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Second Sunday of Christmas

2nd January 2022

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Sunday 2nd January 2022

06.30 pm: Tom Dunphy (32nd A) **Other anniversaries:** Paul Brady (8th A)

Patrick O Beirne (1st A)

10.00 am: Maureen Joyce RIP 11.00 am: Ned Aherne (4th A) 12.30 pm: Bridie Whelan (2nd A)

Monday 3rd January

10.00 am: Keith Marmion RIP

NO EVENING MASS

Tuesday 4th January

10.00 am: Mass for all who received Marist

Christmas Cards Javier Leonor del Pozo (B/day Rem)

Wednesday 5th January

LERESA'S PARISH, DONORE AVENI

10.00 am: Mass for the sick

07.30 pm Cora Dowling (Rec Dec)

Rita Hayden (2nd A)

Thursday 6th The Epiphany of the Lord

10.00 am: Olive Corrigan RIP

Friday 7TH January

10.00 am: Mass for those whose names are

on the shared mass list for the deceased in December 2021

Saturday 08 January

10.00 am: Teresa Smith RIP

Sunday 09 January

06.30 pm: Michael and Aileen McGlone (A) **Other anniversaries:** Liam Kinsella (2nd A)

10.00 am: Richard Kinsella RIP

11.00 am: Jack Roy RIP

12.30 pm: Laurence and Richard Power and the

Power and Nugent Families

IN THE BEGINNING WAS THE WORD AND THE WORD WAS WITH GOD, AND THE WORD WAS GOD.



Collections 26th December 2021

FIRST COLLECTION: € 680
SECOND COLLECTION € 280
ENVELOPES: €1260

Your generosity and support to all collections is very much appreciated.

THANK YOU

Ministers of the Word Rota 09 January 2022

06.30 pm: Helen Sweeney 10.00 am: Helen Bennett 11.00 am: Brian Byrne 12.30 pm: Mairead Molloy

Ministers of the Eucharist Rota 09 January 2022

06.30 pm: Lorraine O'Donoghue & Geraldine

Harrington

10.00 am: Sr. Eleanor 11.00 am: Maria Byrne 12.30 pm: Sharon Hicks

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

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

After another unique year in 2021 we hope for an easier 2022. AD – Anno Domini – A Year of the Lord. Whatever will be, we will be in the hands of our God.

Please continue to follow all the COVID 19 measures in place for religious services, for everyone's HEALTH AND SAFETY. As you know the numbers of people testing positive for COVID 19 are very high and rising at the moment. The experts say this is expected for the next week or two, given the new variant and then numbers should start to fall. But we do need to be extra vigilant in following all the measures in place

Measures for Religious Services

- Church Premises should be well ventilated.
- Hand sanitiser to be used coming in and going out.
- Separate entry and exit routes.
- · Face masks should be worn.
- Congregations should be encouraged to spread out as much as possible when attending Places of Worship.
- Those experiencing any Covid-19 symptoms should not attend services.
- There is no need to move from your place in order to receive communion.
- Please refrain from kneeling on the seat in front of you, if there is someone seated there.

CHRISTMAS DUES ENVELOPES

....are available on the tables in the middle of the church. The Christmas Dues go towards the wider needs of the Dublin Archdiocese

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD.

This Thursday is the feast of the Epiphany of the Lord. There will be a vigil mass for the feast on Wednesday evening at 7.30pm and Mass at 10am the following day. The mass on the feastday itself will also include the installation of a new statue of the Marist Saint Peter Chanel, very kindly donated by the McQuaide family. The statue will be blessed and installed during the mass.

MARIST CHRISTMAS CARDS 2020

On behalf of the Marist Fathers, we thank you once again for your support of the Marist Missions around the world through the Christmas Cards this year. The total raised this year is €1120. This has been lodged to the Marist Mission Account and will weave its way around the world to our various mission projects.

PARISH WEBCAM

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

DATES FOR THE DIARY:

- Tuesday 11th January 2022 at 6.30 pm Liturgy Meeting
- Monday 24th January 2022 at 8pm Parish Pastoral Meeting

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.

Eucharistic Adoration and Confession: Thursday from 3-4pm

RECENTLY BAPTISED

We welcome into the faith community of St Teresa's, Darius Sean Dunne who was christened on the 26th December and Thomas Alberto Egan, who was christened on the 27th December 2021. Both christenings were arranged around travel arrangements of family members at this time of the year, and had to be rescheduled due to Covid. Alls' well that ends well!!

RECENT DECEASED

Please continue to remember in your prayer the happy repose of the soul of Ned Bowes, who's funeral took place on the 30th December. May he rest in peace.

CONFESSION IN THE PARISH:

On **Thursday** of each week from 3-4pm there is Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, along with the opportunity for individual confession and reconciliation in the confession room at the back of the church.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

You may have noticed one missing. The 7th. It is away to be restored: cleaned, touched up and to repair any broken plaster. Over the next month they will all disappear for similar renewal. Hopefully they will all be back in time for Easter. The restoration work is being funded by a parishioner. The small replacement Stations of the Cross are ones you have seen before. They are the work of Peter Browne, a former resident of Weir Home who died in May 2020 and who donated them to the Parish.

DONORE SCOUTS: The 35th Donore Scouts express their appreciation and gratitude for all donations given to their Christmas online fundraiser for the Society of St Vincent de Paul. The total raised is €2000, which will be divided between the two parish conferences of the Society. Thank you to everyone.