

THE PARISH TEAM:

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MASS INTENTIONS

- 6.30pm: Thomas, Christina and  
Philomena Maguire (A)  
Darren Gray (MM)
- 10.00am: Laurie Nugent (RIP)
- 11.00am: The Deceased Members of  
the Porter Family
- 12.30pm: Nicholas Doran (A)

Monday 18<sup>th</sup>

- 10.00 am Altar List of the Dead  
7.30 pm Patrick & Moira  
McCabe (A)

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup>

- 10.00 am For those who received  
Marist Christmas Cards

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup>

- 10.00 am Mass for the Sick

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup>

- 10.00 am

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup>

- 10.00 am Chair of Saint Peter  
Billy Wilson (A)

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup>

- 10.00 am St. Polycarp

MASS INTENTIONS 24<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2019

- 6.30 pm: Norbert Conlon (A)
- Other Anniversaries:  
Francis Murray (Birthday R.)  
Kevin Fricker (A)
- 10.00 am: Patrick O'Dowd (2<sup>nd</sup> A) and  
deceased members of the Sloan  
family
- 11.00 am: Kathleen & Seamus Foran (A)
- 12.30 pm: Paddy Barry (A)  
Nollaig Ni Argardain  
Peter and Margaret Elliot  
John Thomson (MM)

ENVELOPE COLLECTION €1,0301<sup>st</sup> COLLECTION €400SHARE COLLECTION €335

*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*

*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.*

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA:Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2019

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

READERS ROTA:Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2019

- 6.30 pm Vigil: Helen Sweeney  
10.00 am: Sr. Eilish  
11.00 am: Deirdre & John Kinahan  
12.30 pm: Jean Fitzpatrick

**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](http://www.donoreavenueparish.ie)*

### ACCORD COLLECTION

The **ANNUAL COLLECTION** of **ACCORD**, the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, takes places at **all masses this weekend**. The collection for **ACCORD** will replace the usual Share Collection. **ACCORD** Dublin throughout the diocese offers: Marriage Preparation Courses; Counselling for couples and individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships; A Relationship and Sexuality Programme for Schools. **ACCORD** Dublin needs your support. Please give generously. Thank you.

### LEGION OF MARY – NEW MEMBERS

The **Legion of Mary** group in our parish is looking to recruit **new members**.

*The primary purpose of the Legion of Mary ‘is the glory of God through the holiness of its members developed by prayer and active co-operation in Mary’s and the Church’s work. The Legion sees as its priority the spiritual and social welfare of each individual. The members participate in the life of the parish through visitation of families, the sick, both in their homes and in hospitals and through collaboration in every apostolic and missionary undertaking sponsored by the parish.’*

If you would like to have more information about the possibility of joining the Legion of Mary, please feel free to approach any member of the Legion in our parish, or any member of the pastoral team.

### CHURCH GUIDE

Over the past few months Fr. Alois has been working hard to prepare a **guide booklet to our church**. The guide is meant to offer a historical and spiritual introduction to the church building. A draft version of the guide is available on the notice board or on the table in the back of the church. You are invited to have a look at the text, and approach Fr. Alois with any feedback and ideas you might have. **Please do not permanently remove the guide from the church.**

### DIOCESAN SURVEY ON THE SACRAMENTS

Archbishop Martin asks you to help us with the new **online survey** on how we prepare and celebrate the **Sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, Communion and Confirmation**. The Archdiocese is seeking the views of parents, teachers, priests and parish personnel and the wider faith community. As many people as possible are invited to take part so we can get a wide range of views:

<https://www.dublindiocese.ie/survey-on-sacraments/>

For any further information please contact Sam.

### DATES FOR DIARY

- **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February at 8.00pm:** Next Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) meeting.
- **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March at 6.15pm:** Next meeting of the Liturgy Committee.
- **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March:** Ash Wednesday
- **Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March at 11.30am:** Celebration of Confirmation.
- **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May at 12.30pm:** Celebration of First Holy Communion.

### PARISH APPEALS

In the coming weekends there will be appeals made by speakers:

- **Marie Barry from the Legion of Mary** will speak at all the masses in the weekend of **23<sup>rd</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> February** about the Legion of Mary and the possibility of becoming a member
- **Sr Nuala Glynn, Franciscan missionary**, will speak at all the masses in the weekend of **2<sup>nd</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> March** about the mission of the church and her congregation.

### PARISH SUB-GROUPS

Just a reminder to the parish sub-groups (for Liturgy; Practical Matters; Communication; and Outreach) - to prioritise the 1-4 items on their agenda ready for the next Parish Pastoral Council meeting on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February.

### BAPTISM PREPARATION MEETING

The **next meeting** for parents of children to be baptised during the month of March will take place on **Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February at 8pm** in the parish house. There are two occasions for Baptisms in the parish: on the First Saturday of each month during the 6.30pm family mass and on the Third Saturday of the Month at 7.15pm, after mass. To make arrangements for Baptism please contact the parish office at 4542425.

### PARISH SAFEGUARDING.

A meeting of the parish safeguarding committee will take place next Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February. Parish Safeguarding representatives: Alice O’Connell and Breda O’Hara, and parish priest David Corrigan will attend. The Parish Safeguarding Audit needs to be completed and submitted to the Dublin Diocese by the 31<sup>st</sup> March 2019. If you have any safeguarding concerns please bring them to the attention of Alice, Breda or David.

### MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE

#### PILGRIMAGES

Information concerning pilgrimages to Medjugorje can be found on the notice board at the back of the church.