



PARISH BULLETIN

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St Patrick's Parish

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Office Hours

Monday through Thursday

10am to 1pm and 2pm to 5pm

Saturday and Sunday Closed

Parish Team

Fr Eugene O'Neill Adm

Fr Dominic McGrattan CC

Fr Brendan McGee (Retired)

Sr Mary Carlin CP

Parish Schedule

Weekday Masses: (Monday through Saturday) 1pm

Sunday Masses: 5.30pm (vigil), 8am, 10am, 12 noon, 7pm

Eucharistic Adoration: Saturday 12 noon to 1pm

Confessions: Saturday 12 noon to 1pm and 4.45pm to 5.30pm

Baptisms: Second and Third Sundays of the Month

(parents should contact the Parish Office at least four weeks in advance
and bring with them their child's long birth certificate)

Marriages: To arrange a wedding please contact the Parish office at least 6 months
before the proposed date of marriage.

COLLECTIONS

Offertory Collection: £1,706

Monthly Collection: £1,353

Thank you for your generous contribution
and support

PARISH DRAW – WEEK 27

£1,000 – Michaela MacFarlane, Southwell St

£100 – Sadie Sheppard, Southwell Street

£50 – Eddie Hickey, C/o Stanhope Street

£50 – Patricia Doherty, Molyneaux Street

Promoter's Prize: Mary Boyd

DECEASED

Pray for the repose of the souls of Jimmy Hughes, late of Ludlow Square, Mark Mooney,
John Rooney late of Shanlieve Park and Gerard Armstrong, late of Finn House. May their souls
and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

NOTES FOR YOUR DIARY

THE WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018: The launch of a special year of preparation for the World Meeting of Families will take place in Knock, Co Mayo, on Monday 21 August. Each diocese in Ireland has been asked to nominate one family to take part in the entrance procession of a Mass that will begin at 3 pm in the Basilica. If you wish to have the opportunity to represent our Diocese, please contact the parish priest/administrator before 8th July. Your family name and address will be forwarded to the Diocesan Office. During the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes (10th – 17th July), all the family names that have been sent in will be placed in a hat. At a gathering of the pilgrims, one of them will then be asked to draw out the name of a family who will represent the Diocese in Knock. The family will be contacted as soon as possible. All the families of the Diocese are invited to attend this special day of family activities in Knock. More details will follow in due course.

GET READY FOR THE SUMMIT 17: An exciting Catholic conference happening this July 13th-15th at Croke Park conference centre in Dublin featuring keynote speakers:

- Curtis Martin, founder of the Fellowship of Catholic University Students (FOCUS)
- Dr. Ted Sri, director and professor of theology at the Augustine Institute in Denver, Colorado
- Fr Michael Gaitley MIC, renowned Catholic speaker and author of 33 days to Morning Glory and Consoling the Heart of Jesus.

The theme of the conference is the New Evangelisation in Ireland, and will be attended by several of the Irish bishops, including Archbishop Eamonn Martin and a representative for Bishop Noel Treanor. Tickets are 100 euro which includes lunch each day at the conference centre. Daily Mass and Eucharistic Adoration in fellowship with other Catholics, and workshops with FOCUS missionaries. Register on website www.thesummit17.com Not to be missed!

CENTERING PRAYER SILENT RETREAT: 18 to 25 July, Tobar Mhuire, Crossgar. For registration email: contemplativeoutreachireland@gmail.com or 00353876017709. Prayer group meets every Tuesday 7.30 to 9 pm. All welcome.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY: Voice of Young People in Care (VOYPIC) are keen to recruit volunteers to help with their local fundraising initiatives. For more info phone Geraldine 9024 4888 or geraldine.andrews@voypic.org

DROMANTINE SUMMER CAMP 2017: Visit summercamp.dromantineconference.com or phone 3082 1224. Boys and girls aged 11 – 17. **Boys Camp** Sunday 16 to Friday 21 July and **Girls Camp** Sunday 13th to Friday 18 August.

PADRE PIO WEEKEND KNOCK SHRINE: 16 – 17 Sept. Price £89 B & B, evening meal and lunch. Deposit required. For details phone 9059 5724.

COLUMBARIUM: Our columbarium is now opened. Niches are not reserved for parishioners only and can be bought by anyone at anytime. If you would like to know more about it please contact the Parish Office or Ian the Sacristan. An information booklet is available.

GUADALUPE, MEXICO PILGRIMAGE: 13th – 23th November 2017 - 9 nights flying from Dublin to Mexico via Atlanta Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe; Chapel of St Francis Temple of St Philip; Church of St Dominic Castle of San Patricio; Basilica of Our Lady of Zapopan Mass in the Basilica of Our Lady of Guanajuato Comprehensive Travel insurance included. Cost **€2395 per person sharing**. Seats are limited. Single room supplement is **€420.00 EXTRA**. €100.00 deposit secures a seat! For further details contact: Jean Reynolds **02844830979** or email: **jeanreynolds@hotmail.co.uk**