TODAY'S GOSPEL WORDSEARCH

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GLORY ANGELS THRONE
SHEPHERD HERITAGE HUNGRY
FOOD STRANGER CURSE
FIRE DEVIL VIRTUOUS

8th Annual Songs for a Winters Evening: Christmas Celebration in St. Mochta's Church, Porterstown on Sunday 3rd Dec at 7.30pm. Mary Flynn, Mary O'Donnell, Teresa O'Donnell and Friends will all perform on the night - all proceeds in aid of St. Francis Hospice, Blanchardstown. Tickets available from parish office and cost €15 each Tel: 8213218 or www.sfh./online-shop

YOUTH 2000 invites all **young adults** between ages of 16-35 to a Catholic weekend retreat taking place from 8th- 10th Dec 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 live music, group activities, Youth Masses, 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 all 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 **free buses** picking up from various areas throughout the country. **Booking is essential.** For more information on the event or to book your place, see **www.youth2000.ie, Youth 2000 Ireland Facebook page** or **Tel**: **6753690**

Volunteers: Aware is currently recruiting volunteers across its four support services – Support Line, Support Mail, Support & Self Care Groups and Life Skills Online. No prior qualifications or experience is required, as comprehensive training as well as ongoing support and education is provided by the organisation. For more information, please visit aware.ie/volunteer or call 6617211.

Walk with me – A journey of Prayer for Advent and Christmastide 2017 are now available in the shop at the back of the Church, price €1.30 each.

2018 Church Art Calendars are on sale in the Repository priced at €1.50 each

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

Lorcan O'Toole Day Centre Christmas Cards are now available for sale in the Parish Office or in the Repository at the Back of the Church.

No change in price still only €4 per pack of 12 with new exciting designs.

Please support your local Charity.

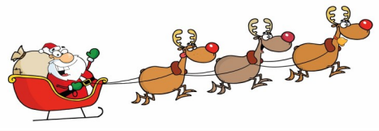
CRUMLIN WALKINSTOWN COMMUNITY FORUM - CHRISTMAS DAY DINNER

CWCF would like to invite you on Monday 25th December at 12pm to 3pm to Father Kitt Court, St Agnes Road, Crumlin Village, Dublin 12 For Christmas Dinner & Light Festive Refreshments

Ticket Only Event / Cars are available if needed

We look forward to your company and may we wish you and your family all the joy of the Festive Season and a Happy New Year. Nollaig Shona Duit

Contact Susan Collins on 085-2137744



St Agnes Parish Weekly Newsletter

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26th November 2017, Feast of Christ the King

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
E-mail: cps@dublindiocese.ie
or contact St Agnes Parish Office at 455 5368

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 11.00am & 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:	**€ 2,234**
Share:	**€ 1,626**
Family Offering:	**€ 1,255**

Many thanks for your continued support and generosity

Thought for the Week

"Difficult Roads often lead to Beautiful Destinations " - Anonymous

THE DEEP END: What sort of king is this?

From a very young age, children tend to hear a lot about royalty. Popular fairytales, many of them around for hundreds of years, tell tales of beautiful princesses, brave princes, and noble, wise, old kings and queens. They transport children into a world of extravagant palaces and riches beyond anything they could imagine. Modern children's stories and cartoons continue the fascination, but many now turn the traditional stereotypes on their head. Princesses no longer wait around to be rescued, but take their fate into their own hands. Princes don't necessarily want to be brave or to become the next king.

In the time of Jesus kings were powerful rulers, and some were tyrants. We know from earlier in Matthew's Gospel that King Herod was capable of brutal acts. There were expectations too about the great Messianic King who would lead a rebellion and establish his kingdom on earth.

The king that Jesus talks about turns these images upside down. He is a fair judge, a shepherd who looks after his flock, inviting all who act with justice and generosity to take their place in his kingdom. He is also in solidarity with the 'least' of his people. Who ever heard of a king who knows what it's like to be in need of food, clothing or company? But Jesus is a different sort of royalty. His kingdom is not based on power or riches, but charity, compassion and forgiveness.

