# Clonskeagh Parish Newsletter

Let us remember those who are housebound and listening to our Parish Mass on the Parish Radio today!



Venue for Weekday 10am Masses
Weekday 10am Masses, Monday –
Friday (inclusive) will be celebrated in
St. Joseph's Oratory.
(Funerals will be celebrated in the Main
Church.)

# **Diary for this Week:**

Sat 14 Sept – Michael Kennedy (A) & Kevin Lynch (A)

Sun 15 Sept – Monica Barker (A) Roy Lewis (RD)

Mon 16 Sept – Special Intention

Tues 17 Sept – Patrick McGlade (RD)

Wed 18 Sept – Billy Brown (A)

Thurs 19 Sept – Barry Slattery (RD)

Fri 20 Sept – Nora & Flor O'Sullivan (A)



We also prayerfully remember all who are **Recently Deceased** and all whose **Anniversaries** occur at this time.

"May they rest in peace. Amen."

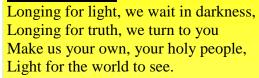
#### **Parish Office**



The Parish Office opening hours this week are: Mon. Wed. & Fri 9.30am – 12 noon.

The **Sacristy** is open from 9.30am until 11am Monday –Friday & from 10.30am – 11.30am on Sunday. Tel: 012837948

## **Entrance Hymn**



Christ be our light. Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness. Christ be our light. Shine in your Church gathered today.

Longing for peace, our world is troubled.
Longing for hope, many despair
Your word alone has power to save us
Make us your living voice.



## **Recessional Hymn**

The Spirit lives to set us free, walk, walk, in the light

He binds us all in unity, walk, walk, in the light

#### Chorus:

Walk in the light, walk in the light, Walk in the light, Walk in the light of the Lord

Jesus promised life to all, walk, walk, in the light The dead were wakened by His call, walk, walk, in the light Chorus

The Spirit lives in you and me, walk, walk in the light,

His light will shine for all to see, walk, walk, in the light

Chorus

## **Parish News & Announcements:**

#### Called to 'Come to our Senses'

The three parables of things lost and found emphasise the unending forgiveness of God, and God's rejoicing for those who return. In each of the situations there is a frantic search for that which is lost and a huge celebration when the lost is found. In the parable of the Lost Son there is much to reflect on. We hear that the younger brother eventually 'came to his senses.' We might pray today that God show us the aspects of our lives in which we also need to come to our senses.

In this Season of Creation, we lament the destruction of God's creation, we reflect on the loss of biodiversity and the loss of human life caused by climate change. We pray that as a global community we might, like the lost son, 'come to our senses' and take the actions that are necessary to change course. It all seems so huge and perhaps we feel there is nothing significant we can do. That is not the case. As parishes, we can lead by example and show our commitment to care for the earth.

The future of our environment depends on the action we take now as a society. As with all significant change, it begins with the grassroots.

'I wish to address every person living on this planet...to enter into dialogue with all people about our common home...The climate is a common good, belonging to all and meant for all.' (Laudato Si' 3,23)

Suggestion for the week: Can you encourage your family to make small changes in the home, such as ensuring all waste is correctly recycled, composting, encouraging one another to use public transport or walk/cycle when possible? We start with ourselves.

Jane Mellett, Intercom - The Deep End





# **Annual Pilgrimage to Knock**

The Legion of Mary's annual pilgrimage to Our Lady's shrine at Knock will take place on **Sunday**, **29 September**.

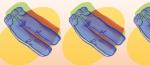
Bus leaves from Ryan's, Windy Arbour at 8.00am Cost: Adults €25 Children €10 (*Including morning coffee*)

To book phone:

Una 4904817 or 087 2253845

More information is on the Church notice boards.

# St. Vincent de Paul Clothing Appeal



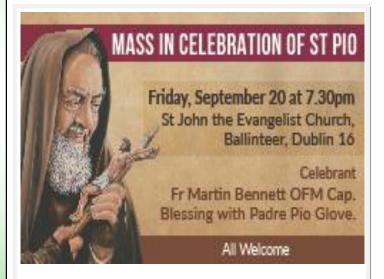




The **annual appeal** for second-hand clothing will take place in our parish over the coming 2 weekends. The bags will be **distributed next** weekend, 21/22 September and the following weekend,

## the bags will be collected, 28/29 September.

If you have any unwanted, clean clothes for charity this is a very worthy cause to donate them to.





The Luisne Centre for Well-Being is opening its doors for the new term on Sept 16th. Courses offered include Mindfulness, Mind and Body Skills, Kum Nye Tibetan Yoga, Soul Bowl Sound Therapy, Philosophy, Meditation, Mindfull writing (calligraphy) and day/half day Retreats. See <a href="https://www.luisne.ie">www.luisne.ie</a> for details and bookings.



### **Churchgate Collection**

Just to remind you that a Churchgate Collection will be taking place this weekend to raise much needed funds for *Coolmine Therapuetic Community*.

"Be strong and take heart, all you who hope in the LORD"

Psalm 1:24

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