GOSPEL WORDSEARCH

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Feast of Pentecost In preparation for Pentecost, a series of talks and devotions will be held at 7.30pm each evening in Greenhills Church, Limekiln Lane, Dublin 12 from Monday 14th – Saturday 19th May. Speakers: Fr Bryan Shortall, author of the book *'Tired of all the bad news';* Fr Donagh O'Shea OP, Dominican Retreat Centre Tallaght; Ronan Barry, educator/theologian; Bishop Patricia Storey, Church of Ireland Bishop of Meath & Kildare; Gerry Moore, trained spiritual director. Concluding with concelebrated Mass at 6.30pm on Saturday 19th with Bishop Eamonn Walsh. Refreshments served in the parish centre afterwards.

A Joy for all the Earth On Sunday 13th May, Maynooth College will host a Diocesan celebration, 'A Joy for all the Earth'. A concert of sacred choral music with Maynooth Education Campus Chamber Choir, St Joseph's Navan Schola and the RTÉ Cór na nÓg featuring composers such as Sue Furlong, Moses Hogan, Fergus Hall and Ronan McDonagh. The concert will conclude with a collaborative performance of this year's World Meeting of Families anthem, 'A Joy for all the Earth', conducted by composer Ephrem Feeley. Venue: College Chapel, St Patrick's College, Maynooth at 6pm (please be seated by 5.40pm). Tickets €10 available from Maynooth Bookshop or Eventbrite – link: https://bit.ly/2FEKG4z

Visit the Rose garden and Bloom medal winning garden in Our Lady's Hospice & Care Services, Harold's Cross on Saturday 19th & Sunday 20th May 10.30am – 4.00pm.

There will be a Bonsai exhibition and plants for sale with tips from our gardener. All Welcome: Admission is Free

See olh.ie/gardens for further information on the Hospice Open Garden Trail.

Can you spare an hour for Sunflower Days?

Our Lady's Hospice & Care Services, Harold's Cross & Blackrock are in urgent need of your help.

Sunflower Days 8th & 9th June

If you could donate an hour or two of your time to lend a hand selling Sunflower pins to help raise funds on our national collection day please contact Ann or Mary on: 01 4911072 or fundraising@olh.ie. Thank you

A copy of the World Meeting of Family prayer is at all the exits. It would be nice if every family took one and have it in their home.

St Agnes Parish Weekly Newsletter

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13th May 2018, Ascension of the Lord

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

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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:	€ 1,928
Share:	€ 1,653
Family Offering:	€ 1,460

Many thanks for your continued support and generosity

Thought for the Week

"We are Christians to the extent that we allow Jesus Christ to live in us." - Pope Francis Twitter

THE DEEP END: Forgotten feast

Sandwiched between Easter and Pentecost, the feast of the Ascension can sometimes tend to be overlooked. It can be hard to make sense of the artistic images we see of Jesus disappearing into the clouds as the disciples stand stare after him. But the Ascension does more than simply mark the culmination of Jesus' earthly life; it opens up for us a path to God. Where Jesus has gone, we hope one day to follow.

As Pope Francis puts it, 'the Ascension does not point to Jesus' absence, but tells us that he is alive in our midst in a new way. He is no longer in a specific place in the world as he was before the Ascension. He is now … present in every space and time, close to each one of us. We are never alone: the Crucified and Risen Lord guides us.'

It is this very presence of Jesus that gave the disciples, and gives us, the strength for mission. Immediately before he is taken into heaven, Jesus issues his final and most important instruction: 'Go out to the whole world; proclaim the good news to all creation.' And after he goes, the disciples straight away set about the task. Far from being suddenly absent, we are told the Lord is now working with them in a new way. The Ascension is less a loss than a transition, a promise that Jesus will always be with us.

Tríona Doherty, Athlone, Co Roscommon (Intercom)

PUBLIC ROSARY—MAY 2018

Public Rosary will take place on Fridays during May at 6.30pm at Cherryfield Ave.

Organised by the Legion of Mary.

The Easter Garden

Is located at the top right hand side of the church as you face the Altar. Symbols of the Passion, Death and Resurrection of Jesus can be seen in our garden.

Please visit the garden for a quiet moment to say a prayer.

Trocaire Boxes which you have at home may be returned to the Parish Office or Sacristy over the coming weeks. Thank you for your generosity in support of the work of Trocaire in many parts of the world

Trócaire

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 12th May

7.00pm **ANNIVERSARIES**
Johnnie Hand 1st; Desmond Murray 2nd
Kieran Hynes 4th; Michael Earley 7th
Thomas Dawson 10th; Jean Whelan
Patrick, Mary & Helen Cafferty

Sunday 13th May

9:30am **ANNIVERSARIES**
William (Bill) Doyle 3rd
Rory O'Connor 36th; Tony O'Brien
Matthew & Teresa Lillis; Breda Kavanagh
Daniel & Mary O'Driscoll
Mary O'Driscoll

11:00am **ANNIVERSARIES**
Greta & Paddy Buckley

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE
Emer Kelly; Patrick Hall 100th

