GOSPEL WORDSEARCH

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JERUSALEM PASSOVER PIGEONS
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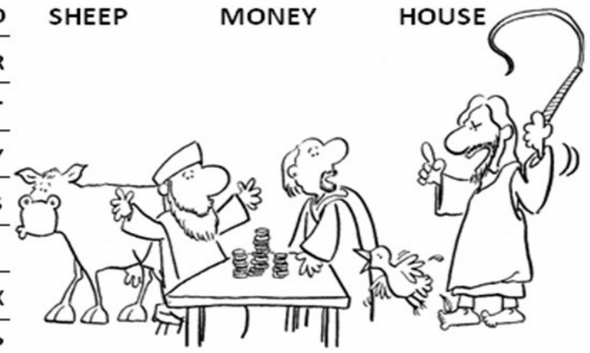
ZEAL BODY COINS
SHEEP MONEY HOUSE



Update - Our Lady's Hospice & Care Services

During 2017, Our Lady's Hospice & Care Services in Harold's Cross and Blackrock cared for almost 4,300 and made over 10,700 visits to homes in the area. With the generous support of local communities and business sponsors, we raised over €6 million to help fund our services, including a major redevelopment of our palliative care unit in Harold's Cross.

Thank you to all who bought pins on *Sunflower Days*, raised a cup for *Ireland's Biggest Coffee Morning for Hospice Together with Bewley's* and joined Daniel O'Donnell at *Light Up a Life*. Sincere thanks also to those who ran their own events from dancing to sky-dives and snooker to abseiling.

Faith for Life Course The Faith for Life Course did not take place as scheduled this weekend (3rd and 4th March) in Holy Cross Diocesan Centre, Clonliffe. It will take place on Saturday 12th and Sunday 13th May instead. Apologies to all concerned.

ST AGNES MUSICAL SOCIETY & ORCHESTRA PRESENT

'OLIVER" by Lionel Bart
Directed by Eimear O'Grady
On
Friday 23rd March @ 7.30pm
Saturday 24th March @ 3.00pm & 7.30pm
Sunday 25th March @ 7.30pm
In Scoil Úna Naofa Hall, Armagh Rd, Crumlin
All Seats are €10
(Seats are allocated by Row & No)
Book Online at www.stagnesmusiccrumlin.com
Email stagnesmusicalsociety2011@gmail.com
Ph 087 274 0186 / 087 387 5749

Readings of Lent for Prayer & Preaching
Every Wednesday of Lent in St Mary's Pro-Cathedral from 11.15am to 12.30pm. Mass will be available at 10.30am and 12.45pm.
Presenter: Kieran O'Mahony, OSA.

CRUMLIN WALKINSTOWN LOCAL FORUM
Are you interested in being part of an Historical group in the Crumlin, Walkinstown area? If so, please come to the Walkinstown Library on Wednesday 7th March at 6.30pm. All Welcome.

St Agnes Parish Weekly Newsletter

Team Ministry of Clogher Rd, Crumlin & Mourne Rd
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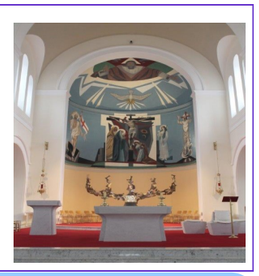
4th March 2018, 3rd Sunday of Lent



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:	**€ 1,869**
WMOF 2018:	**€ 3,888**
Family Offering:	**€ 1,735**

Many thanks for your continued support and generosity

Thought for the Week

"Try to be a rainbow in someone's cloud" - Maya Angelou

THE DEEP END: Who do you think you are?

'A certain fiery and starry light shone from his eyes and the majesty of Godhead gleamed in His face.' - St Jerome

What gives you the right? Who do you think you are? In our world, it can be difficult to work out who has authority to speak on certain issues. There are 'experts', both qualified and unqualified, at every turn, telling us how we should spend or invest our money, how we should bring up our children, how we should eat, exercise or dress. We usually manage to tune a lot of it out. But when unsolicited advice or criticism is aimed directly at us, we can feel under attack and react accordingly. 'What gives you the right to tell me how to live my life?' is a common response. We sometimes need to hear someone's credentials before we are willing to give them a fair hearing.

