy life. Alan will share his marvellous insight into what makes Pope Francis 'tick' and be the person that he is. Not only is he holy but he is 'Happy to be Holy'.

Fr. Pat McKinley

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