

## THE PARISH TEAM:

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**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent**

6.30 pm (Sat) Peggie, Pat & Mollie O'Connell (A)  
John Fanning (9<sup>th</sup> A)

10.00 am: Ann Sunderland (2<sup>nd</sup> A)

11.00 am: Eleanor Keegan (Rec Dec)  
Alec McAdam (21<sup>st</sup> A)  
Imelda Donnelly (8<sup>th</sup> A)

12.30 pm: Olive O'Neill (Rec Dec)

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> St Kieran**

10.00 am: Mass for the names of the people  
on the shared mass list for the  
living and dead.  
Sr Brega Kenny pbvm (MM)  
Margaret Derwin (Rec Dec)

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> St Perpetua**

10.00 am: Peter and Mary Byrne  
Christine Lennon

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> St. John of God/St Senan**

10.00 am: Mass for the Sick

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup>**

10.00 am: Lay Led Prayer Service  
11.30 am: Scoil Treasa Naofa Confirmation  
6.00pm: Eileen O'Keeffe

**Friday 10<sup>th</sup>**

10.00 am: Altar List of the Dead  
3.00pm: Stations of the Cross

**Saturday 11<sup>th</sup>**

10.00 am: Chrissy and Freddie Long RIP

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> March 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent**

6.30 pm (Sat) Peter Lee (MM)  
Other Anniversaries: Mary Power (27<sup>th</sup> A)  
Paddy Power (B/D Rem)

10.00 am: Sr. Brega Kenny (Rec Dec)  
11.00 am: Colm Maguire (Rec Dec)  
12.30 pm: Gretta Kinahan (Rec Dec)  
Tommy Mason (A) and Thomas &  
Mary Mason

**Collections 26<sup>th</sup> February 2023**

FIRST COLLECTION: € 280  
Turkey/Syria Earthquake: € 2445+  
ENVELOPES: € 1330

**Thank You.**

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2023****Ministers of the Eucharist**

06.30 pm:  
10.00 am: *to be announced*  
11.00 am:  
12.30 pm:

**Ministers of the Word**

06.30 pm: Breda McKenna  
10.00 am: Sr. Lorraine  
11.00 am: Celine Aherne  
12.30 pm: Caitríona Egan

**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](http://www.donoreavenueparish.ie)*

**TURKEY – SYRIA EARTHQUAKE**

The special collection last weekend in support of the people affected by the earthquake in Turkey & Syria amounted to **€2,445+.** The proceeds of the collection will be channelled through Trocaire who are working with partners in the affected area.

**LENT – SERVICES****Liturgy of Word & Eucharist**

- There will be a lay led Liturgy of the Word & Eucharist each Thursday morning (except Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March) at 10am.

**Evening masses**

- There will be an evening mass each Monday and Thursday at 6pm

**Stations of the cross**

- There will be Stations of the Cross at 3pm every Friday

**Trocaire**

- Trocaire boxes and envelopes are available from this weekend.

**LAY LED LITURGIES**

We invite anyone who would like to be involved in any role in the Lay Led Liturgies (Presider, Eucharist Minister or Reader) to contact Sam. No experience necessary as training will be given. All welcome!

**'PEOPLE OF HOPE' - LENTEN REFLECTION SESSIONS**

The Season of Lent is a really good time for reflection and to devote time to our faith life. The 'People of Hope' Lenten reflection sessions will continue each Tuesday evening and Thursday morning. They are here to support our parish, as we move forward in the Building Hope initiative in the Diocese. 'People of Hope' sessions are small groups who gather in the parish house to hear the Scripture of the Sundays throughout Lent and to reflect on what they mean to us.

**CHURCH OPENING HOURS**

The opening hours for the Church are now as follows:

9am – 6.30 on Mondays & Thursdays  
9am – 5pm (Tues, Wed. & Fri.),  
9am – 7.30pm on Saturday  
9am – 1.30pm on Sunday.

**PARISH WEBCAM**

There is live streaming of church services in this church. It can be accessed on our website: [www.donoreavenueparish.ie](http://www.donoreavenueparish.ie) or through <https://www.mcnmedia.tv>

**LOYOLA LENTEN LECTURE SERIES**

In 1950 the Dominican theologian Yves Congar wrote 'True and False Reform in the Church'. In three lectures we will explore Congar's thought, and the our synodal journey. Tuesday March 14th, 'Is Reform Possible? Conditions for Authentic Reform' (Dr Fáinche Ryan); Tuesday March 28th, 'True and False Reform Today' (Dr Gemma Simmonds)

Lectures are free and all are welcome. Venue Loyola Institute, Trinity College Dublin at 7.30pm

**DATES FOR THE DIARY**

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> March at 6.30pm:** Parish Liturgy Committee meeting.

**Thursdays 9<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> March:** at 11.30am Confirmation

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> March:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Partnership Pastoral Council Meeting with Dolphins Barn & Rialto Parishes.

**Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm:** Parish Pastoral Council

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March @ 5pm:** Parish Finance Committee meeting

**Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> April:** Easter Sunday

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> May:** First Holy Communion

**SPECIAL PRAYER INTENTION**

Please remember in your prayers a young girl, Millie McCormack, who is undergoing Chemotherapy treatment. We pray for the Lord to bless Millie and her family, with healing and comfort.

**PRAYER IN OUR CHURCH**

**ROSARY** after morning Mass.

**NOVENA OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL:**

Monday during the 10am and 6pm Masses.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION AND CONFESSION:**  
Every Thursday from 3-4pm.

**FIRST & SECOND (SHARE) COLLECTIONS**

In the absence of the normal basket/bag mass collections, please consider donating to these collections through donations in the safe in the church (envelopes are also available for these), the Card Tap Machine near the exit door or the DONATE button on the parish website.

**PARISH ENVELOPES FOR 2023**

The Weekly Parish Envelopes for 2023 are available from the sacristy, parish house or any of the parish team.

You can also contribute to the parish in place of the weekly church envelope by means of a *weekly / monthly standing order*. Details available from the parish office.