

THE PARISH TEAM:

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MASS INTENTIONS

6.30 pm Vigil: Michael Connell (2nd A), his late wife Carmel Connell (née Kelly)

Other anniversaries: Dessie Brady (4th A)
Patrick & Frances Rowland (A)
Padraig O' Flaherty (10th A)
Phyllis Kinsella (1st A)

10.00 am:

11.00 am:

12.30 pm: Liam Hyland senior (A)

Monday 3th St. Gregory the Great

10.00 am Special Intention

7.30 pm Special Intention

Tuesday 4th

10.00 am Chynnah Curtis & Rita O' Dowd (A)

Wednesday 5th St. Teresa of Kolkata

10.00 am Mass for the Sick

Thursday 6th

10.00 am Special Intention

Friday 7th

10.00 am Altar List of the Dead

Saturday 8th Nativity of the B.V. Mary

10.00 am Special Intention

MASS INTENTIONS 9TH SEPTEMBER 2018

6.30 pm Vigil: Adele O'Mara (1st A)
Jimmy Fullam (MM)
Catherine Proudfoot (MM)

Other anniversaries:

10.00 am: Keith Marmion (A)

11.00 am: Thomas Dooley (A)

12.30 pm:

ENVELOPE COLLECTION € 745

1st COLLECTION € 345

SHARE COLLECTION € 275

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.

The proof of love is in the works. Where love exists, it works great things. But when it ceases to act, it ceases to exist.

-Saint Gregory the Great

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA:

Sunday 9th September 2018

6.30pm Vigil: Alice O'Connell & Tom McKenna

10.00am: Jean McDonald

11.00am: Vincent Reilly & Pauline Bresnan

12.30pm: Alice Blake & Breda O'Hara

READERS ROTA:

Sunday 9th September 2018

6.30pm Vigil: Margaret Lynch

10.00am: Helen Bennett

11.00am: Deirdre & John Kinahan

12.30pm: Deirdre Farrell

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*

SHOWING OF PAPAL MASS IN THE CHURCH

We thank all those who helped to make the showing of the Papal Mass in the church into a great success. Over 90 people attended the event which created a wonderful sense of connection with Pope Francis and those celebrating in the Phoenix Park.

FEAST OF SAINT MOTHER TERESA

The Missionaries of Charity invite everyone to the celebration of the feast day of Saint Teresa of Kolkata. The Mass of the saint will be celebrated in the church on **Wednesday 5th September at 7pm** followed by refreshments in the back of the church.

MASS WITH THE RELICS OF STS LOUIS AND ZELIE MARTIN (WHITEFRIAR STREET)

For the occasion of the World Meeting of Family the relics of Louis and Zélie Martin (Saint Teresa's parents) have been visiting Ireland. The visit will be concluded by a solemn Mass in Whitefriar Street Church on **Saturday 8th of September at 3pm**. Fr. Tom will represent our parish at this festive occasion and all are invited to attend.

TEA/COFFEE/CHAT IN THE MORNING

Wednesdays: in the Donore Youth and Community centre from 10am – 12o'clock

Thursdays: in the meeting room behind the church sacristy after the 10am mass

SAFEGUARDING - PARISH TRAINING

The Dublin Diocese Safeguarding procedures include that all parish volunteers avail of a session of safeguarding training. Parish volunteers include the following: Ministers of the Word and Eucharist, Altar Society and Church Cleaners, Finance Committee (incl. counters, church & street collectors), Liturgy Committee, Parish Pastoral Council, Sacristans and other parish volunteers. We have booked the diocesan trainer for the two nights of **Tuesday 18th and Thursday 20th of September** and we ask each parish volunteer to register for one of the nights. A sign-on list is available in the sacristy. Our two parish safeguarding representatives, Breda O'Hara and Alice O'Connell, have a separate training day on the 8th of September. Safeguarding of children and vulnerable adults in the church is everybody's responsibility but is a particular responsibility for those who in some way are seen as representing the church.

PARISH BBQ

Our annual parish BBQ will take place next Sunday the 9th of September after the 12.30pm. All are invited to come along. As in previous years the event will be greatly assisted by the 35th Donore Scout Troop.

DONORE COMMUNITY CENTRE BBQ

Donore Community & Youth Centre invites everyone to their end of summer BBQ on **Friday 7th September from 5pm to 7pm** on the roof garden of the Centre.

DATES FOR DIARY

- **Monday 3rd September:** the Monday evening mass resumes at 7.30pm
- **Tuesday 4th September at 6.30pm:** Next Liturgy Committee Meeting.
- **Wednesday 5th September at 7.00pm:** Mass of the Feast of Saint Mother Teresa of Kolkata with refreshments afterwards.
- **Thursday 6th of September at 7.30pm:** Next meeting for the Croí Nua Programme in the parish house.
- **Sunday 9th September:** Parish BBQ after the 12.30 mass.
- **Thursday 13th September:** Meeting for parents of those registering children for first Communion and Confirmation Sacramental preparation.
- **Tuesday 18th & Thursday 20th September:** evenings for safeguarding training for all parish volunteers.

PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR LOURDES

Please give to Jean McDonald any prayer petitions you would like her to bring to Lourdes. She will also pray especially for all those who contributed to our parish Lourdes Fund Appeal.

MOMENTS OF PRAYER IN OUR CHURCH

Rosary: Every weekday after the 10am mass.

Novena of the Miraculous Medal: Monday during the 10am mass.

Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesday after 10am mass until 12.30pm. Can you stay or return this morning for ten / fifteen minutes to pray?

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. **On Thursday 13th September, 7.30pm**, there will be an information and planning meeting for parents in the back of the parish church.

BACK TO SCHOOL

We wish all children returning to school every blessing for the year ahead.

God of wisdom and might,
we praise you for the wonder of our being,
for mind, body and spirit.
Be with our children as they begin
a new school year.
Bless them and their teachers and staff.
Give them strength and grace as their bodies grow;
wisdom and knowledge to their minds
as they search for understanding;
and peace and zeal to their hearts.
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.