

THE PARISH TEAM:

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**Sunday 17th March – St Patrick's Day / 5th
 Sunday of Lent**

6.00 pm (Sat.) William Guiney (3rdA)
 Stella Furlong (19th A)
 Billy Berkeley (A)
 Christy Fields (10th A)
 Shay Carroll (MM)
 Mary Glennon (13th A)
 10.30am: Maura O Reilly (4th A)
 Mary and James Aherne and the
 deceased members of the Aherne
 family
 12.00pm Jenny Witty – late Clanbrassil St.

Monday 18th

10.00am Altar List of the Dead
 Lesley Curtis (Rec. Dec.)
 6.00pm **NO EVENING MASS**

Tuesday 19th St Joseph

10.00am: Maura O Reilly (14th A)

Wednesday 20th

10.00 am: Mass for the Sick.

Thursday 21st

10.00 am: **LAY LED SERVICE OF THE
 WORD & EUCHARIST**
 3-4 pm: Adoration & Confessions
 6.00pm: Una Ryan (Rec. Dec.)

Friday 22nd

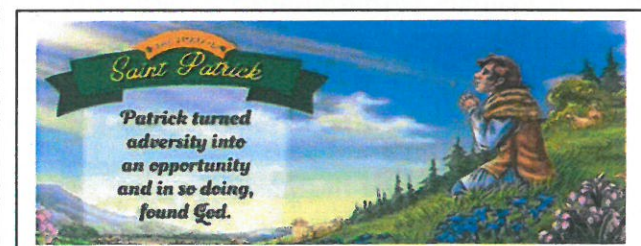
10.00 am: Donal & Thomas Byrne (A)
 Tony Daly (1stA)
 3.00 pm: **STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

Saturday 23rd

10.00am: Mary Byrne (16th A)
 Lesley Curtis (Rec. Dec.)

Sunday 24th Palm Sunday

6.00 pm (Sat.) Mary Foran (1st A)
 10.30am: Shane O Hanlon (Rec. Dec.)
 Thomas Carton (18th A)
 12.00pm Thomas Mason (A) & his parents
 Thomas & Mary Mason (A)
 Sr. Jackeline O Reilly (1st A)



Collections 10th March 2024

FIRST COLLECTION: €135
 SHARE: €80
 ENVELOPES: €1110

Thank You!

**Your generosity to all the collections
 is greatly appreciated.**

Sunday 24th March 2024

Ministers of the Word

6.00 pm: Stuart Dunne
 10.30 am: Brian Byrne
 12.00 pm: Mairead Molloy

Ministers of the Eucharist

6.00 pm: Breda McKenna
 10.30 am: Lily Curtis / Maria Byrne
 12.00 pm: Phyllis Masterson/Catherine
 Waldron

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*

HYMNS: Special Hymns for St Patricks Day

ST. PATRICK

According to Patrick's autobiographical Confessio, when he was about sixteen, he was captured by Irish pirates from his home in Britain and taken as a slave to Ireland. He writes that he lived there for six years as an animal herder before escaping and returning to his family.

After becoming a cleric, he returned to spread Christianity in northern and western Ireland. In later life, he served as a bishop, but little is known about where he worked.

By the seventh century, he had already come to be revered as the patron saint of Ireland.

LAY LED LITURGIES OF THE WORD & EUCHARIST

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. All welcome!

DATES FOR THE SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to all the children from Scoil Treasa Naofa who received the Sacrament of Confirmation last Thursday. It was a lovely celebration and we hope the children and their families had a great day.

Thursday 25th April at 11.30am: Sacrament of Confirmation – Parish Group

Sunday 12th May at 12pm: Sacrament of First Holy Communion – Parish Group

Sunday 19th May at 12pm: Sacrament of First Holy Communion – Scoil Treasa Naofa

STICKERS IN THE CHURCH

Over the past number of weeks someone has been sticking some stickers in the front entrance to the church and more recently on the table in the church and at the side entrance. Most recently they appeared last Saturday evening. I am asking the person to stop doing this and I mention the CCTV coverage in the church as a reminder.

PRAYER IN OUR CHURCH

✠ **ROSARY** after morning Mass.

✠ **NOVENA OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL:**

Monday during the 10am and 6pm 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>

RECENTLY DECEASED

Please keep in your prayers Lesley Curtis, Mary McDonnell and Michelle Kelly whose funerals took place last week, and also their families.

MINISTERS OF THE WORD ROTA

A new rota for Ministers of the Word is available on the table beside the sacristy door.

LENT 2024

- **Trocaire** Collection boxes and donations
- **Stations of the Cross** each Friday at 3pm;
- **A Lay Led Service of the Word & Communion** on Thursday Mornings at 10am;
- **Lenten Sunday Gospel Reflection** sessions each Thursday morning at 10.30am in the parish house;
- **Evening Mass** on Monday & Thursday
- **Easter Cards** "fell through the net" this year, as in, we forgot all about them. So apologies to all those who have been asking about them.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

✠ **Tuesday 19th March at 6.30pm:** Rescheduled Parish Liturgy Committee Meeting This meeting will finalise all arrangements for Holy Week and Easter & a Holy Week planner with all the services for Holy Week and Easter will be available for the following weekend.

✠ **Wednesday 20th March at 7pm:** Parish Finance Committee Meeting. This meeting will approve the Annual Financial Audit and Parish end of year accounts for submission to the Dublin Diocese by the end of March.

✠ **Monday 25th March at 7pm:** Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

PARISH DONATIONS

Donations can now be made directly to the parish by means of a "Tap & Go" card machine - for all of us now who no longer carry cash around with us. It is currently located, beside the other one for the Dublin Diocese.

After the Easter Festival we will be re-organising within the church, the location of the Tap & Go Machines, the donation safes, envelopes & signs for donations both to the Parish and the Dublin Diocese. But lets see our way through Easter first before attempting this.

PARISH ENVELOPES FOR 2024

The Weekly Parish Envelopes for 2024 remain available on the table at the main door of the church, as are the details for making a standing order. If you have not already done so, please feel free to take a box if you would like to support the parish on a regular basis by returning the weekly envelopes when suitable with your donations.