12:30pm **ANNIVERSARIES**
John Henry Smyth 7th; Pierce McCabe 13th
Bridget Greene; Katherine Greene
Mary Brady; Cecelia Smyth
Maureen & Eugene Craig
Leo Hackett; May McKinley Hackett
Kevin, Yvonne & Irene Emerson
Christopher & Nan Emerson & Family
Michael & Ann Emerson

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE
Larry & Joanie Harmon; Liam Banim
Bill Bartley 27th

7:00pm **Pro Populo**

Monday 14th May

9.00am Elizabeth O'Brien

Tuesday 15th May

7.00pm James Costello 8th Anniv

Wednesday 16th May

7.00pm Fr Peter Coffey 3rd Anniv

Thursday 17th May

7.00pm Noel Quinn 1st Anniv

Friday 18th May

9.00am Michael Fanning 1st 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

Elizabeth Browne, Clonard Rd
Alice Duff, Kylemore Rd
Christina O'Callaghan, Esposito Rd

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, 19th May2018

9:00pm Kevin Smyth

Sunday, 20th May 2018

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

The Week Ahead…
Sunday 13th May - Saturday 19th May 2018

Sunday	Ascension of the Lord
Monday	St Matthias, Apostle
Tuesday	St Carthage, Ireland
Wednesday	St Brendan, Ireland
Thursday	St Paschal
Friday	St John I, Pope
Saturday	St Dunstan

Easter Dues

Dues are an important source of income for the Priests of the parish. Spare envelopes are available at the church exits.
We wish to thank those who already have sent in their Easter Dues.

Blessing of Remembrance in Glasnevin Cemetery at the Old Angels Memory Garden only. Sunday 27th May at 3pm. A Little Lifetime Foundation – Support Group for Bereaved Parents and Families. www.alittlelifetime.ie

Alzheimer Tea Day

Edel and Lynn of Clonmacnoise Court Day Centre would like to thank the parishioners and friends of St. Agnes who held a tea day in the Parish Centre on the 1st May. €804 was raised for the centre. Congratulations to Pat Dunn and her team of helpers for running a very successful event.

THE NEWSLETTER IS ALSO AVAILABLE FOR DOWNLOAD ON THE PARISH WEBSITE WWW.CRUMLINPARISH.IE

THE REFERENDUM - Our Duty to Protect Life

The Constitution of Ireland, at present, endeavours to be truly inclusive and tries to ensure that every human life is treated equally irrespective of age, ability, gender or social standing. As things stand, we do not discriminate. In this respect our Eighth Amendment has protected people of different abilities. We do not decide who should or should not be allowed to live. Now we are being asked to deprive the most vulnerable of this guarantee of the most fundamental of all rights, the right to life. The current debate is not about the proper relationship between faith and politics. It is about our shared commitment as citizens and as human beings to a fundamental and universal human value: that the direct and intentional killing of an innocent person can never be justified and it commands the protection of society and the state.

Taken from the Pastoral Letter on Unborn Human Life - Michael Neary Archbishop of Tuam

CHOOSE LIFE

Every week, the Catholic Communications Office in Maynooth circulate a newsletter Choose Life 2018. Choose Life 2018 promotes the Church's position on unborn human life and encourages family discussion on this important subject..
Visit: www.dublindiocese.ie/choose-life-2018. A copy of this weeks edition is available at all exits.

MARRIAGE JUBILEES

We would like to invite couples celebrating significant wedding anniversaries, Silver, Ruby, Golden or Diamond to come with their families to the **12.30pm Mass on Sunday, 10th June 2018.** We will join with you in marking the occasion. The anniversary itself may be months away, but it is good to add a spiritual dimension to your celebrations as we celebrate the World Meeting of Families this year. PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR NAME TO THE PARISH OFFICE 4555368

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Churchgate Collection this week is in aid of Our Lady's Children's Hospital, Crumlin. Please be as generous as possible

GOLDEN YEARS CLUB

Moeran Hall, Somerville Drive, Walkinstown. Every first Thursday of the month from 2.30pm – 4.30pm. New members welcome (Ladies and Gents). We have various activities, outings and short breaks.

Please ring Mary Thomas 087 7756136 for more information

THE GREAT ST. AGNES GOLF CLASIC

(in support of St Agnes School Violin & Orchestra Project)

Monday 11th June at Westmanstown Golf Club

Shot-gun starts at 2.45pm

€200per team to include a Carvery meal with tea / coffee at 7.30pm

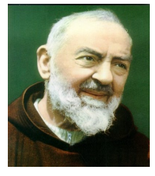
To register a team of four players or sponsor the event, Text or call 087 2740186 / 087 3875749 or email stagnesmusiccrumlin@gmail.com with your teams and player's names

Congratulations to the Girls and Boys from St Damian's school who received their First Holy Communion on Saturday 12th May.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES

If anyone needs help booking for the WMOF please leave your name and no. in the sacristy or parish office.

Padre Pio Prayer Group (St Pio)

The next meeting will take place on Tuesday 15th May. Rosary 6.45pm Mass 7.00pm followed by Benediction & Blessing.

All Welcome.