

THE PARISH TEAM:

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MASS INTENTIONS

6.30 pm: Ronnie Sutcliff (A)
Christopher McCann (MM &
Birthday Remembrance)

Other Anniversaries:

Christopher Warren (7th A)
Brenda Farrell (5th A)

10.00 am: Laurence, May & John
O'Toole (A)

11.00 am: Joseph Peacock (24th A)

12.30 pm: Special Intention

Monday 30th

10.00 am: Doreen & Michael Cunningham (A)

7.30 pm:

Tuesday 31st St. Sylvester

10.00 am: Altar List of the Dead

7.30 pm: Victor Naughton (A)

Wednesday 1st Mary, Holy Mother of God

10.00 am: Mass for the Sick

Thursday 2nd St. Basil & St. Gregory

10.00 am: Parishioners and Friends of St. Teresa's

Friday 3rd The Holy Name of Jesus

10.00 am: For those who received
Marist Christmas Cards

Saturday 4th

10.00 am: Liam Nutley (Rec. Dec.)

MASS INTENTIONS 5th JANUARY 2020

6.30 pm: Mary Byrne (Birthday Rem.)

Other Anniversaries:

Paul Brady (A)

10.00 am: Rosie Wynn (1st A)

11.00 am: Frances Biggs (MM)

12.30 pm: Laurence Power (A)
Richard Power (A)
Ned Aherne (2nd A)

ENVELOPE COLLECTION €922

1st COLLECTION €455

SHARE COLLECTION €420

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA:

5th January 2020

6.30 pm Vigil: Lorraine O'Donoghue &
Geraldine Harrington

10.00 am: Sr. Eleanor & Sr. Maura

11.00 am: Eabha Cronin & Eddie Payne

12.30 pm: Margaret Gibney

READERS ROTA:

5th January 2020

6.30 pm Vigil: Helen Sweeney

10.00 am: Regina Terry

11.00 am: Frances Foley

12.30 pm: Micheál Mac Uaidh

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*

HAPPY NEW YEAR

The parish team wishes all parishioners and friends of Saint Teresa's a very blessed and happy new year. We hope and pray that the year 2020 may be filled with joy and blessing for you and your loved ones.

A BIG THANK YOU

We sincerely wish to thank all our parishioners and friends of St Teresa's for your kindness, support and faithful commitment to our parish. We also wish you thank you all for your most generous support with the weekly envelope collections, the SHARE collections and the many other diocesan collections taken up throughout the year. *You are truly amazing and greatly appreciated.*

CHRISTMAS DUES

Christmas Dues envelopes are available at the back of the church from this weekend and may be handed in to the Sacristy or the Parish House or placed in the collection bags on Sunday. Christmas Dues donations go to the Dublin Diocese for the support of priests, the salaries and care for serving and retired priests of the Diocese.

MARIST CHRISTMAS CARDS

A big word a thanks to all those who bought **Marist Christmas cards** and by doing so supported the **worldwide Marist Missions**. A beautiful amount of **€840** was raised in support of the missions with the sale of the Christmas cards. **A novena of masses** will be offered in our church for all those who received Marist Christmas cards.

CHRISTMAS COLLECTIONS

Many thanks to everyone for their great generosity during our Christmas ceremonies this year.

First Collection: €1485
Share Collection: €857

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOTHER OF GOD

The first day of the calendar year is traditionally marked by the solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God. The feast will be celebrated on **Tuesday 31 December at 7.30pm** (vigil mass) and **Wednesday 1 January at 10.00am**.

NO PATRICIANS MEETING

Please note that there will be **no Patricians Discussion Meeting in January**. The next Patricians Discussion Meeting will be on Wednesday 5 February.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

- **Tuesday 7th January at 6.00pm:** Next Liturgy Committee meeting.
- **Sunday 12th January at 12.30pm:** Annual mass for baptised during the year.
- **Monday 20th January at 8.00pm:** Next Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) meeting.
- **Thursday 12th March at 11am:** Celebration of Confirmation.
- **Sunday 26th April at 12.30pm:** Celebration of First Holy Communion.

MARIST CALENDARS 2020

There are still some **Marist Calendars** left. They can be collected at the back of the church or in the sacristy.

CELEBRATING BAPTISM

On Sunday 12th January at the 12.30 mass (Feast of the Lord's Baptism), we welcome and celebrate mass with the **children who were baptised during the past year** here in St. Teresa's church and their families. Baptism is a time of joy, blessing and celebration for the families, friends and the parish. We renew that joy by organizing an annual mass to **celebrate the sacrament of baptism**. There will be light refreshments at the back of the church after mass. All are welcome.

UPDATE ON TAX RETURNS

As you know the parish benefited last year through the **charitable tax donations scheme**. **We have now submitted a claim for 2015** and are the process of making claims for 2016, 2017 and 2019. If you are willing to participate in this scheme for the benefit of the parish please contact any member of the parish team for the necessary CHY 3 form.

NEW YEAR'S BLESSING

Treasure the smiles, good times, and memories.

Leave behind the disappointments, hard times, and struggles.

Hold on to Faith, Hope, and Belief.

And may your New Year be filled with Love, Joy, and Peace.

