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Youth 2000 invites all young adults between the ages of 16-35 to a Catholic weekend retreat taking place from 16th - 18th December at Newbridge College, Co Kildare. This will be an exciting weekend attracting over 600 young people from all over the country.

What to expect? Good fun, excellent speakers, inspiring talks and workshops, prayer, fantastic liver music, group activities, Youth Mases, Adoration, a Healing service, games, lots of time to chill out and meet new people,

The weekend is being organised by young people for young people. Parental consent is essential for those under 18. all meals are provided for and accommodation is on site. Don't let money be an obstacle; just bring a donation and a sleeping bag. Newcomers very welcome. There will be a free buses picking up from various areas throughout the country. Booking is essential. For more information on the event or to book a place see www.youth2000.ie, youth 2000 Ireland Facebook page or Tel +353 1 6753690

CHRISTMAS at SAINT PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL DUBLIN

THE SNOWMAN Howard Blake - The Choristers of Saint Patrick's Cathedral would like to extend an invitation to you to attend a special performance of seasonal favourite "The Snowman" with Morgan Crowley (narrator) in aid of LAURALYNN Children's Hospice.

Friday 23rd December at 4.00pm - Admission Free* retiring collection in aid of LauraLynn Children's Hospice.

*Pre-booking advised – it's free and just a couple of clicks away https://stpatrickscathedral.digitickets.co.uk/event/1948872?catID=6441&_ga=1.60717870.285889527.1410682980

PARISH REPOSITORY

Church Art Calendar 2017 and a selection of Religious objects and Catholic Newspapers are available in the Repository located at the back of the Church. Open weekdays from 9.30am to 11.00am and after Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses.

Also now available is *"Walk with Me"*– A journey of Prayer and Reflection for Advent and Christmastide priced @ €1.30

St. Agnes Church Mass Cards, the Intention of Donor will be remembered in all Masses on Christmas Day.
(€5 per pack of 10 cards)
Available in the Parish Office & Church Repository

"Now available in Church Repository and Parish Office: The latest selection of Lorcan O'Toole Day Centre CHRISTMAS CARDS. Wonderful variety and still great value at only €4 per pack of 12 cards

St Agnes Parish Weekly Newsletter

Team Ministry of Clogher Rd, Crumlin & Mourne Rd
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The newsletter is available for download from our website: www.crumlinparish.ie
or Visit us on Find us on Facebook
4th December 2016 - 2nd Sunday of Advent

Priests of the Parish
Fr Paul Tyrrell: 455 5368
Fr David Fleming: 454 2308
Fr John Deasy: 455 0955
Fr Tom Clowe: 455 5605
Deacon
Rev Jimmy Fennell: 455 5368

Child Protection
Dublin Diocesan Office
836 0314 or 087 6853180
E-mail: cps@dublindiocese.ie

St Agnes Church Mass Times
Weekday Masses
9.00am, 10.00 am, 7.00pm
Saturday Vigil Mass
7.00pm
Sunday Masses
9.30am; 11.00 am (*Family)*; 12.30pm *(Choir)*; 7.00pm
Holy day Masses:-
7.00pm Vigil; 9.00am, 10.00am, 7.00pm

Confession Times

Saturdays from 10.30am to 11.30am & 6.45pm
Eve of First Fridays after 10.00am Mass & 6.45pm

COFFEE DOCK

The Coffee Dock in St Agnes Parish Centre is open Monday to Friday from 10.00am-12.00 noon.
Call in any day to savour the friendly atmosphere, have a cuppa and some chat with neighbours and friends

Last Weekend's Collections

1st Collection:	€2,032
Share:	€1,729
Family Offering:	€1,570

Many thanks for your continued support and generosity

Thought for the Week
"When we put our problems in God's Hands, He puts peace in our hearts" - Anonymous