Tríona Doherty. Athlone, Co Roscommon
Email trionad@gmail.com (Intercom)

PARISH FOOD APPEAL DECEMBER 2ND AND 3RD

Archbishop Martin is seeking practical support for a Parish Food Appeal for the Crosscare Foodbanks.

Crosscare work with many individuals and families throughout the Archdiocese who are struggling to make ends meet. The Food Banks provide support with essential food and household items.

This collection will be held on the weekend of Dec 2nd & 3rd.

This will allow hampers to be delivered in good time for Christmas to hundreds of families.

The items that are most needed at this time include:

·Shampoo & Hygiene Products~·Soups
·Tinned meats ~·Seasonal Biscuits
·Cleaning Products

The parish centre will be open during all the Masses to take in food donations.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 25 Nov

7:00pm **MONTHS MIND**
Eddie Whelan; Eamonn Campbell

ANNIVERSARIES
Catherine Kelly 1st
Maura Corcoran 3rd also 90th Birthday Rem.
Marie McGarry 8th; Phyllis O'Driscoll 26th
Paddy Conroy 27th; Michael Howlett 28th
Margaret Tracey 52nd
Peggy Conroy; Sheila & Laura Hogan
Thomas Moloney; Áine Greenhalgh
Patrick Tracey; Mabel Gaynor
Daniel Whelan; William & Christina Doyle
Janet Tuohy; Paschal Dockery
Agnes Keogh & deceased members of the Keogh Family

Sunday 26 Nov

9:30am **ANNIVERSARIES**
Liam Hyland 64th; Nora Hyland 37th
Margaret & John Madden & sons Sean & Liam

11:00am **ANNIVERSARIES**
Margaret McQuaid 15th;
Arthur McQuaid 23rd
John & Mary O'Connor

12:30pm **MONTHS MIND**
Patricia Duggan; Eileen Duggan
Adrian Tucker

ANNIVERSARIES
Robert Fox 6th; Aishling O'Connor 9th
Marie Smith 14th; Bridget Gorman 21st
Sarah Doyle, James Doyle,
Danny Doyle, Patricia Doyle & deceased family & friends;
Ollie Haslam; Mary Kavanagh
Maureen Conroy; Kevin Mulvaney

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE
Sheila Coonan

7:00pm **Pro Populo**

Monday 27 Nov
7.00pm Noel Dennehy Memorial Mass

Tuesday 28 Nov
7.00pm William Grehan 10th

Wednesday 29 Nov
7.00pm Kathleen Massey

Thursday 30 Nov
7.00pm Mary Temple & Hugh Temple

Fri 1 Dec 1st Friday

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

Martin Conroy, Captains Rd
Molly Sterio, Windmill Rd

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

May They Rest in Peace. Amen.

Altar List of the Dead

Envelopes and forms are now available at the Church exits to have deceased family and friends included in the Altar List of the Dead. The Priests of the Parish offer Mass each month for all names entered on the Altar List of the Dead

St Agnes Parish Reader's Roster

If you cannot make your scheduled Reading please contact John Green

Saturday, 2nd December 2017

7:00pm	Kevin Smyth

Sunday, 3rd December 2017

9:30am	Valerie Collins
11:00am	Children's Mass
12:30pm	John Green
7:00pm	William Elliott

The Next Readers Meeting will take place on Monday 27th November at 7.30pm

The Week Ahead…
Sunday 19th Nov - Saturday 25th Nov 2017

Sunday	Christ the King
Monday	St Fergal
Tuesday	St Catherine Laboure
Wednesday	
Thursday	St Andrew
Friday	
Saturday	

Five First Saturday Devotions

to The Immaculate Heart of Mary as requested by Our Lady of Fatima will start in St Agnes Church on Saturday 2nd December at 9.00am, Mass, Communion, Confession after Mass and 15 minutes meditation on Mysteries of the Rosary after Mass Leaflet and cards of this devotion will be available at the back of the Church.

