

SIXTH PASTORAL PARCEL

Thank you for your feedback on the parcels! The sixth parcel comes with this newsletter, with prayer, and with information about **the re-opening of the church and the new routine for mass in public!**

Congratulations to Simon Kenny and Monica Aguilon Ayala at the occasion of their church wedding here in St. Teresa's on the 25th of June!

PARISH COMMITTEES

The parish team and the committees (PPC, Liturgy, & Finance) are continuing their work via e-mail, phone and other social media. You find some information in this parcel.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Finally we can celebrate! This will be done in three masses, Saturday, 12pm, 8th, 15th, and 22nd of July.

BAPTISMS: Baptisms for one child, with up to 25 people present is possible. Please contact us about this, we would be delighted to facilitate this. As we can only do one baptism at a time, we will try to facilitate more opportunities and times.

FUNERALS:

Attendance is now widened to up to 25 members of close family. People standing outside the church before and after funerals honouring the deceased are asked to keep the social distance of two meters between each other.

ADORATION IN OUR CHURCH:

Thank you for creating such a prayerful atmosphere in our church in the afternoons. It was like a monastery in secular city. We return to the normal adoration time on Tuesday morning after mass.

MONTH OF THE SACRED HEART:

June is traditionally dedicated to the Sacred Heart. In this parcel we offer reflections based on five short videos on our *facebook* page.

NEWLY BAPTIZED:

Congratulations to Nathan Robinson and Chloe Fallon and their families on the Christening of their son Romi on Saturday 20th June 2020. We wish them every blessing for the future.

PARISH PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT

Meetings have continued about this to finalise legal contracts, and design specifications for the new Parish house and Parish Pastoral Centre. It is hoped that planning documents can be submitted within the next few months.

THANK YOU! The Parish Team & Marist Community would like to thank everyone who contacted us to wish us well and to ask how we are doing. That is great support.

THANK YOU! For all donations (Envelopes, shrines, diocese, Easter Dues, Trocaire, St Vincent de Paul, once-off donations).

THANK YOU! We here about much mutual help in the neighbourhoods of the parish area. Support being offered in so many different ways. Great! Please pick up the phone if you are in need.

Coronavirus HELPLINE for older people 0818 222 024. If you have concerns or queries about COVID 19 call ALONE's dedicated Helpline everyday 8am – 8pm.

DOCUMENTATION PANDEMIC 2020

In different ways we try to document the experience of the pandemic in our parish as others institutions like Dublin City Council do. You may have your own 'time capsule'.

MARIST PILGRIMAGE TO FRANCE

The pilgrimage is postponed to next year because of the pandemic. Those who registered should have received information from the travel agent. If not, please contact the parish house or Joe Walsh Tours. Deposits are valid for next year or could become vouchers for any other tour with Joe Walsh. Refunds are more difficult to obtain.

LEAVING CERT EXPERIENCE

Catherine Clarke, Exams and Beyond Exams, in *The Sacred Heart Messenger* June 2020, Pages 44-45, are very helpful when dealing with Leaving Cert!

CHURCH GUIDE ST. TERESA

Ring the parish house to arrange for a copy. 1 copy for 10 Euro/2 copies for 15 Euro. When it is possible to hold bigger gatherings again now that that church is opening for public mass, we will have a parish launch of the Church Guide that Fr Alois has written. But for now it not possible. The guide however is very much available from the parish house.

ANSWERS TO 'QUIZ' IN THE LAST NEWSLETTER:

Thomas O'Riordan was the first parish priest (1946); Canon Peter Hayes who had our church built; Mother Theresa; Patrick Mannion: windows Sacred Heart shrine, sacristy door, plaque on a pew; (cf. Church Guide).