MUSINGS: Advent

You know that feeling of waiting for something or someone? It is a feeling of excitement or maybe anxiety. For most people, waiting is not a very popular pastime, it can be seen as a waste of time. If we allow it to, waiting can be a creative time, a time of high alert, where we may even be more aware of ourselves. Our senses are heightened especially when we are waiting for important news or results or waiting on a loved one to call or to arrive. Waiting is not always seen as a good thing but it can be a time for growth. And so, we enter into the season of waiting: Advent. The Gospel reminds us to be alert and use this time to prepare. What will our preparations be like? God is with us in many different ways, trying to catch our attention in the midst of our busy days. As we fight our way through the queues in the coming weeks, can we use 5 minutes, 7 minutes, 20 mins … to stop, be still, to ask God to enter into our hearts and lives once more.

Jane Mellett, Email:mellettj@gmail.com*(Intercom)*

Eucharistic Adoration

As a number of our listed adorers have been unable to attend in recent months we are asking you to consider becoming a regular adorer, giving an hour to the Lord at a set time each week
You will see from the Roster Folder in the Oratory the times that are short of named adorers. If you can commit, you can give your name and phone number to the Parish Secretary or you can phone Deirdre on 087 955 1914

Christmas Craft Fair

December 7th 10.00-12.00 Lorcan O Toole Day Centre
83 Bus Terminus. Off Kimmage Road West.
Conact: Ellen or Thomas 4554532
lorcanotoole2@gmail.com

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

St Vincent De Paul Special Collection will replace the Share Collection at all Masses this weekend.

THIS WEEKEND'S CHURCH GATE COLLECTION IS IN AID OF THRESHOLD – A CHARITY WHICH WORKS TO PREVENT HOMELESSNESS.

THRESHOLD
The National Housing Charity

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 3rd December

7.00pm **MONTHS MIND**
Anne Long

ANNIVERSARIES
Steven Doyle 1st
Rita Barry 1st
John Joseph McGuinness 3rd
John McGuinness 6th
Andrew Brady 6th
Mary Kennedy &son Christy 20th
Henry O'Brien 26th
Anthony Chester Beatty &wife Teresa
Jack Murray

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE
Helen Salter
John Swords

Sunday 4th December

9.30am Margaret McDonnell, 38th Anniv

11.00am **MONTHS MIND**
Fr Michael Ross

12:30pm **ANNIVERSARIES**
Chris Mooney 5th
Daniel Dempsey 13th
Helen Maxwell 13th
Kathleen McDonnell 17th
William & Catherine O'Connor
Philip & Dolores Hughes
Joe & Eileen Lynch
Kitty, Andrew & Thomas Cronin
Ann Cooling
Mary B O'Sullivan
Baby Eanna Coffey
Billie Martin

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE
Paddy Brogan

7.00pm **ANNIVERSARIES**
James & Margaret Lawlor 5th

Monday 5th December

7.00pm Rita Green

Thursday 8th December

7.00pm Jim & Lil Doris

Friday 9th December

9.00am Terry Byrne 1st Anniversary
7.00pm George Donegan 22nd Anniv

May their Souls and the Souls of all the Faithful departed Rest In Peace. Amen

All Mass Intentions should be booked in the Parish Office no later than midday on the Wednesday before the Sunday Masses.

Our Recently Deceased

Anthony Farnan, Dowland Rd

We express our deepest sympathies to his families at this sad time.

May He Rest in Peace. Amen.

St Agnes Parish Reader's Roster

If you cannot make your scheduled Reading please contact John Green

Saturday, 10th December
7:00pm Ciaran Heavey
Sunday, 11th December
9:30am R & B McDermott
11:00am Mary Finnegan
12:30pm Catherine Nagle
7:00pm Emer Sinnott

The Week Ahead…
Sunday 4th – Saturday 10th December 2016

Sunday	2nd of Advent
Monday	Bl Philip Rinaldi
Tuesday	St Nicholas
Wednesday	St Ambrose
Thursday	Immaculate Conception
Friday	
Saturday	

RECENTLY BAPTISED

Bobby Brendan Burke
Ella Rose Winsor
Pearse Michael Delaney
Jake Colin Armstrong
Harper Rose Doyle-Mulraney
Aliyah Faith Murphy
Saydie Ann Donovan Tyrrell

We welcome them into our Christian Community and wish them every blessing in their lives ahead.

