

THE PARISH TEAM:

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MASS INTENTIONS

6.30pm Vigil: The Service of Light
Eddie Byrne (Birthday
Remembrance)

Other Anniversaries: Keith Marmion (A)
Elizabeth (Lily) Murphy (2nd A)

10.00 am:

11.00 am: Evelyn Walsh (A)

12.30 pm: Claire Kelly (A)
Jim Kelly (A)
Elaine Kelly (A)

Monday 16th

10.00 am Richard and Sean Whelan (A)
7.30 pm

Tuesday 17th

10.00 am Dolores Delany (A)

Wednesday 18th

10.00 am Mass for the Sick
11.00 am Confirmation Mass – Celebrant:
Rev. Fr. Enda Cunningham

Thursday 19th

10.00 am Ellen Purcell (Birthday
Remembrance)

Friday 20th:

10.00 am Altar List of the Dead

Saturday 21st:

10.00 am The Parishioners and Friends of
St. Teresa's Parish

MASS INTENTIONS 22ND APRIL 2018

6.30 pm: Elizabeth Cogan (MM)

10.00 am: Elizabeth & John O'Toole

11.00 am: Aidan Byrne (recently deceased)

12.30 pm:

ENVELOPE COLLECTION €1,175

1st COLLECTION € 390

SHARE COLLECTION € 330

***Thank you** to all parishioners and friends of St Teresa's for your continued support, for the work of the Parish and of the wider Dublin Diocese. The envelope collection is the primary source of income for the parish!*

The FIRST COLLECTION (Diocesan Common Fund) supports the priests of our parish, sick and retired priests, priests in low-income parishes, and priests working in special ministries throughout our Diocese.

The SHARE collection provides essential pastoral services supporting all parishes. Share also provides support to low-income parishes and contributes to initiatives of the Irish Bishops' Conference.

Confirmation enables the faithful to be sealed with the gift of the Holy Spirit, strengthening them in their Christian life. It builds on what was begun in Baptism and what was nourished in Holy Communion. It completes the process of initiation into the Christian community, and it matures the soul for the work ahead.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA:

Sunday 22nd April 2018

6.30pm Vigil: Alice O'Connell / Tom McKenna
10.00am: Jean McDonald
11.00am: Vincent Reilly / Pauline Bresnan
12.30pm: Alice Blake / Breda O'Hara

READERS ROTA:

Sunday 22nd April 2018

6.30pm Vigil: Margaret Lynch
10.00am: Helen Bennett
11.00am: Antoinette Doyle
12.30pm: Deirdre Farrell

NOTICES: All notices for inclusion in the Parish Bulletin should be submitted in writing no later than *Thursday 1pm* to the Parish House or Sacristy. *The newsletter can be read on line at www.donoreavenueparish.ie*

This Sunday 15th April is 3rd Sunday of Easter

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION 18TH APRIL AT 11.00AM

Father Enda Cunningham will celebrate this sacrament with our parish and the families of twenty four young people from Scoil Treasa Naofa, St Catherine's National School and Griffith Barracks Educate Together School on Wednesday, 18th April at 11am. All are welcome! The Service of Light will held on Saturday 14th April at 6.30pm Mass.

EASTER DUES

In the back of the church you find envelopes for the Easter Dues, a special collection for concerns of the diocese. Thank you!

TROCAIRE BOXES Trocaire boxes in solidarity with the poor in Africa can be returned to the sacristy and we will forward your contribution to Trocaire.

CATHOLIC TEACHING ON THE DIGNITY OF HUMAN LIFE AND REGARDING ABORTION

There is a notice board at the back of the church with information, and newsletters on the dignity of human life in relation to the forthcoming referendum. There are copies of the Statement from the Bishops Conference "Our Common Humanity", please take one home with you for your information and reflection.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Please pray for the souls of Manus Twomey Sr. and Seamus Nugent, buried in Manchester last week.

RECENTLY BAPTISED

Congratulations to Ava-Lee Evelyn Berry. We wish Ava-Lee and her family every blessing for the future.

PILGRIMAGE TO LOUGH DERG

A one day pilgrimage to Lough Derg will take place on Saturday, 26th of May. Please keep this day free. We leave early in the morning and return in the evening. More information will follow soon. Expressions of interest to Sam or any of the parish team.

35th SCOUTS TROOP 'STRICTLY COME DANCING'

On behalf of 35th Donore Avenue Scouts we wish to thank everyone for all your support with our recent Strictly Come Dancing event. You may have taken an advert in the booklet, sponsored a dancer or bought a ticket and ventured out in the snow to watch the performance. All these combined efforts resulted in an overwhelming total of €29,710.10 which far exceeded any targets we could have imagined. The funds raised will ensure the development and continuity of the 35th Scout group in Donore Avenue for many years to come.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

- **Wednesday April 18th:** Celebration of Sacrament of Confirmation with Fr. Enda Cunningham.
- **Thursday 19th April:** Next meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council at 7.30pm.
- **Saturday 28th April:** Feast of St Peter Chanel, Marist Saint and Martyr of Oceania.
- **Thursday 3rd May:** next meeting for the **preparation of baptism** at 8pm in the parish house for Parents (and Godparents) whose children are being baptised Saturday 5th at 7.15pm and Sunday 20th May at 3.30pm.
- **Wednesday 9th May:** The Area Meeting for the streets along Cork Street, Donore Avenue, and South Circular Road will take place in the Donore Community and Youth Centre on 9 May, at 7.30pm. Please note this date!
- **Tuesday 15th May:** The next meeting of the Liturgy Committee takes place in the presbytery at 6.30pm.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018 (WMOF) PRAYER PETITIONS BOX

In the WMOF Space you find a box for prayer petitions. You are welcome to insert a petition, which will be sent to the Redemporist Sisters here in Dublin. The Sisters will include those petitions in their contemplative prayer.

Details about how to register for the WMOF 2018 are available on

www.worldmeeting2018.ie/tickets. Sam is willing to help anyone who would like assistance in registering.

IDEA!!! Parish Newsletter why not take home a copy of the Parish Newsletter for a neighbour who can no longer make it up to the church, or a family member who has moved to another area, and who would like to keep in touch with the parish and its activities.

KINGDOM CAFÉ is open on Thursdays after the 10am Mass.

QUIET TIME FOR PRAYER

Eucharistic adoration is held each Tuesday morning after mass until 12.30pm.

The **Rosary** is recited each morning after the 10.00am Mass. Please feel free to join in.

The **Novena Prayer to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal** takes place every Monday at the morning and evening masses.