



ST AGNES' PARISH WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Priests of the Parish

Fr. J. Deasy P.P. Ph. 4550955
Fr. J. Foster Ph. 4650714
Fr. P. Coffey Ph. 4650707
Fr. P. Brewster Ph. 4650716

Recently Deceased

Kathleen Malone, Inchicore Rd.
Late Captain's Rd.
Harriet Pender, Derry Drive
Elizabeth Byrne, Cashel Rd.
Mary Weafer, Late of
Beechfield Rd.
We express our deepest sympathies to
their families at this time.
May They Rest in Peace. Amen.

We would be grateful if you
could please either Turn
Off your Mobile Phone or
set it to 'Silent' when
entering the Church.



Sunday Mass Collections

Family Offering: €2,289
Share: €2,529

Many thanks for your continued
support and generosity

Thought for the Week

"I have come more and more to realise that being unwanted is the worst disease that any human being can ever experience"
Mother Teresa

Christmas is a Coming

On the Bank Holiday Monday 30th October I was in the Ashleaf Shopping Centre. Although we had not reached Halloween, there were early signs of Christmas on display in Dunne's Stores. I heard a mother with a little girl with her say, "You cannot have that as Christmas is a long time away", as the child reached for something with an enticing Christmas look.

By the time you read this some stores will be displaying a huge range of stock to capture your Euro. Of course the Winter season would be dull without the bright lights of Christmas and the festive mood surrounding the Season. However let us not lose sight of the reason for the Season. We are celebrating the birth of the Christ Child.

I do not think we have lost yet in Ireland the real sense of the message of Christmas. However this is a danger as Christmas becomes a secular event, Christ becomes just a shadow. Many homes are preparing outside displays of lights, with Santa on his sleigh on top of houses and massive and colourful designs, yet if we were to search for cribs among these displays they would be hard to find. If you have not got a crib in your home or in your children's homes, perhaps you might make an extra effort to have one this year or to set up a better Crib in your home this Christmas.

Our Parish makes an effort to provide reminders of the need to prepare well for Christmas—so watch this space. However you might make a resolution to send only religious Christmas cards this year and support a charity when purchasing them. That would be a good beginning.

Father John.

Mozart 250

The 250th Anniversary of the birth of Mozart is being marked in many different ways throughout the world this year. The Palestina Choir of the Pro Cathedral under the direction of Blanaid Murphy is holding it's final concert of Mozart's religious music in the National Concert Hall at 8pm this Monday 6th November. Tickets are available at the NCH Box Office.

The Requiem

The Palestrina Choir
The Orchestra of St. Cecilia.

The Great Mass in C Minor

The Dublin Bach Singers

Thank You

Our new piano / organ which we acquired at the end of the Summer has a new overcoat giving it protection. I would like to thank the anonymous person who made it and donated it.
Your labour is very much appreciated.

Eucharistic Ministers

Meeting will be held in the Parish centre on Wednesday 15th November at 7.30pm.
All Eucharistic Ministers are invited to attend

Harmony in the Home

Home should be that special place where we can find love, peace and harmony, a space to relax and be ourselves.

You are Cordially invited to a
Unique National Event on this Subject.
President Mary McAleese, Keynote
Speaker.

Conference Centre, Croke Park, Dublin.
Saturday 11th November, 1.30pm to 4pm.

Admission free

Light Refreshments Served
A New Book will be Launched

Limited Places Available

Book now: 01-838 88 88 / 087 9180 777

Is Unhappiness the Same as Depression

Talk by Dr. Tom McMonagle.

You are invited

On Wednesday 8th November

to

St. Agnes Parish Centre,

St. Agnes Road

Crumlin,

D.12.

Time: 8.00pm—9.00pm

Crumlin & District
Mental Health
Association.

St Agnes Parish Readers Roster for

Saturday 11 / 11 / 06

7.00pm Pauline Byrne

Sunday 12 / 11 / 06

9.00am Veronica McDermott

10.00am Family Mass

11.00am Pat Morrison

12.00pm Richard Tobin

1.00pm Catherine Nagle

7.00pm Joan O' Rourke

Spare Copies of Prayers of the Faithful are available in the Sacristy.

Please note the next readers meeting will be held on Wed 1st November @ 7.30pm. If you cannot make your reading, please contact John Green or the Sacristy

Heartfelt Thanks

Dear friends in Crumlin Parish, as you know I have taken up my appointment in Bohernabreena / Old Bawn. I have met many people with connections to Crumlin Parish.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who made my farewell so memorable; I will never forget their kindness and support it meant a lot to me.

I leave Crumlin with many memories which I will always cherish. As I am only a few minutes away feel free to call anytime. God Bless and every good wish in Christ. Fr. David.

AS You Know...

The final Mass will be celebrated in St. Damien's Mass Centre at 11.0am on Sunday 26th November.

After consulting with our Parish Pastoral Council we had little option but to centre all our Masses in the Parish Church. We hope people will be understanding of our staffing problems.

We would ask a neighbour to offer lifts to neighbours who have no transport, especially the elderly, so that they can attend Mass in the Parish Church.

Masses in St. Agnes

Saturday Vigil 7pm, Sunday 9, 10, 11, 12, 1pm and Evening Mass at 7pm.

On working holidays such as 8th December, There is an 8am Mass in St. Agnes, in place of the 1pm Mass

Catholic Youth Care Collection

This will take place at all Masses next weekend 11th & 12th November.

It will replace the Share Collection.

You are asked to be generous in your support of this Diocesan Agency.



Christ be near at Either Hand

1. Christ be near at either hand,
Christ behind before me stand, Christ
with me where e'er I go, Christ
around, above below.

2. Christ be in my heart and mind,
Christ within my soul enshrined Christ
control my wayward heart; Christ
abide and ne'er depart.

3. Christ my life and only way, Christ
my lantern night and day, Christ be
my unchanging friend, Guide and
shepherd to the end.

Praise to the Lord

1. Praise to the Lord the Almighty,
The king of creation. O my soul praise
him for he is your health and
salvation. All you who hear, now to
his altar draw near, Joining in glad
adoration.



2. Praise to the Lord, let us offer Our
gifts at the altar: Let not our sins and
transgressions Now cause us to falter.
Christ the high priest bids us all Join
in his feast, Victims with him on the
altar.

The Lord's my Shepherd

1. The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want,
He makes me down to lie, In pastures
green, he leadeth me The quiet
waters by.

2. My soul he doth restore again, And
me to walk doth make Within the
paths of righteousness, E'en for his
own name's sake.

3. Goodness and mercy all my life,
Shall surely follow me; And in God's
house for evermore, My dwelling
place shall be.

Hail Redeemer King Divine

1. Hail! Redeemer, King divine ! Priest
and Lamb, the throne is thine, King
whose reign shall never cease, Prince
of everlasting peace.

R. Angels, saints and nations sing:
Praised be Jesus Christ our King Lord
of life, earth, sky and sea, King of
love on Calvary.

2. Eucharistic king, what love, Draws
thee daily from above, Clad in signs
of bread and wine, Feed us, lead us,
keep us thine R.

3. King whose name creation thrills,
Rule our minds, our hearts, our wills,
Till in peace each nation rings, With
thy praises, King of kings.

Recently Baptised

Adam Jackson
Aimee Lauren Egerton
Joshua Anthony Carlyle Nolan



We welcome them into our
community and wish them every
blessing.

THANK YOU

A big thank you to the
residents of St
Michael's House for
helping to fold the
newsletters

