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# 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

31 October

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**06.30 pm:** Tom Hourican for healing

Other Anniversaries:

Fr Jimmy Carr sm Denis Chambers (5<sup>th</sup> A)

 10.00 am:
 Frank Kearney (A)

 11.00 am:
 Breda McAdam (A)

 12.30 pm:
 Mary Malone (50th A)

Dessie Carmichael (13th A)

Monday 1st November - All Saints Day

10.00 am: Esther Beattie (Birthday Rem)7.30 pm: Kathleen Dunne-McKeady

(Birthday Rem)

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> - All Souls Day

10.00 am: Altar List of the Dead

Wednesday 3rd - St. Malachy

10.00 am: Mass for the Sick

Thursday 4th - St. Charles of Borromeo

**10.00 am:** Pat Ryan (22<sup>nd</sup> A.)

Friday 5th - St. Martin de Porres

**10.00 am:** Mass for those whose names

are on the shared mass list for

the deceased

Saturday 6th - All Saints of Ireland

10.00 am: Keith Marmion R.I.P.

Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> – 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary/B

**06.30 pm:** Frances and Joe Biggs (A.)

**10.00 am:** Jane and Michael Power (A)

Stuart McCarthy (2<sup>nd</sup> A)

11.00 am: Intentions of Maureen Kearns

and for her husband, Noel R.I.P.

12.30 pm: Paudge Eustace (Rec. Dec)



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# **COLLECTIONS 24th October 2021**

FIRST COLLECTION: € 230 MISSION SUNDAY: € 290 ENVELOPES: € 1200

Your continued support to all collections is very much appreciated. *THANK YOU* 

Ministers of the Word Rota

7<sup>th</sup> November 2021

06.30 pm: Stuart Dunne 10.00 am: Sr. Eilish

11.00 am: Deirdre Kinahan 12.30 pm: Jean Fitzpatrick

Ministers of the Eucharist Rota

7 November

06.30 pm: Lorraine O'Donoghue & Geraldine Harrington

10.00 am: Sr. Eleanor

11.00 am: Phyllis Masterson &

Deirdre Kinahan

12.30 pm: Sharon Hicks

<u>NOTICES</u>: 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* 

#### **HEALTH AND SAFETY:**

from Friday October 22nd, the Covid 19 health guidance for religious services is:

"religious services and weddings can proceed without capacity limits but with all other protective measures remaining in place".

The update from Government provides the following commentary: This is a very positive measure, however it is imperative that all other Covid-19 protective measures remain in place in order to protect all members of our communities/congregations. Premises should be well ventilated, hand sanitiser should be provided, Places of Worship should continue to use separate entry and exit routes, and face masks should be worn. Congregations should be encouraged to spread out as much as possible when attending Places of Worship and those experiencing any Covid-19 symptoms should be discouraged from attending.

#### PARISH INFORMATION LEAFLET:

A Parish Information leaflet is being delivered to all homes in the parish between the 27<sup>th</sup> October and November 3<sup>rd</sup>. This is in conjunction with Rev. Mark Gardner of St. Catherine's and St James Parish. So that we can monitor delivery, it would be helpful if some people could let us know that they have received them. Unfortunately they can't be delivered to homes with "No Junk Mail" notices and apartment complexes. We can make alternative arrangements for some apartments and also leaflets will be available in the church for collection. The leaflets will also be delivered to those who come to the church from neighbouring parishes, if we know the address.

### **CHURCH DECORATION GROUP FOR CHRISTMAS**

Meetings have been arranged to take place at the back of the church on Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> November, at 3pm. If you are interested in taking part on any one of these days please, contact Sam or any member of the Parish Team or just come along on the day.

#### "FAITH IN ACTION" PARISH YOUTH GROUP:

The parish is exploring setting up a youth group, focused on "Faith in Action" for those aged between confirmation and 18. It will be activity, faith and project based. More information later. Contact Sam or any member of the Parish Team.

#### **ARCHBISHOP FARRELL'S PASTORAL LETTER:**

'The Cry of the Earth' was recently launched and some copies are available in the parish shop.

<u>PLEASE NOTE THAT THE PARISH SHOP</u> is closed today, Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> October and will re-open next Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> November as usual.

#### **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:

- Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November: Liturgy committee meeting at 7pm in the parish house.
- Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> November: Parish Pastoral Council meeting at 7.30pm in the parish house.
- Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> November: Miscarriage Association of Ireland annual remembrance service at 7.30pm. On-line only this year. More details later.
- Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> November: Mass for the Deceased of the past year at 11am.
- Sunday 28th November: First Sunday in Advent

#### MONDAY EVENING MASS

Monday evening Mass will take place tomorrow Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November at 7.30 pm as usual.

#### MOMENTS OF SPECIAL PRAYER IN OUR CHURCH

Rosary: after morning Mass.

Novena of the Miraculous Medal: Monday during

the 10am and 7.30pm Masses.

Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesday after the 10am

Mass for a short while.

SYNODAL PATHWAY: The Parish Team and members of the PPC will be attending workshops on the Synodal Pathway this week and will bring information to the parish about the initiative.

PRESENTATION WARRENMOUNT SECONDARY
SCHOOL ENROLMENT NOTICE and SCOIL TREASA
NAOFA PROJECT — PLEASE SEE A4 SHEETS ON THE
TABLES IN THE CHURCH

MEMORIAL PLAQUES: If anyone would like to have a memorial plaque placed on a seat in the church, they should in the first instance contact one of the Parish Team and then, James Bowden Engraving, Unit 11, Knockmitten Business Park, Naas Road, Dublin 12. Tel. 01/4197943.

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**EUCHARIST:** New rotas are still available for collection in the Sacristy.

#### A PUMPKIN CARVING PRAYER:

Lord, open my mind so I can learn new things about you and the world you created. (Take off the top of the pumpkin.)

Remove the things in my life that don't please you, including my seeds of doubt. (Pull out the bag of seeds.)

Open my eyes and help me to see your ways. (Remove the eyes.)

Open my ears and help me to hear your voice, so I may learn how you want me to live. (Remove the ears.) I'm sorry for the times I've turned up my nose at the things you want me to do. (Remove the nose.) Let everything I say please you, and help me spread your word to others. (Remove the mouth.) Lord, help me show your light to others through the things I do. (Place a candle inside and light it. Then turn off the lights)