The Temple scene in today's gospel sparks a debate about Jesus' authority. When the Jews question him, asking for a sign to justify what he has done, it is as if they are saying 'Who do you think you are, coming in here, criticising our activities and telling us how to run things?' In calling the Temple 'my Father's house,' Jesus has already identified the source of his authority, but his interrogators do not seem to understand, nor indeed do his disciples. This scene offers much more than an angry Jesus and a clueless audience. It is a public revelation by Jesus that he is the authoritative Son of God, and a foreshadowing of his death and resurrection.

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Trócaire Boxes are available at all church exits, please take one home and save over the Lenten Period.

THE BOOK OF THE GOSPELS

You may have noticed that the **BOOK OF THE GOSPELS** is on a stand before the Altar. The Mass has essentially two parts – The Liturgy of the Word and The Liturgy of the Eucharist. You may have been present at a special Mass and have seen that the Book of the Gospels is incensed. This is to show reverence and honour for the Word of God. You are welcome during a visit to the Church to read the Word of God and to spend a short time in reflection and prayer. We kindly ask you not to turn the pages.

WALK WITH ME - This is the title of a very helpful booklet that provides prayers and reflections for Lent and Easter. It comes in a pocket size edition which is very handy to bring anywhere. There are still some copies available in the Parish Shop at the back of the Church. The cost is €1.30 and is excellent value.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 3rd March

7.00pm **MONTHS MIND**
Frances Somay (nee Delaney)
Pauline Duffy

ANNIVERSARIES
Mary Smart 1st; Brigid Clarke 1st
Henry McEvoy 2nd; Christopher Evans 2nd
Joe Gannon 4th; Christina Swords 12th
Christina Mahony 23rd;' Michael Myers 24th
Patrick & James Zambra & Deceased members of Zambra family;
John & Colm Swords; Alan Smart

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE
Ena Smart

Sunday 4th March

9:30am **ANNIVERSARIES**

11:00am **ANNIVERSARIES**
Rose & William Bonner; Nuala O'Connor
Mary Bonner; Francis Bonner
Bridget Laffan 10th

12:30pm **MONTHS MIND**
Philomena Broderick

ANNIVERSARIES
Anthony Markides 4th; Patrick Laffan 9th
Phyllis Altman 17th; Emmanuel Altman 20th
Charles Goucher;
Mary Donohoe; Brian Donohoe
Mary & John Byrne & Deceased Family members

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE
Kevin Mulvaney

7:00pm **Pro Populo**

Monday 5th March

7.00pm Betty Healy 25th Anniv., Husband Philip, daughters Elizabeth & Terry

Tuesday 6th March

7.00pm John Nolan 33rd Anniv.

Wednesday 7th March

9.00am Noel Long

Thursday 8th March

7.00pm Keelin Raynor Birthday Remembrance

Saturday 10th March

9.00am Brid Marken

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

Joseph Mulhall, Kildare Rd
Christopher Coleman, Fr Kitt Ct

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

May They Rest in Peace. Amen.

St Agnes Parish Reader's Roster

If you cannot make your scheduled Reading please contact John Green

Saturday, 10th March2018
7:00pm Ann Maher

Sunday, 11th March 2018
9:30am Veronica McDermott
11:00am B Prior
12:30pm Nuala Talbot
7:00pm J Green & DO'Rourke

The Week Ahead…
Sunday 4th Mar - Saturday 10th Mar 2018

Sunday	3rd Sunday of Lent
Monday	
Tuesday	
Wednesday	St Perpetia, St Felicity
Thursday	St John of God; St Senan
Friday	St Frances of Rome
Saturday	St John Ogilvie

RECENTLY BAPTISED

Jordan James Byrne; Bodhi Michael Curtin
Hugh James Hansford; Casa Crystal Dormer;
Emma Grace Gentles
Jamie John Kiernan;
Killian Kearney; Jackson Kearney

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

Thank you from the World Meeting of Families 2018

Thank you for your support of last weekend's parish collection for WMOF2018.
www.worldmeeting2018.ie

RALLY TO SAVE THE 8TH ON 10TH MARCH 2018 AT 2.00PM PARNELL SQUARE

The Rally will be preceded by a Special Mass in St Saviours Church Dominic St at 12.30pm

