THE PARISH TEAM:

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MASS INTENTIONS

6.30pm Vigil: Breda Dooley (MM)

Breda Haughton (1stA)

Other Anniversaries: Oonagh Casey (1st A)

Marie Gorman (1st A)

Sean Ray (2nd A)

10.00am: Tess Brewster (A)

11.00am: Frank Molloy (1st A)

12.30pm: 60th Anniversary of the foundation of the Donore Ave District Credit Union and mass for its deceased members.

Monday 29th

10.00 am Betty McNamara (A) 7.30 pm Maureen Cluskey (A)

Tuesday 30th St Aidan

10.00am

Wednesday 31st St John Bosco

10.00am Mass for the Sick

Thursday 1st February St Brigid 10.00am

Friday 2nd Presentation of the Lord 10.00am Altar List of the Dead

Saturday 3rd St Blaise

10.00am Andrew O'Connor (birthday rem)

Confession

Confession is available on request. Please contact any of the priests.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA:

Sunday 4th February 2018

6.30pm Vigil: Lorraine O'Donoghue /

Geraldine Harrington

10.00am: Sr Eleanor / Sr Maura

11.00am: Eabha Cronin 12.30pm: Margaret Gibney

MASS INTENTIONS FEB 4TH 2018

6.30pm Vigil: Nobert Conlon (A)

Other Anniversaries: Jack Buchan (1st A)

Alan Kelly (6th)

10.00am: Oonagh Casey (1st A)

11.00am: Connie & Gerry Mooney (A)

12.30pm: Barney Bramley (A)

Edward Nugent (A) Mary Nugent (A)

ENVELOPE COLLECTION €850

SHARE COLLECTION €360

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

Cups of tea/coffee, chat and company.

- Thursdays in the parish Kingdom Café, through the sacristy after the 10am mass.
- Friday 2nd February: The Donore
 Community Centre welcomes
 everyone for a cup of coffee or tea
 from 9.15am to about 11.30am.
 People also may wish to use the
 opportunity to see more of the centre,
 to hear about its activities, or to ask
 questions of the staff.

READERS ROTA:

Sunday 4th February 2018

6.30pm Vigil: Margaret Lynch

10.00am: Helen Bennett 11.00am: Celine Aherne 12.30pm: Mairead Molloy

<u>NOTICES</u>: 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*

Cleaning of the Church

Each week on Wednesdays and Thursdays after the 10 am mass, a team of volunteers cleans the church. If you have an hour or so to spare each week, and would be willing to give a hand, it would make a great difference. Many thanks. Fr. David.

Prayers for Deceased: Please remember in your prayers Brendan Lynch late of Donore Rd., whose funeral took place last Tuesday 23rd January. May he rest in peace.

Recently Baptised: Lana Alice Spriggs, Fletcher Joeboy Conlon and Ruby Grace Donegan-Smith. We wish Lana, Fletcher, Ruby and their families every blessing for the future.

Strictly Come Dancing

Donore Avenue 35th Scouts celebrate their 90th year with a "Strictly" fundraising event designed to ensure the future sustainability of the Scout Group. The Group has 120 young people (aged 6-25) and is supported by 30 adult Scouters. Fr. John O Gara will be one of the Dancers! Please support him & the Scouts. Tickets are available to attend the Event at the Red Cow on Sunday 18th March at 8.00pm or simply sponsor Fr. John's twinklingtoes. [More information on the church notice board]

The Annual Collection for ACCORD the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, will be taken up at all Masses on the weekend of 17th & 18th

February 2018 and will replace the usual SHARE Collection.

Weekly Envelope Collection for our Parish.

Many parishioners and friends of St Teresa's contribute to the running costs of the parish by means of a weekly envelope. These Church Envelopes for 2018 are available now, after all Masses this weekend at the back of the church. This envelope collection is the primary source of income for the parish and we are grateful for all contributions. If for whatever reason you have not taken envelopes up to now I would be grateful if you would consider taking a box for this year. It really makes a terrific difference.

Envelopes can be returned through a collector or during mass. If returned during mass these envelopes are separated from the first collection and the share collection later.

The First Collection and the SHARE collection are sent to the Dublin Diocese for financing the wider needs of the diocese.

Save the Date - The Archdiocese of Dublin's Knock Pilgrimage will take place on Saturday April 21st, 2018. Theme: "We are Pilgrims – Knock invites us to Healing and Peace". Full programme to be announced soon.

Dates for the Diary

- ➤ Thursday February 1st: next meeting for the preparation of baptism at 8pm in the parish house. Parents, whose babies are being baptised (and Godparents) are invited to attend. Baptisms in February are on Saturday 3rd at 7.15pm and Sunday 18th at 3.30pm.
- Friday 2nd February: Presentation of the Lord: This mass will include the blessing of candles for the parish and for the family home. Parishioners and friends of St Teresa's are invited to bring in candles for your homes to be blessed. Candles to be blessed can be left in the sacristy this weekend or the weekdays before the 2nd February. Baskets will be provided.
- Saturday 3rd February: St Blaise the Blessing of Throats will take place after the masses at 10am and 6.30pm.
- ➤ Sunday 11th February: World Day of prayer for the Sick, Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. The annual parish Mass for the Sick will be celebrated at12.30pm with anointing of the sick, followed by refreshments. If you are aware of anyone who needs a lift in order to come to this mass, please let us know and we will do our best to arrange something.
- ➤ Tuesday 13th February: Parish Liturgy Committee Meeting at 6.30pm in the parish house
- Thursday 15th February: Parish Pastoral Council meeting, at 8.00pm in the parish house.
- ➤ Thursday 22nd February: The Parish Area Meeting for the Parishioners and friends of St Teresa's Parish who live in the general area of the Tenters will take place in Scoil Treasa Naofa on at 7.30pm.

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.

From the Official Family Prayer for WMOF 2018 - for prayer at home

Increase our faith, strengthen our hope, keep us safe in your love, make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share. This we ask, through Christ Our Lord.