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MASS INTENTIONS

6.30pm Vigil: Patsy Prendergast (rec dec)
 Linda Launder (MM)
 May Gavin (1st A)
 Carmel Gahan (1st A)
 Other Anniversaries:
 James Fitzpatrick (25th A)
 10.00am: Peg Ryan (1st A)
 11.00am: Betty Dunne (1st A) & deceased
 members of the Dunne family
 12.30pm: Thomas Hancock (A)

Monday:

10.00am Deceased members of the Legion
 of Mary & Praying members
 Meg & Michael O'Brien (A)
 7.30pm

Tuesday:

10.00am Pro Populo
 7.30pm George Montgomery (1st A)

Wednesday:

10.00am Mass for the Sick
 7.30pm

Thursday:

10.00am Altar List of the Dead
 7.30pm

Friday:

10.00am Tom Rees (20th A)
 7.30pm Lilly Wotton (A)

Saturday:

10.00am No 10.00am Mass
 11.30am Diaconate Ordination of Br. Tom
 Kouijzer sm.

MASS INTENTIONS DEC 10TH 2017

6.30pm Vigil: Julia, Madge & Owen O'Toole (A)
 Lily & Margaret Hand (A)
 Other Anniversaries:
 Patrick & Ellen Furlong
 Lilly Wotton (A)
 Mary McKenzie (A)
 10.00am: Deceased members of the O'Toole
 Family; Tommy Maguire
 11.00am: Patrick Woodnut (A)
 12.30pm: Kitty McGavin (A) & deceased
 members of the O'Brien & McGavin Families

ENVELOPE COLLECTION

€ 740.00

**SICK & INDIGENT
 ROOMKEEPERS SOCIETY**

€ 807.00

Thanks to all for your support, and to the
 collectors and counters.

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA:****Sunday 10th December**

6.30pm Vigil: Lorraine O'Donoghue /
 Geraldine Harrington
 10.00am: Sr. Eleanor / Sr. Maura
 11.00am: Eabha Cronin
 12.30pm: Margaret Gibney

READERS ROTA:**Sunday 10th December**

6.30pm Vigil: Donal Bergin
 10.00am: Regina Terry
 11.00am: Celine Aherne
 12.30pm: Marie O'Reilly

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*

Diaconate Ordination

On Saturday 9th December (next Saturday) at 11.30 am – Br. Tom Kouijzer, who has been with us here in St Teresa’s for the last couple of years, will be ordained deacon by Archbishop Diarmuid Martin. Tom will be joined by some of his family, friends and Marist Fathers from the Netherlands for the ceremony, along with other Marist Fathers from Ireland and abroad. This is a very significant event for Tom, his family, the Marist Fathers and the parish of St Teresa’s. All parishioners and friends of St Teresa’s Parish are invited to this ceremony. There will be light refreshments afterwards at the back of the church. Please continue to keep Tom in your prayers. [There will be no 10am mass on the Saturday of the ordination – 9th December.]

CrossCare Food Appeal

Archbishop Martin is seeking practical support for a Parish Food Appeal on December 2nd and 3rd for the Crosscare Foodbanks. Crosscare works with many individuals and families throughout the Archdiocese who are struggling to make ends meet. Please leave all non-perishable food items at the back of the church, close to the shrine of St Jude at all masses this weekend. The food will go to the Crosscare foodbank that supports many individuals and families throughout the Archdiocese.

St. Vincent de Paul Society

The annual special Christmas collection for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be taken up during all masses next weekend the 9th and 10th of December. This special collection will replace the normal share collection

Patricians-Discussion Meeting

The next Patrician Discussion Meeting will take place on Wednesday 6th December 2017 at 8.00pm in the Presbytery. The topic for discussion is “*Mary’s Immaculate Conception*”.

Other Dates for your diary

- Liturgy Committee meeting – Tuesday 12th December at 6.30pm.
- Wednesday 13th December – Parish Pastoral Council meeting at 8.00pm
- Friday 15th December – Parish Advent Carol Service: “*Blessings and Songs For All*” at 7.30pm
- Tuesday 19th December at 7.30pm – Parish Service of Reconciliation.

Baptism

The next meeting for the preparation of baptism is on Thursday 4th January at 8.00pm in the Parish House. Parents who are having their child baptised either on Saturday 6th January 2018 at 7.15pm or on Sunday 21st January 2018 at 3.30pm and Godparents are invited to attend.

Marist Christmas Cards for the Marist Missions

There are Christmas cards available for sale at the back of the church **or in the sacristy** after all masses. (A pack of five cards for €3) All proceeds from the sale of these Christmas cards go directly to the Marist Missions.

Quiet Time for prayer

The **Rosary** is recited each morning after the 10.00am Mass.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament each Tuesday after the 10.00am Mass until 12.30 pm.

NEW! St Teresa’s Coffee Mornings

Why not join us for a nice cup of tea/coffee and a chat on Thursday mornings after the 10.00am mass in our new **Kingdom Café Corner**? This is a great place to meet other parishioners to chat and get to know one another.

Early closing of St Teresa’s Church

Some parishioners will have noticed that the church is currently been closed earlier than usual. Unfortunately, due to unsocial behaviour we have had to close the church at times. This is only a temporary measure for the present and it is our intention to keep the church open generally until six o’clock each evening.

World Meeting of Families 2018

There is a special notice board in the church dedicated to this event in 2018. More information to follow.

Advent

Today is the first Sunday of Advent and mass will be celebrated each evening during Advent (Monday to Friday) at the usual time of 7.30pm.