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Sixth Sunday of Easter (C)

22 May 2022

THE PARISH TEAM:

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Sunday 22nd May

6.30 pm (Sat. Vigil): Marie Hicks (Birth Rem.)

Eddie Connell (MM)

Other Anniversaries: Paschal Moore (16th A) Josephine Hendrick (2nd A)

10.00am: Kathleen & Joseph Keville &

Matthew Keville

11.00am: Mick Cummins (Rec. Dec.)

12.30pm Margaret Lacev (A) Paddy Power (1st A)

Monday 23rd

10.00am: Altar List of the Dead Ann Fitzpatrick R.I. P. (A) 7.30pm:

Tuesday 24th World day of Prayer for the

church in China

Eddie Connell (Rec Dec.) 10.00 am:

Nora Rickard (2nd A)

Wednesday 25th

10.00 am: Mass for the Sick

Anne Conlon (A)

Thursday 26th St Philip Neri

10.00 am: Eddie Connell (Rec. Dec)

11.30 am: **Parish Confirmations**

Friday 27th St Augustine of Canterbury Michael Cummins (Rec. Dec) 10.00 am:

Saturday 28th

10.00 am: John O Toole (A)

Sunday 29th The Ascension of the Lord

6.30pm (Sat Vigil): Betty O Neill (1st A)

Other Anniversaries: Kathleen (Kay) Simms

10th A (Late of O' Donavan Rd) 10.00am: Anne Dempsey (A)

Joseph Peacock (12th A) & 11.00am:

Brian Peacock (2nd A)

12.30pm Bob Murphy (5th A)



Peace I leave you, my peace I give you.....

Do not let your hearts be troubled.....

Collections 15th May 2022

FIRST COLLECTION:

12.30 pm:

€415 €340 **Lay Ministry**

ENVELOPES:

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

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Sunday 29th May 2022 Ministers of the Word Rota

Mairead Molloy

06.30 pm: Catherine McSweeney

10.00 am: Sr Lorraine Louise O Reilly 11.00 am:

> Sunday 29th May 2022 Ministers of the Eucharist Rota

Breda McKenna 06.30 pm:

10.00 am: Sr. Eleanor & Michael O Reilly

Phyllis Masterson & Deirdre 11.00 am:

Kinahan 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

TENTERS RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION AGM

The Tenters Residents Association are holding their A.G.M in Teelings Distillery, Mill Street, on Wednesday 25th May at 7.30pm. All members of the Association are welcome to come along and have your say on matters relating to our Area.

MARYLAND STREET FESTIVAL 2022

Maryland 90th Birthday

Sunday June 26th, beginning with a short service at the Grotto at 1.30pm and continuing with bouncy castle, music, dancing, food, bingo, raffle and much more for the afternoon.

PARISH SHOP:

The shop will close for the summer months of July and August. In the meantime there will be a sale of the remaining stock.

THE SACRAMENTS OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION. Congratulations to all the boys and girls from Scoil Treasa Naofa who recently received the sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation. Also the children from St Catherine's Church of Ireland National School and Griffith Barracks & Canal Way Educate Together Schools who received the sacrament of First Holy Communion.

Upcoming dates: Parish Preparation Group:

Confirmation: Thursday 26th May, 11.30am

Confirmation: Sunday 29th May, 12.30pm

OTHER DATES FOR THE DIARY:

- > Tuesday 24th May at 7pm: Open Parish Meeting on "Building Hope". Venue: the parish church.
- Monday 30th May at 8.00pm Parish Pastoral Council Meeting in the parish house.
- Tuesday 21st June at 6.30pm: Parish Liturgy Committee meeting in the parish house.

SPECIAL PRAYER IN OUR CHURCH

- ROSARY after morning Mass.
- **NOVENA OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL:** Monday during the 10am and 7.30pm Masses.
- **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION AND CONFESSION:** Every Thursday from 3-4pm.

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

'BUILDING HOPE'

"Building Hope" is an extremely important and significant initiative in the Dublin Diocese. It will result in significant changes in the future, in the way the diocese and parishes are structured & function and how they will support and renew the local faith communities in the diocese, like St Teresa's. This will directly affect St Teresa's Parish in the future. It is very important that your views are heard on this matter.

The Parish Gathering is a central part of the "Building Hope" initiative. Included with this newsletter is an invitation to and an explanation of the Purpose of the Parish Gathering which will be held this Tuesday 24th May at 7pm in the parish church. Similar parish gatherings / meetings are taking place in all parishes in the Dublin Diocese. Sam Byrne and Deirdre Kinahan, in conjunction with the Parish Pastoral Council are preparing the meeting.

Also included with this newsletter are the parish statistics provided by the diocese which cover:

- the population of the parish;
- the population characteristics; (source; CSO)
- the number of people attending for church services and presenting for the sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation between 2014 -2019:
- the parish collections 2017-2021; (source parish / diocese records)
- and a map showing the other parishes that are in the same Deanery as St. Teresa's.

This information is being circulated in preparation for the parish gathering.

'BUILDING HOPE' PRAYER

Pilgrim God, we give you thanks and praise. You constantly journey with us even in our darkness and doubts. We seek your way of loving kindness to walk together as one family. Open our eyes to recognise you in the faces of one another, in the breaking of bread and in the splendour of creation.

May the risen Christ sow seeds of hope and new life deep within us. May our hearts and minds be filled with your Word, bringing forth truth, justice and peace. May the Holy Spirit working in and through us do much more than we can dare to imagine as we live out our baptismal calling in humble and loving service. We make this our prayer through Christ Our Lord. Amen. Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us.

> St Laurence O'Toole, pray for us. St Kevin, pray for us.

St Brigid, pray for us.

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