Clonskeagh Parish Newsletter

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



Clonskeagh Parish Mass Times are as follows:

- ●10am Monday to Friday (11am on Bank Holidays) will be celebrated in St. Joseph's (Except Funerals & Holy Days)
- •10.30am Sunday

Parish Office

The Parish Office is closed for the week & will re-open on Monday 17th April 2023 at 9.30am.

Parish Office Email: clonskeaghparish@gmail.com

Sacristy/Parish Office Telephone: 01 2837948 Website: www.clonskeaghparish.ie

Mass Intentions For This Week

Divine Mercy Sunday – Judy Brown (Month's Mind)

Jimmy & Bridie Walsh (A)

Baptism – We joyfully welcome Oisin Seán into the Catholic Faith and we congratulate his parents and family on this special occasion.

Monday 10.00am - Brian Waters (RD)

Tuesday 10.00am – Pierce McConnell (RD)

Wednesday 10.00am – Special Intention

Thursday - 10.00am - Marie Gavin (RD)

Friday - 10.00am - Judy Brown (RD)



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

"May all our faithfully departed rest in peace. Amen."



We warmly welcome the children from Our Lady's N.S. and St. Kilian's D.S. who celebrate their Service of Light this week.

We thank the teachers and staff of Our Lady's N.S. and St. Kilian's D.S. for all their work in preparing the children for this special celebration.

May all their preparations produce a rich harvest in the children's lives.

Tap & Go Device

The Archdiocese has installed devices in over 100 parishes so far. The monies raised from the Tap & Go Device will go directly to the Diocese of Dublin.

Please use the machine for your convenience and thank you for you donations.

Last Weekend Collections

1st Coll. (*The support of Priests*) €585 2nd Coll. (*Share*) €390 House to House (*Incl. S/O*) €350 Thank you for your continued support.

KNOCK PILGRIMAGE

Our 2023 Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock, which will be led by Archbishop Farrell, will take place on Saturday, April 29.

Please email

knockpilgrimage@dublindiocese.ie if you have any queries.

Ballinteer Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes



Date: 10th-15th June incl.

Price: €775 per person sharing (full board)

single supplement €175

Deposit: €100 and a copy of your passport

must accompany all bookings.

Tel: Ann 0860859725 Máirín 087290 4831



Second Sunday of Easter - Divine Mercy Sunday

'Peace be with you' was the greeting of Jesus on meeting his frightened apostles. Who has come to you bringing peace at times when you were frightened? For whom have you been an agent of peace? Thomas, doubting and questioning, is possibly a person with whom we can identify. What part have doubts and questions played on your faith journey? How has your faith been strengthened by such moments?

Note the way Jesus dealt with Thomas. He did not give out because he doubted. He took him where he was and led him along to see the truth of his resurrection. Who has been that kind of a teacher for you, gently taking you where you were and leading you on to a deeper knowledge of some truth about life? For whom have you been that kind of teacher? 'Blessed are they who have not seen and yet believed'. That requires great trust. Perhaps you have had the experience of being trusted without having had to prove every step along the way. What was it like to be trusted in that way?

Who have you been able to trust in a similar manner?

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PRIESTHOOD IN A SYNODAL CHURCH

In life, many hear God's call to priesthood. Is your heart open to the Lord?

Have you ever considered taking the risk to follow in the footsteps of Jesus? If so, you are invited to the national seminary, St Patrick's College, Maynooth, on April 25 to attend a special conference on evangelisation and vocations in Ireland today. Archbishop Rino Fisichella, Pro Prefect of the Vatican's Dicastery for Evangelisation, will be the keynote speaker. Please register directly at www.vocations.ie, or contact the National Vocations director Fr Willie Purcell at willie.purcell@iecon.ie or Rev Eric Cooney secretary of the National Vocations Office at eric.cooney@iecon.ie.

The conference is a prelude to the opening of the national Year of Vocations to the Diocesan Priesthood on Good Shepherd Sunday, April 30, on the theme 'Take the Risk for Christ'.

There is no charge for attending but places are limited.