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SUNDAY 18 JULY

6.30pm: Ann & Joan Trimble and Carmel

Maguire (A);

Dermot Dowling (MM)

Other Anniv.:

10.00 am: Pat & Eileen McOuaide (60th

Wedding Anniversary)

Jackie & Kevin Fricker (A); 11.00 am:

Mary Peacock (53<sup>rd</sup> A)

12.30pm: Leo O'Brien (A) & Deceased

> Members of O'Brien and McGavin Family; Michael

McGavin Sr (A)

Monday 19th

10.00 am: Bridie Caffrey (A) & Caffrey

Family

Tuesday 20th

10.00 am: Angela Rooney (BDR)

Wednesday 21st

Mass for the Sick 10.00 am:

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> St Mary Magdalene

10.00 am: Margaret Wilson/her intentions

Friday 23rd St Bridget of Sweden 10.00 am: Altar List of the Dead

Saturday 24th

10.00 am: Sean Kelleher (1st A)

SUNDAY/B 25 JULY

6.30 pm: Patricia Walsh (7<sup>th</sup> A) Other Anniv: Sheila Cassidy (1st A);

May Lynch (Redford) (4th A);

Christina Redford:

Nicholas Redford; Tony Field (A)

10.00 am: Alanna Dunn Rec.Dec.

Patty Mooney (4<sup>th</sup> A) 11.00 am:

Christy Balfe (6<sup>th</sup> A) 12.30 pm:

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA:** 25th July 2021

6.30pm Alice O'Connell & Tom McKenna

10.00am Sr. Eleanor

11.00am Maria Byrne

12.30pm Sharon Hicks

OH YES! WE'RE VERY ARE YOU COZY DOWN HERE! OK? IT'S A BIT MUSTY... BUT WE'RE GREAT! HOW'S THE WORLD?

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## **COLLECTIONS**

Thank you so much to everyone for continuing to give so generously to the diocese and to the parish. The support is much appreciated!

11 July 2021

FIRST COLLECTION 350 € SHARE 255 €

ENVELOPES 1035€

## **SUMMER OFFERING**

Over the period of the pandemic and especially when there was no public masses, and therefore no First and Second Collections, the diocesan finances have dropped to an alarming degree. As a means to try to address this shortfall somewhat, the diocesan financial advisory committee have introduced this year a 'Summer Offering' envelope.

These envelopes, for the support of active, retired and sick priests of the diocese are available on the tables in the church and can be left in the safe in the church as usual or given to any of the parish team.

> **READERS ROTA:** 25th July 2021

6.30pm Margaret Lynch 10.00am Helen Bennett Celine Aherne 11am

Micheal Mac Uaidh 12.30pm

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

#### Covid 19

You need no reminder from us about the potential danger from the Delta variant of Covid 19. It is all over the news. The numbers of positive infections is rising, among the younger age groups and those not vaccinated. 1173 new cases on Friday. This is also beginning to show in the rising numbers who are hospitalised and in ICU. We need now to protect those who are not yet vaccinated – mostly though not exclusively among the young. We need therefore to continue to follow all the health guidance:

- Reminder of Covid-19 measures for our safety:

  Max. number of 90 people
- two meter social distancing
- wearing a mask
- sanitizing of hands in and out
- communion in the pew
- · do not kneel if there is a person in front
- take the mass leaflet home with you or dispose of it in the bin at the exits.
- use the one way system entrance/exit.

Mass is still available online for those who feel safer to stay at home.

July – August: There is no Monday evening mass. Live instrumental music will continue at all weekend masses.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: The last meeting of the PPC before the summer break took place today – Saturday. It was an opportunity to acknowledge in a relaxed fashion how challenging the past year has been and also the great efforts made by all to address these challenges brought on by Covid 19. It was also an opportunity to acknowledge and thank those who are or who have stepped down from the PPC over this period namely: Alice Blake, Sr. Carmel Daly, & Graham Quinn, Donal Bergin, and Helen Bennett. Thank you so much for all that you have contributed over the years.

Over this period we have been very fortunate to welcome to the Parish Pastoral Council four new members: Stuart

to the Parish Pastoral Council four new members: Stuart Dunne, John Lawlor, Geraldine Conlon, and Deirdre Kinahan. We continue to look for new members, so please let us know if you have an interest in contributing in this way.

## **BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, and FUNERALS:**

Please contact the parish house for questions.

Weddings: Maximum number: 50

**Funerals:** Maximum number: 50. On request from the family, funeral services can be recorded via the webcam. This recording will be kept for one week.

**Baptisms**: In light of the further reopening of society on the 5<sup>th</sup> July, the Archdiocese permits baptisms from then on and so all those booked will take place. The baptisms scheduled for June were rearranged.

For all these celebrations please keep in mind **not** to hold family gatherings against present regulations.

## **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

No news yet on dates for the postponed First Holy Communion and Confirmation ceremonies. As soon as we have word we will be in touch again with the families and schools.

# **CONGRATULATIONS - Newly Married**

To Samantha O Sullivan and Vincent Maguire of Maryland on the occasion of their church wedding last Friday, here in St Teresa's! God bless and many, many years of happiness.

#### RECENTLY DECEASED

+ Gerard O Reilly: Donore Terrace.

#### GOING AND COMING

God be with my going out, God be with my coming in, God be with me in my doubt, God protecting me from sin.

Christ be with my ebbing, Christ be with my flowing, Christ be with my entering, Christ in love bestowing.

Spirit with me every hour, Spirit at the journey's end, Spirit be my every power, Spirit dove on me descend.

### SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Reminder that the CHURCH GATE COLLECTIONS have begun again on two weekends of every month.

<u>PARISH SHOP is open after Sunday masses:</u> with a general stock of rosary beads, candles, statues and gifts for baptism, first communion and confirmation.

## **BUILDING HOPE TASK FORCE**

Invitation to Parishioners. Archbishop Farrell has set up a Task Force under the title of Building Hope. The Task Force aims to stimulate engagement with the whole diocesan family and shape an inclusive approach to a pastoral strategy appropriate to our times. It is intended to support parish communities to undertake a radical renewal, looking to the future with creativity, enabling the Archdiocese of Dublin to act now, so as to give effective witness and service in the years ahead. You are invited to take part in this consultation, through a video, a prayer and a questionnaire -survey on the www.dublindiocese.ie

Please watch the video from the Archbishop and join with family, and or friends and neighbours to pray and to discuss the future of the Church together, and then if you are willing, to make a contribution by completing the questionnaire on the website. The consultation form will remain online until the 18th July 2021.

GOOD NEWS STORY Congratulations two young men in St Brendan's Parish and former students of Chanel College, who set out recently to raise €8,000 for Abacus Kilbarrack Special School. Both young men have relatives who are pupils in the School. Over a period of six days, the two friends walked 300km from Coolock to the Cliffs of Moher, Co. Clare. To date, they have raised more than €60,000!! A great example of what young people can and are doing for the less advantaged in our communities.