

# Clonskeagh Parish Newsletter

Let us remember those who are  
sick and housebound in our Parish  
today!



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## Clonskeagh Parish Mass Times are as follows:

•10am Monday to Friday •6.30pm Saturday (Vigil) •10.30am Sunday

*We all need to exercise caution in our interactions with the public and with each other.*

*The norms of social distance, hand washing, and masks continue to be strictly observed.*

*Everyone who visits our church is to wear a face covering, to practice hand sanitising and social distancing, in order to protect everyone's health.*

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## Mass Intentions For This Week

Saturday 6.30pm – Mary Ellen & Joe Tierney (A)

Sunday 10.30am – Sinead & Patrick Hennessy (A)

Monday 10.00am – Eileen Fanning (A)

Tuesday 10.00am – Monica Metcalf (RD)

Wednesday 10.00am – Deceased Members and Friends of the Hennessy Family

Thursday 10.00am – Patricia Horgan (RD)

Friday 10.00am – Kathryn Bayley (RD)



We prayerfully remember all those who are  
Recently Deceased & all whose Anniversaries occur at this time.  
"May they rest in peace. Amen."

## AWARE - SUPPORT & SELF CARE GROUPS

If you, or those with whom you work wish to connect with people in relation to your mental wellbeing, please consider using the Phone in and Zoom Support & Self Care Groups, the Support Line or Support Mail, now and throughout the holiday season. These services provide support, coping skills and information – and most importantly help people who are in distress to know and feel that they are not alone in their experience. For more information about the groups <https://www.aware.ie/support/support-groups/> and all of our services on [www.aware.ie](http://www.aware.ie)

## Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

We often get satisfaction from the things we own, clothes, cars, homes, gadgets, or money. There would be something unnatural if we did not. But what happens to us when our possessions begin to 'own' us, when they take a hold us, when we become obsessed with them? Jesus seeks followers who have the freedom to let go of possessions in order to be a servant of others. In whom have you seen this freedom? When have you experienced it yourself?

Growth implies change. That change sometimes means letting go of something we have at this moment: job, status, home, security, or something else we value. There can be an apparent loss in letting go. Yet have you ever found that you gained by having the freedom to let go of something to which you had previously clung?

The disciples thought that Jesus was making impossible demands of people following him. He acknowledged that discipleship was impossible to us on our own efforts alone. How have you experienced the benefits of the help of others and of God when you were faced with difficulties in life?

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## Leave it to Him

'God knows what is my greatest happiness, but I do not. There is no rule about what is happy and good; what suits one would not suit another. And the ways by which perfection is reached vary very much; the medicines necessary for our souls are very different from each other. Thus God leads us by strange ways; we know He wills our happiness, but we neither know what our happiness is, nor the way. We are blind; left to ourselves we should take the wrong way; we must leave it to Him.'

St John Henry Newman  
Memorial 9 October



## Confirmation Celebrations

The young Confirmation candidates from **Our Lady's N. S. & St. Kilian's D.S.** received the **Sacrament of Confirmation** here in the Church last week. This was a very special occasion for them, their families and teachers.

We **thank** the teachers and staff of **Our Lady's N. S. & St. Kilian's D.S.** for all their work in preparing the young candidates for this day. We **remember** all this year's **Confirmation Candidates** from **Our Lady's N. S. & St. Kilian's D.S.** in our prayers.

"Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your Faithful. Enkindle in them the fire of Your love."