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The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

24th June 2018

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MASS INTENTIONS

6.30 pm Vigil: Kay Byrne (A)

Patrick Ryan Rec. Dec. in Thailand (Reception of

Ashes)

Other anniversary:

Stella Harper (1st A) Agnes Farrell (A) Tom McGee (A)

10.00 am:

Josephine Purfield (A)

11.00 am:

12.30 pm: Mary Honor Keegan (3rd A)

Monday 25th

10.00 am Special Intention 7.30 pm Special Intention

Tuesday 26th

10.00 am Agnes Farrell (A)

Wednesday 27th St Cyril of Alexandria

10.00 am Mass for the Sick

Thursday 28th St Irenaeus 10.00 am

Friday 29th SS Peter and Paul Apostles

10.00 am Altar List of the Dead

Saturday 30th The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

10.00 am Declan Gallagher (A)

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA: Sunday 1st July 2018

6.30pm Vigil: Breda Whelan & Rita Sullivan
10.00am: Rita Frawley & Lily Curtis
11.00am: Theresa Doyle & Niamh McCarthy

12.30pm: Derek Singleton & Sharon Hicks

MASS INTENTIONS 1⁵¹ JULY 2018

6.30 pm Vigil: Francis Murray (11th A)

Other anniversary: Rita Leavy (Rec. Dec. in USA)

10.00 am: Teddy Corcoran

11.00 am: Maureen Phillips (Rec. Dec.)

12.30 pm: Robert & Lorraine Blake (A)

ENVELOPE COLLECTION €920

1st COLLECTION €385

WMOF 2018 COLLECTION €725

<u>Thank you</u> 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

WMOF 2018: The Fourth National Collection for the World Meeting of Families 2018 was held last week 16th/17th June and replaced the Share collection.

Pope Francis has personally chosen Dublin to be the host diocese for the World Meeting of Families from 21-26 August 2018. Hosting this important event requires an enormous amount of planning and funding. In this regard a fourth national collection was held last weekend. Your support for this collection is greatly appreciated.

READERS ROTA: Sunday 1st July 2018

6.30pm Vigil: Margaret Lynch 10.00am: Helen Bennett 11.00am: Francis Foley 12.30pm: Mairead Molloy

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*

ORDINATION OF TOM **KOUIJZER** Last weekend Tom Kouijzer SM was ordained priest and celebrated his first mass in his home parish in the Basilica of Hulst in the Netherlands. Frs John and David along with six others from Donore Parish were present for the celebrations. It was a wonderful celebration with Tom's family, friends, neighbours, Marist Confreres from around Europe and local people. A reception was held in the Basilica not unlike the way we use the back of St Teresa's for receptions. The Basilica and town of Hulst are beautiful and the weather was wonderful also. Some photo's of the occasion are on display at the church.

We wish Tom every blessing and happiness for this new stage in the service of the Gospel at the beginning of his priestly ministry.

This Sunday Tom will celebrate his first Mass with us in Donore Avenue at 12.30pm. This will include the opportunity to receive the First Blessing of the Newly Ordained Priest. There will be refreshments after mass. All are welcome. As was previously announced, Tom has been re-appointed to Donore Ave for the years ahead.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of Maureen Phillips late of Ebenezer Terrace, Noel Masterson of Rutland Grove and Patrick Ryan formally of St Teresa's Garden's, who died in Thailand. May they rest in peace.

KNOCK PILGRIMAGE (14th of July)

The parish pilgrimage to Knock, will take place on Saturday the 14th of July. Cost: €40 Booking forms are available at the back of the church and can be handed in to any of the Parish Team.

NEW MINISTERS OF THE WORD ROTA

The new Ministers of the Word Rota can be collected in the sacristy after any of the masses.

REGISTRATION FOR SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMMES 2018-2019

Registration for the parish sacramental programmes preparing children to receive the sacraments of first Holy Communion and Confirmation continues. Registration forms are available from the parish office.

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.

DATES FOR THE DIARY.

- Sunday 24th June at 12.30: First Mass in St Teresa's Church of Tom Kouijzer SM.
- Thursday 5th July at 8.00: Preparation Meeting for Baptism for parents (and godparents) whose children are being baptised on Saturday 7th July at 7.15pm and Sunday 15th July at 3.30pm.
- Friday 6th July at 7pm: next meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council.
- > Saturday 14th of July: Parish pilgrimage to Knock. Cost €40.
- > Tuesday 4th September: Next Liturgy Committee Meeting at 6.30pm.

WMOF 2018 PRAYER PETITIONS BOX

Prayer petitions can be left in the WMOF 2018 Prayer Petitions Box at the information stand at the back of the church.

SCOIL TREASA NAOFA SCHOOL

The school year is coming to an end, and for some primary school is finishing and secondary school beckons. The Final Mass for the school year is on Monday 25th June at 10am in St Teresa's church. The Graduation mass is on 27th June at 11.15am in Scoil Treasa. We wish everyone: Pupils, Staff and Parents a wonderful summer break

LOURDES FUND APPEAL

The parish Lourdes Fund for the Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage continues its collections over the coming weeks. Jean McDonald and Geraldine Conlon will be at the back of the church after masses to accept donations during the coming months.

NEW HYMN BOOKLET

For the Ordinary Time of the Church's liturgical year we have a new hymn booklet. Please take one and join us in the singing.

- Singing is the sign of the Heart's joy (Acts 2:46)
- St Augustine says: 'Singing is for one who loves'.
- There is also the ancient proverb: "One who sings well prays twice".

CHOIRS: SUMMER BREAK

The Junior and Senior Choirs will take their summer break after the weekend of the 1st July, for the months of July and August. Heartfelt thanks to the members of both choirs for their dedication and faithful leadership of the parish singing during the year

DATA PROTECTION (GDPR)

Baptism Certs: – Proof of Identity (Photo ID only) is needed when collecting a Baptismal Certificate. If you are collecting a Baptismal Cert and are not the parent you must have a letter of authorisation as well as photo ID.