

THE PARISH TEAM:

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MASS INTENTIONS

6.30 pm Vigil: Ray Hickey (6th A)
Other anniversaries: Paddy McKenzie (13th A)
Jimmy Nolan (5th A)
Jenny Quinn (74th A)

10.00 am: Fr Charles Ryan (A)

11.00 am: Walter Kennedy (RIP)

12.30 pm: The deceased members
of the Leddy & Flaherty
families

Monday 1st St. Thérèse of Lisieux

10.00 am

7.30 pm Marie & Paddy Hicks
(A)

Tuesday 2nd Holy Guardian Angels

10.00 am Tom & Maura McManus
(A)

Wednesday 3rd St. Columba Marmion

10.00 am Mass for the Sick

Thursday 4th St. Francis of Assisi

10.00 am Carmel Crehan

Friday 5th St. Faustina Kowalska

10.00 am Special Intention

Saturday 6th St. Bruno

10.00 am Altar List of the Dead

MASS INTENTIONS 7th OCTOBER 2018

6.30 pm Vigil: Rose O'Gorman
(Birthday
Remembrance)

Other anniversaries: Keith Marmion (A)

10.00 am: Michael & Jane Power

11.00 am: Ned & Anne Aherne

12.30 pm:

ENVELOPE COLLECTION € 921

1st COLLECTION € 410

SHARE COLLECTION € 410

*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.*

“If every tiny flower
wanted to be a rose,
spring would lose its
loveliness.”

-Saint Thérèse

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA:

Sunday 7th October 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 7th October 2018

6.30pm Vigil: Helen Sweeney

10.00am: Sr. Eilish

11.00am: Antoinette Doyle

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*

TRIDUUM FOR SAINT TERESA

This weekend the parish celebrates the annual **Triduum** for our patron **Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus**. The **three Masses** of the Triduum will take place at the following times and will each have a **different speaker** who will talk about the **importance of faith in their lives**:

Saturday 29th September 6.30pm: Ms. Mags O'Shea,
 Sunday 30th September 11am: Mr. Brian Dooney
 Monday 1st October 7.30pm: Fr. Sean McArdle SM

MINISTERS OF THE WORD ROTA

A new Ministers of the Word Rota is now available for collection in the sacristy.

PATRICIANS DISCUSSION MEETING

The next Patricians Discussion Meeting will take place in the parish house on Wednesday the 3rd of October at 8pm. The topic is: *St. Thérèse of Lisieux*.

COFFEE MORNING FOR O.L. HOSPICE

A word of thanks to Phyllis Masterson, Tina Mills and team for organizing the **coffee morning for Our Lady's Hospice**. A word of thanks as well to all who participated and contributed. An impressive total of **€500** was raised for Our Lady's Hospice.

DUBLIN DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

The parish received a letter from the pilgrimage director of the **Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes**. He thanks Jean McDonald and Geraldine Conlon for their commitment to promoting the pilgrimage and all the parishioners for their generous contribution: **€860** in total. **178 sick pilgrims** from all over the Dublin diocese were brought to Lourdes. These sick pilgrims were under the care of volunteer doctors, nurses and helpers who gave generously of their time to care for them in Lourdes. At Easter, **25 children** travelled to Lourdes with the **Diocesan Children's Pilgrimage**. Mass was offered for the intentions of all who contributed to the pilgrimage.

MASS INTENTION BOOK 2019

The **Mass Intention Book for 2019** is now available in the parish house to register mass intentions.

BAPTISM PREPARATION MEETING

The next preparation meeting for parents of children that will be baptised in our parish in October will take place on **Thursday 4 October at 8pm** in the parish house.

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE DECEASED

The annual Mass for the deceased will take place on **Sunday 4th November at 11am**. All families who have lost someone in the past year will be 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.

DATES FOR DIARY

- **Saturday 29th September 6.30pm, Sunday 30th September 11am & Monday 1st October 7.30pm:** Triduum of Saint Teresa of the Child Jesus.
- **Tuesday 2nd October at 6.30pm:** Next Liturgy Committee Meeting.
- **Wednesday 3rd October at 8pm:** Next Patricians Discussion Meeting.
- **Thursday 4th October at 7.30pm:** Next Parish Pastoral Council Meeting.
- **Thursday 4th October at 8pm:** Baptism Preparation Meeting.
- **Saturday 13th October at 6.30pm:** Enrolment Mass for First Holy Communion.
- **Saturday 20th October at 6.30pm:** Enrolment Mass for Confirmation.
- **Sunday 4th November at 11am:** Annual Mass for the deceased.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMMES 2018-2019

Our pastoral assistant Sam is preparing 14 children this year for the sacrament of Confirmation, and 18 children for the sacrament of First Holy Communion. The Enrolment Mass for First Holy Communion is on the 13th October and for Confirmation the 20th October at the Saturday evening Family Masses.

NATIONAL PILGRIM STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA IN THE PARISH

The national pilgrim statue of **Our Lady of Fatima** currently travels through Ireland. It is a beautiful hand-carved image of Our Lady given to Ireland by the bishop of Fatima and blessed by Pope Paul VI in 1967. The statue is currently in the **chapel of the Missionaries of Charity (223 South Circular Road)** until November 28th 2018. Anyone wishing to visit the chapel for prayer is welcome at the following hours:

Morning: 8am – 12pm / Afternoon: 3pm – 7pm

The statue is accompanied by the **relics of St. Francisco Marto and St. Jacinta Marto** (two of the children to whom Our Lady appeared).

MOMENTS OF PRAYER IN OUR CHURCH

Rosary: Every weekday after the 10am mass.

Novena of the Miraculous Medal: Monday during the 10am and 7.30pm mass.

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

PRAYER TO THE LITTLE FLOWER

O Little Thérèse of the Child Jesus, please pick for me a rose from the heavenly gardens and send it to me as a message of love. O Little Flower of Jesus, ask God to grant the favours I now place with confidence in your hands...

St. Thérèse, help me to always believe as you did in God's great love for me, so that I might imitate your *Little Way* each day. Amen.