New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week, 26th November

For nearly three thousand years, men and women from diverse lands and cultures have been lifting their hearts to God by praying and singing the psalms. "The Psalms: 150 Ways of Praying" is a short introductory online course from the English Jesuits. It explores why these beautiful and timeless songs have such universal appeal and shows how the psalms can set us on a pathway to deeper prayer. For this, and for other online spiritual resources, visit www.NewPilgrimPath.ie

Rosary on the Coasts for Life and Faith

A rosary on the coasts around Ireland for life and faith, takes place on Sunday 26th Nov at 2.30pm at over 140 locations around Ireland on the feast of Christ the King (Ireland was the first country in the world to be consecrated to Christ the King in the 1930s). To all laity and consecrated: please make a special effort to come and pray with us or wherever you can at 2.30pm for Ireland. See church porches of details.

Christmas Concert: Trócaire will be hosting a Christmas Gala Concert in Mount Argus on Sunday, Dec 3rd at 7:30pm. Admission is free, but by ticket only as there may be limited availability on the night. The evening will include favourite carols from three choirs, as well as featuring the talents of Sibeál Ní Chasadaigh, The Key Notes, Lisa Lambe (Celtic Woman) and boy soprano Adam Coates (Palestrina Choir). The MC for the evening will be Joe Duffy. A collection will be taken up in aid of Trocaire's work. Tickets are now available through eventbrite.ie, at the Mount Argus parish office, or call 505 3269.

St Agnes Christmas Market
Scoil Úna Naofa Christmas Market
[Formerly St Agnes Primary School]
Armagh Rd, Crumlin,
Buses 17,18,and 83 to the door.
Ample parking for cars.
www.stagnesmusiccrumlin.com
Saturday 2nd December 2017 11am-3pm
Admission **FREE**
Santa arrives 12 noon! Family photos **FREE**
Murf the Magician 1:30pm **FREE**
Christmas Café, model train display, bake stalls, crafts, gifts, model railway, kid's games, competitions, raffles and spot prizes.
Kick start YOUR spirit of Christmas at St Agnes Christmas Market
All proceeds to St Agnes School Violin & Orchestra Project.
Contact 087 387 5749 or 087 274 0186

Christmas Concert – Gardiner St parish presents Liam Lawton in concert on Monday 4th Dec at 8pm in Church of St. Francis Xavier. Proceeds to the Jesuit Mission in Assam, NE India.
Tickets cost €20 and will be available at the door

ADVENT 2017 - *Praying Advent with Isaiah*

A Wednesday morning series in the Pro-Cathedral at 11.15-12.30. The presentations will explore the Isaiah readings for the first three Sundays of Advent, with the context of all three readings.

- Dates: 29 Nov, 6 and 13 Dec, in St Kevin's Oratory at 11.15-12.30.
- Mass is available before at 10.30 and after at 12.45.

Extra resources for Advent may be found here: http://www.tarsus.ie/page-27/page-14/.

The Lord will give you bread in adversity and water in affliction. No longer will your Teacher hide himself, but with your own eyes you shall see your Teacher, and your ears shall hear a word behind you: "This is the way; walk in it," when you would turn to the right or the left. (Isa 30:20–21)

Vacancies

⇒ **Vacancy for Parish Accounts Administrator:** Rathgar Parish is currently recruiting a Parish Accounts Administrator.

⇒ **Vacancy for Sacramental Co-ordinator (Meath St. Parish):** This role is being offered on a part-time (15 hours per week) and temporary basis. The purpose of the role is to deliver the Sacramental Programmes through the training and support of parents and act as a link between parish, parents and schools.

Full details available at www.dublindiocese.ie/jobvacancies/

World Meeting of Families are seeking to hire for the following roles: Administrative Assistant to Pastoral Programme, Host Family Co-ordinator, Volunteer Outreach Co-ordinator, Exhibition Sales Coordinator, Event Services and Logistics Coordinator – All job descriptions and information are available on our website: www.worldmeeting2018.ie/jobs/