

THE PARISH TEAM:

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MASS INTENTIONS

6.30pm: William Smyth (62nd A)
Laurence Flynn (MM)

Other Anniversaries: Dessie Carmichael (A)
Kay Holt (5th A)

10.00am: John Cantwell (A)

11.00am: Madge Murphy (1st A)

12.30pm: Thomas O'Doherty (1st A)

Monday 14th

10.00am: Altar List of the Dead
7.30pm: Marie Fitzgerald (A)

Tuesday 15th St. Teresa of Avila

10.00am: Keith Marmion (A)

Wednesday 16th

10.00am: Des O'Neill (1st A)

Thursday 17th St. Ignatius of Antioch

10.00am: Mass for the Sick

Friday 18th St. Luke, Evangelist

10.00am: Mass of Thanksgiving to God
for the goodness of the
people of St. Teresa's
parish to Sr. Eilish, during her
recent illness.

Saturday 19th

10.00 am

MASS INTENTIONS 20th OCTOBER 2019

6.30pm:

Other Anniversaries:

10.00am: Mary & Liam Browne (A)

11.00am: John Howe (6th A)

12.30pm: Chrissie & Sean Nugent (A)

<u>ENVELOPE COLLECTION</u>	€990
<u>1st COLLECTION</u>	€485
<u>SHARE COLLECTION</u>	€310

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA:**
20th October 2019

6.30 pm Vigil: Breda Whelan & Rita Sullivan
10.00 am: Lilly Curtis
11.00 am: Theresa Doyle & Niamh McCarthy
12.30 pm: Sharon Hicks

READERS ROTA:
20th October 2019

6.30 pm Vigil: Margaret Lynch
10.00 am: Kay & Noel Clarke
11.00 am: Angela Moylan
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*

PARISH TEAM

As you know there were changes in the parish office this year with the retirement of Teresa McGinley as parish secretary. We are delighted that Jean Fitzpatrick and Denise McDermott have taken on various aspects of this role on a voluntary basis.

Also Sam Byrne has been appointed on a permanent basis as Parish Pastoral Assistant. Equally we are delighted that Sam will be with us into the future.

POSSIBLE CHANGES TO PARISH PROPERTY

With the immanent developments in Player Wills / Bailey Gibson site and the continued redevelopment of the St Teresa's Gardens site, the parish has been approached about facilitating the development of sports facilities for the local area.

This could result in changes to the church property. When there is definite information on this, we will bring it to meetings of Parish Pastoral Council, the Parish Finance committee and a wider local meeting of parishioners and friends of St Teresa's Parish. Such developments could be hugely positive for the local area without reducing the parish resources.

AN EVENING OF CHORAL MUSIC

You are invited to an Evening of Choral Music, here in St Teresa's Church on next **Sunday the 20th October at 8pm**. The Choral Music will be provided by **Cantairí Óga Átha Cliath** – a Female Voice choir based in Rathmines. Free admission. The evening's event will be for one hour. There are more details about the choir and the event on the notice boards.

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE DECEASED

The annual mass for the deceased will take place on **Sunday 3rd November at 11am**. All families who have lost someone in the past year will be invited to attend. There will be more details about this over the next few weeks.

PASTORAL PLAN REVIEW

In 2015 a parish wide consultation took place that resulted in the development of a pastoral plan 2016-2019 which will expire at the end of the year. The Parish Team and Parish Pastoral Council are proposing a review of the implementation of that plan, taking into account what has been achieved and what remains to be done, that will result in a new plan for 2020 – 2025. We invite you to make any suggestions you have on this, using the sheets available at the back of the church. You can return them to any member of the parish team or hand them into the sacristy or parish house.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

- **Monday 14th October at 8.00pm:** Next Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) meeting.
- **Tuesday 15th October at 7.30:** Information evening "Praying with Children."
- **Sunday 20th October at 8.00pm:** Evening of Choral Music in the church by Cantairí Óga Átha Cliath.
- **Sunday 3rd November at 11.00am:** Annual mass for the deceased.
- **Tuesday 5th November at 6.00pm:** Next Liturgy Committee meeting.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Patrick Thompson, late of Maxwell Street. May he rest in peace.

PRAYING WITH CHILDREN

An information evening to explore different ways to pray with children will be held on Tuesday the **15th October at 7.30pm in the church**. The evening will be led by Sam from the parish team. All are welcome, especially if you find yourself in the position of wanting to or being expected to pray with children.

A WORD OF THANKS FROM SR. EILISH

Sr. Eilish writes to the parishioners and friends of St. Teresa's:

"Thank you for your kind words and your good wishes, for remembering me, and visiting me. Your support and prayers over the last three months meant so much to me. I pray God to bless each one of you and all your loved ones. A Mass of Thanksgiving will be offered on Friday 18th October at 10am."

CHURCH BELL

Thanks to the revenue generated by the **tax reclaim for 2018** from donations through the weekly envelopes, work has begun on the **church bell** during the week. Over the next while the bell will gradually be reintroduced for mass times, the angelus and for funerals.

MARIST PILGRIMAGE TO PARIS & LISIEUX

A **Marist pilgrimage** from Dublin to Paris and Lisieux in France will take place from Wednesday 3 June to Sunday 7 June. It will include visits to the **Shrine of the Miraculous Medal in Rue de Bac** and places associated with the **life of St. Thérèse**. The tour will be led by **Fr. Jimmy McElroy SM**. For further information, see the posters on the notice board and call Fr. Jimmy on 087 989 4046 or contact any member of the parish team.