

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Newsletter 16th July 2023

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Mass times: Monday - Friday 10.00am, Saturday (Vigil) 6.30pm, Sunday 11.30am
Confessions: Saturday 6.00pm - 6.20pm



Church of the Visitation Drynam The Visitation of the BVM
Mass Times for Drynam: Sun, 10.00am



Mass Intentions this Weekend

Sat 6.30pm Eileen Ryan
Sun 11.30am Bridget & Jack McNulty
Michael O'Neill (MM)



Mass intentions for next Next Week

Mon 10.00am Health Intention	Sat 6.30pm Tom Gavillet
Tues 10.00am Monica Gleeson	Sun 11.30am Ella Lawless
Wed 10.00am Emily Murray	Kenneth Coyne
Thurs 10.00am	Darren Sower
Fri 10.00am	

RECENTLY DECEASED

Please remember in your prayers those who have died recently:
Francis Barker
Dublin Road



Bethany Bereavement Support Group are offering telephone support, please contact Bridget on 085 2812985 from Sunday 16th July to Saturday 22nd July. Please phone from 6-8pm. Details on the Parish website. You can also find information on <https://bethany.ie>

Young Adult Camino 2024

Plans are currently being made to host a Young Adult Camino in Summer 2024 for the Archdiocese of Dublin. It will be the final stage, walking the 110kms from Sarria to Santiago, with a day trip to Finisterre. Three preparation sessions will be held in March, April and May. Register your interest now: <https://forms.office.com/e/q4xqzF4Vwv/>. or natalie.doherty@dublindiocese.ie.

Parish Announcement about Booked Masses

When there is no priest available for Mass during the week there will be a Communion Service. If anyone has booked a Mass it will be offered the next day. At the Communion Service the anniversary will be prayed for. This is the reality going forward in the Parish and we hope everyone will understand.

Notice for WYD Commissioning Mass

A special commissioning mass for the pilgrims attending world youth day from across our parish partnership (of Brackenstown, RiverValley, Swords and Donabate), will be held next week on Saturday 22nd of July at 6.30pm in Donabate church. The young people travelling would like to extend a warm invitation to celebrate this youth led mass with them! It is a chance for our all parishes to come together, learn more about world youth day and support the young people travelling! There will also be a chance to ask for prayer requests while the pilgrims are travelling. Donabate Church has ample parking and is directly opposite the bus stop for the 33b from Swords.

MESSAGE FROM CROSSCARE

From Yvonne Fleming, Senior Manager at Crosscare: You may come in contact with people who experience food poverty through your work. We help families and individuals with food supplies, and through our caseworkers, with any other issues that have brought them into poverty, for example, the rising cost of living, debt, illness, increasing rents or lack of access to social welfare. We have food collection and casework centres across Dublin – in Finglas, Ronanstown, Jobstown, Nutgrove, Bonnybrook, Blanchardstown, and Dublin 1 – with plans to establish more where needed. Close to 500 families and individuals, including 300 children, have needed help with food from us since the start of the year, and we know many more need our support. Please share details of this service (below) so we can reach as many people in need as possible. Email: foodcaseworkservice@crosscare.ie. Phone: 01 8913022.

'UNDER MARY'S MANTLE' CONFERENCE

Young Adult Catholic Conference – Saturday, August 19, and Sunday, August 20. 'Under Mary's Mantle' is a conference on faith and culture for young adults (18-35) with talks, prayer, Mass, Confession, workshops, food and social in the historic All Hallows campus, DCU, Dublin. A chance to build your faith in friendship with young men and women from across the country. Keynote speakers include poet and convert Sally Read, a one-time radical feminist who embraced the Faith, Bishop Alphonsus Cullinan, Cistercian Fr Aelred McGee, Marian theologian Professor William A Thomas and many more. The talks and workshops range widely from poetry to reading the Bible, vocations and Mary in the Liturgical Year. Mass and Confessions take place both days. Two-day ticket (Saturday & Sunday) – €60. Day rates – Saturday €40; Sunday €30. Students get a 10% discount – contact deusetpatria@gmail.com for discount code. There is a limited amount of accommodation available in DCU, contact deusetpatria@gmail.com or call 085 1442423 for rates and more information.