The Pro Life movement consider that a very good attendance is vital to the rejection of the upcoming referendum and will be the last major mass rally before May/June

New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week, 4th March

A beautiful Lenten resource for individual and group meditation is Ecce Homo: Poems for Lent and Holy Week, from the Anglican Archdiocese of Algoma, Canada. The daily Lenten poems include poems of lamentation and pain – reminders of Jesus's suffering – as well as of contemplation, praise and thanksgiving. To access this inspiring and varied selection, visit www.NewPilgrimPath.ie

St Agnes Parish, Crumlin

Novena of Grace & Parish Retreat for Lent

4th – 12th March 2018 Conducted by

Fr. Pat Rogers C.P. Mount Argus & Fr. John Hughes OSA PP Our Lady of Good Counsel Ballyboden

Theme: Come seek the tender faithfulness of God

Date	Time	Topic
Sunday 4th March	All Masses	*Liturgy of the 3rd Sunday of Lent with Novena Prayer*
Monday 5th March	10.00am & 7.00pm	Wisdom and Serenity (Scripture: 1 Kings 3:4-13)*Fr. John Hughes*
Tuesday 6th March	10.00am & 7.00pm	"You can't have one without the other" Family Life and Conflict or "Negotiating Conflict". *Fr. John Hughes*
Wednesday 7th March	10.00am & 7.00pm	Humility – a core Christian Virtue Micah: Walk Humbly with your God. *Fr. John Hughes*
Thursday 8th March	10.00am & 7.00pm	Gender and generosity (Eph 5:21-32 "Be subject to one another out of reverence for Christ") *Fr. Pat Rogers*
Friday 9th March	10.00am & 7.00pm	The marriage vocation (Gal 6:2 "Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ.") *Fr. Pat Rogers*
Saturday 10th March	10.00am & 7.00pm	The parenting vocation (Eph 6:4 "Do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the way of the Lord.") *Fr. Pat Rogers*
Sunday 11th March	All Masses	*Liturgy of the 4th Sunday of Lent with Novena Prayer*
Monday 12th March	10.00am & 7.00pm	Gratitude: "Always give thanks". Fr. John Hughes

NOVENA OF GRACE WILL CONCLUDE WITH A PENITENTIAL SERVICE AFTER 7.00PM MASS ON MONDAY 12TH MARCH IN PREPARATION FOR EASTER

Family Offering *(Covers Parish Expenses)*

We are deeply grateful to you who faithfully contribute on a regular basis to the family offering. The Weekly Family Offering is the only collection that goes directly to the parish, so you will appreciate how important it is to the Parish Finances. It is our main source of income that covers the cost of insurance, heating, lighting and maintenance. If you would like to contribute to this collection by way of weekly envelope or monthly standing order please call to the parish office during the week to complete a form and collect a Family Offering Box or complete a Standing Order form for the Bank.

New Family Offering Boxes for week commencing 4th of March have been distributed to those homes who contribute weekly. If you have not received your box of envelopes please call to or telephone the office during the week - 4555368. To all those volunteers who helped distribute the boxes of envelope we sincerely thank you for your dedication.

Novena Hymn

My God I love thee not because
I hope for heaven thereby
Nor yet since they who love Thee not
Must burn eternally
E'en so I love thee and will love
And in thy praise will sing
Solely because Thou art my God
And my eternal King
Solely because Thou art my God
And my eternal King
Thou art my God and my eternal King

Postponement of Emmanuel 2018—Due to the weather conditions, the Emmanuel concerts scheduled for the Helix 28th Feb & 1st March were cancelled and will be rescheduled after Easter.

Tomorrow's Parish A seminar to discuss a vision of the Parish in the future in Ireland will take place on Thurs 8th March in the Academy Room, Holy Cross Diocesan Centre, Clonliffe Road at 7.30pm Dublin 3. Speakers on the night – Archbishop Diarmuid Martin, Donal Harrington, author of *Tomorrow's Parish*; Hannah Evans, Outreach Coordinator of World Meeting of Families 2018; Fr Timothy Bartlett, Secretary General for the World Meeting of Families; Most Rev. Diarmuid Martin, Archbishop of Dublin, Primate of Ireland. All are welcome – please RSVP to info@columba.ie