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## **Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

13th September 2020

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## MASS INTENTIONS

6.30 pm: David Nesbitt (A)

10.00 am: For foreign missions

11.00 am: Tony Livesey (3<sup>rd</sup> A)

**12.30 pm:** Jim Nesbitt (A)

# Monday 14th Exaltation of the Holy Cross

**10.00 am:** Betty Wilson (Birthday) For the foreign missions

Tuesday 15th Our Lady of Sorrows

10.00 am: Special Intention

# Wednesday 16th Ss Cornelius and Cyprian

10.00 am: Mass for the Sick

Thursday 17th

10.00 am: Altar List of the Dead

Friday 18th

10.00 am: Sheila Cunningham (4<sup>th</sup> A)

Saturday 19th

10.00 am: Fr. Charles Ryan (A)

**CONFESSION:** A priest will be available at the back of the church for a short period after the 10am mass, for those who wish to go to confession.

# **EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA:**

20th September 2020

6.30pm Breda Whelan & Rita Sullivan

10am Lily Curtis

11am Phyllis Masterson12.30pm Sharon Hicks

# MASS INTENTIONS 20 SEPTEMBER 2020

6.30 pm: Harry Kearney (A)

Other Anniversaries: Tony Curtis (A)

10.00 am: Louise Walsh (A)

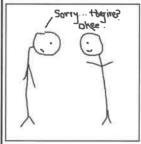
11.00 am: Carmel Morrissey (Rec.Dec.)

12.30 pm: Susan (Susie) Reilly (1<sup>st</sup> A)

# ENVELOPE COLLECTION €1100 $1^{st}$ COLLECTION € 245 SHARE COLLECTION € 195

Donations for FIRST and SHARE collections and weekly envelopes can be put <u>into the safe</u> in the middle of the church.





How often must I forgive.....?

# **READERS ROTA:**

20th September 2020

6.30pm Helen Sweeney
10am Helen Bennett
11am April Cronin
12.30pm Catherine Power

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

#### GUIDANCE FOR PUBLIC MASS

Parish churches need to continue to do all in our power to ensure the following of public health guidance at our public masses. Thank you for all your assistance with this very important matter. If you are concerned about anything in relation to the guidance and our procedures please bring it to the attention of one of the parish team. A Big thank you to all the volunteer stewards who are guiding us so well through all this.

## THIS WEEK'S REMINDER:

**SOCIAL GATHERINGS:** The advice could not be stronger for Dubliners this week: from the President, the Taoiseach, the Archbishop, the chief Medical Officer – cut down on the number of our social contacts and gatherings, to help prevent the spread of the virus.

<u>COLLECTIONS</u>: Donations are welcome before or after mass in the safe in the back of the church. You may also give it to one of the priests.

## **MASS INTENTIONS:**

In order to ensure our numbers we are only having single intentions for masses. If you are unsure about the number to inform or invite to an anniversary mass in the church, please check with one of the parish team.

**OPEN CHURCH**: The church is open every day for mass and private prayer from 9.00am to about 5pm. We have the opening hours under review.

EXPOSITION- of the Blessed Sacrament: from 10.30 am - 12.30 pm on Tuesdays (unless there is a funeral that day).

**ROSARY:** after 10am mass each day: Mon – Sat.

## **MONDAY EVENING MASS**

The Monday evening mass at 7.30pm is back. In line with the review of the Parish Pastoral Plan, special family masses, anniversary masses, etc. may also be celebrated on other evenings by arrangement with a member of the parish team.

## **SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION**

Registration is open for sacramental preparation for the sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation, which is run directly in the parish by Sam Byrne. All safeguarding protocols will be followed. St Catherine's and Griffith Barracks schools have been informed and they have notified parents. Application forms are ready to be collected.

#### **PARISH WEBCAM**

There is live streaming of church services in this church. It can be accessed on our website: <a href="https://www.mcnmedia.tv">www.donoreavenueparish.ie</a> or through <a href="https://www.mcnmedia.tv">https://www.mcnmedia.tv</a>

#### DATES FOR THE DIARY

- > 27th September Launch of new pastoral plan
- Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> & Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> September & Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> October: Triduum in honour of St Teresa at 7.30pm each evening.
- Saturday and Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> October: Celebration of the Harvest.
- Sunday 8th November at 3pm: Annual Service of Remembrance of the Miscarriage Association.
- Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> November at 3pm: Annual Mass for the deceased of the parish.
- Finance Committee meeting to be arranged

# COFFEE MORNING WITH A DIFFERENCE

We are unable to host our usual coffee morning fundraiser in aid of Our Lady's Hospice, Harold's Cross. Instead after all masses on the 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> September, we will have pre-packed buns for people to take away and to leave a donation in aid of the hospice.

#### CULTURE NIGHT

We had intended to offer an event on culture night this year, but under the present circumstances we had to postpone it. We will have a parish event in the near future, to include a presentation in the church and also accessible via webcam.

#### CROSSCARE

The annual CROSSCARE collection will be taken up next weekend September 19<sup>th</sup> / 20<sup>th</sup>. It will replace the SHARE collection that weekend. Crosscare is the Social Support Agency of the Catholic Archdiocese of Dublin and provides a range of social care, community and youth work services across the Dublin Archdiocese. The work of CROSSCARE has continued all during the COVID19 health emergency.

#### **CHRISTMAS GIFTS**

A small selection of Christmas gifts are available to view and if you wish to pre-order for Christmas. More information is available from Sam Byrne and Jean Fitzpatrick after masses at the back of the church.

# MOVING MOMENT...

We see young couples coming to pause for a moment and an embrace before the little memorial erected by the miscarriage association. Our prayer is with them. Each year the association holds a very important and moving service in our church (8th November).

#### PRAYER FOR DRIVERS

Holy Mary, hear our prayer, keep us in your loving care. Whatever the perils of the way, let us not add to them this day.

So to our caution and attention, we add a prayer for your protection. And beg God's blessing on this car, that we may travel safely and far. Amen.