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8th Sunday in Ordinary Time

3rd March 2019

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MASS INTENTIONS

6.30 pm: Thomas Tyndall (MM)

Other Anniversaries:

Mary Power (23rd A) Thomas Holt (25th A)

Harry Haggan (3rd A) 10.00 am:

11.00 am: **Edward and Margaret Crowe**

12.30 pm: **Christine Moorhouse (MM)**

Monday 4th 10.00 am

7.30 pm For those who received

Marist Christmas cards

Friends of St Teresa's

Tuesday 5th

10.00 am

Wednesday 6th ASH WEDNESDAY

10.00 am Mass for the Sick 7.30 pm Liam Foran

Thursday 7th

Esther and Kevin Beattie (A) 10.00 am 7.30 pm Altar List of the Dead

Friday 8th

St. John of God For Parishioners and 10.00 am

7.30 pm

Saturday 9th

10.00 am

MASS INTENTIONS 10TH MARCH 2019

6.30pm:

George Gibney (A)

Other Anniversaries:

10.00am:

Thomas McGuire (A)

11.00am:

Deceased members of the **Barry and Cleary families**

12.30pm:

Thomas Mason and parents

Thomas and Mary Mason

ENVELOPE COLLECTION €1.090 1st COLLECTION €465 ACCORD COLLECTION €375

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.



EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA: Sunday 10th March 2019

6.30 pm Vigil: Breda Whelan & Rita Sullivan

Lilly Curtis 10.00 am:

11.00 am: Theresa Doyle & Niamh McCarthy

12.30 pm: Derek Singleton & Sharon Hicks

READERS ROTA: Sunday 10th March 2019

6.30 pm Vigil: Donal Bergin

10.00 am: 11.00 am:

Peggy Lynch Celine Aherne

12.30 pm:

Mairead Molloy

NOTICES: All notices for inclusion in the Parish Bulletin should be submitted in writing no later than Thursday Ipm to the Parish House or Sacristy. The newsletter can be read on line at www.donoreavenueparish.ie

MISSION APPEAL POSTPONED

Due to illness the mission appeal that was to be made at all masses this weekend by Sr Nuala Glynn, Franciscan Missionary, will not now take place. Hopefully a new date can be found for this appeal in the future.

ASH WEDNESDAY

Coming Wednesday (6th March) is Ash Wednesday. Ash Wednesday is intended as a day of fasting and abstinence. The placing of ashes will take place during the 10am morning mass and the 7.30pm evening mass.

LENT EVENING MASS

During the weekdays of Lent, mass will be celebrated 10am and 7.30pm. There will be no evening mass on Thursday 21st March (Lenten guided walk), Thursday 11th April (Lenten reflection evening), and Tuesday 16th April (penitential service).

A booklet with all the information and times for Lent and Easter will be made available in the back of the church.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

During the season of Lent, the Stations of the Cross will be said each Friday morning at 9.40am prior to the 10am mass.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of Mary Bokin, formerly of South Brown Street and Elizabeth Browne, formerly of Ringsend. May they rest in peace.

TAX REFUND IN FAVOUR OF THE PARISH

Support your parish via a tax refund on your donations! The Finance Act 2001 ('Scheme of Tax Relief for Donations to Charities and Eligible Bodies') allows a tax refund on donations in favour of our parish.

For the parish to benefit from this the **conditions** are:

- You must be paying income tax (either under PAYE or self-employed/self-assessment) –
- to be eligible, your donations per year are 250 Euros or more –
- To fill out a Parish Tax Rebate Form (CHY3) to confirm the donations given and
- To give permission that the tax refund goes to our parish.

If you would like to support the parish in this additional way, please collect a CHY3 form from the sacristy and return it to one of the parish team. If you are unsure of the amount you have contributed during the year, the Parish Priest call fill in this figure for you.

DATES FOR DIARY

- Tuesday 5th March at 6.15pm: Next meeting of the Liturgy Committee.
- Wednesday 6th March: Ash Wednesday
- Wednesday 6th March at 8.00pm: Next Patricians meeting.
- > Saturday 9th March at 6.30pm: Ceremony of Light for the confirmation children and families will be celebrated during mass.
- Thursday 14th March at 11.30am: Celebration of Confirmation.
- > Thursday 21st March at 7.30pm: Lenten guided walk in the church.
- Monday 25th March at 8.00pm: Next Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) meeting.
- > Thursday 11th April at 7.30pm: Lenten reflection evening
- Tuesday 16th April at 7.30pm: Penitential service with individual confession.
- > Sunday 12th May at 12.30pm: Celebration of First Holy Communion.

NEXT PATRICIANS MEETING

The next Patricians discussion meeting will take place in the parish house on **Wednesday 6th March** at 8pm. The topic will be *Lent and the Art of Living*.

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.

SAFEGUARDING: ADVANCE NOTICE

Following a review of Parish Safeguarding procedures by the Parish Safeguarding Committee last Tuesday: it is time for the parish vetting and training registers to be updated. It is the policy of the Dublin Diocese that vetting for all parish volunteers be renewed every three years. Vetting for parish volunteers in St Teresa's was last completed in 2015/16, so it is time now to renew vetting for all volunteers. In relation to safeguarding training, all those working directly with children need to renew their training. Last September 18th and 20th all volunteers completed the required 90 minute safeguarding information session. More information later.