O Crucified Jesus have mercy on me ,
My soul and my body I give unto thee
The five bleeding wounds that hung from a tree
O Crucified Jesus have mercy on me
The five bleeding wounds you suffered for me.

Photos which were handed in for the Mass for the Deceased on Wednesday 16th November 2016 are available for collection in the Sacristy. There are also some photos remaining from the Mass in November 2015.

CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING

The official lighting of the Christmas tree in Crumlin village will take place on Wednesday 7th December at 5pm outside the Garda Station by the deputy Lord Mayor Cllr. Rebecca Moynihan. Santa will be arriving on his sleigh and refreshments will be served afterwards in the Parish Centre. All are welcome.

Charity Concert: St Mary's Pro Cathedral is hosting *"Voices from the Pro Cathedral"* on Tuesday the 13th December at 7.30pm in aid of Brother Kevin Capuchin day centre for the Homeless and Dogs aid Animal Rescue.

Listen to Celine Byrne, Johnny Logan, Linda Martin, Secret Garden, the Boys of the Palestrina Choir & St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral Girls' Choir. Enjoy Readings from Anne Doyle, Mary Kennedy, Sharon Ni Bheolain, Derek Mooney and Maureen O'Sullivan.

Contact Orla Kearney, 087 9949010 or email:procathedral@eircom.net, tickets on sale on the door or in advance through parish office 9.30am to 5.00pm Monday to Friday and 9.30am to 2.00pm Saturday.

Join us for a magical star filled night of songs and readings

Advent Prayer

Lord Jesus come into our fears,
Come into our anxieties,
Come into our failures,
Come into our divisions,
Come into our grieving,
Come into our loneliness,
Come into our darkness,
Come into our doubting,
Come into our despair,
Come into our dying,
Come, Lord Jesus, Come.

CRUMLIN MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION
Crumlin Mental Health Association are having a Table Quiz in The Village Inn on Thursday the 8th December at 8.00pm.

They also wish to thank all those who supported their recent Church Gate Collection.

Tree lighting ceremony of remembrance in **Our Lady's Hospice & Care Services, Harold's Cross today Sunday 4th Dec@3.45pm** .
Guest of Honour Christy Moore. Call 1850 660606 to sponsor a light. www.lightupalife.ie

Crosscare Food Appeal

The Parish Centre is open during all Masses this weekend to take in non perishable food items for the Archdiocese of Dublin Crosscare Food Appeal

Crosscare staff are trying to keep up with demand from the food banks as Christmas approaches – particularly for families in need.

Types of food urgently needed include pasta/rice, fruit juice, tea/coffee, soup, sugar, powdered milk, tinned meat/fish, tinned veg/fruit, packaged dessert, biscuits, and hygiene products

1916 Exhibition in the Pro Cathedral: Ministry, Advocacy and Compassion 1916 exhibition which examines the role of the Catholic Church in 1916 continues from 1.30pm-5.30pm daily at St. Kevin's Chapel, Pro-Cathedral. Admission is free. To arrange a group booking, please contact the Pro-Cathedral parish office at 874 5441 / Email: procath@dublindiocese.ie See more at: http://www.dublindiocese.ie/1916-exhibition-in-the-pro-cath…

Volunteers Required to help distribute the St Agnes Church Christmas Schedule. Please call to the parish after this weekend's Masses or after the 9.00am and 10.00am Mass on Monday 5th and Tuesday 6thDec

ARE YOU HAVING DIFFICULTIES PAYING YOUR BILLS OR MORTGAGE?

We can help. For free and confidential advice please contact **Dublin 12 MABS** @ 0761 07 2500 or email: dublin12@mabs.ie. or you can call in to our office at 2 Innismore Estate, Crumlin Village.
We are here to offer advice, support and information. We can negotiate with creditors on your behalf.