

GOSPEL WORDSEARCH

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MUSINGS

If we start without confidence, we have already lost half the battle and we bury our talents. While painfully aware of our own frailties, we have to march on without giving in, keeping in mind what the Lord said to Saint Paul: 'My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness' (2 Cor 12:9). Christian triumph is always a cross, yet a cross which is at the same time a victorious banner borne with aggressive tenderness against the assaults of evil. The evil spirit of defeatism is brother to the temptation to separate, before its time, the wheat from the weeds; it is the fruit of an anxious and self-centred lack of trust'. *Pope Francis*

(Taken from *Intercom Magazine*)

Pathways: Exploring Faith and Ministry Programme

The *Pathways Programme* is suitable for adults who wish to explore issues and questions of faith, ministry, the Church today and the nature of belief, in an environment appropriate to Adult Learning and Adult Faith Development. *Pathways* is a two-year, one evening a week course. It takes place on Thursday evenings in Holy Cross College, Clonliffe Road from September to May (7.00 pm – 9.30 pm). Booking is now open. Early application is advised as places are limited.

Contact: *Pathways* Director, Eileen Houlahan at 01 8087594 or pathways@dublindiocese.ie Web: www.evangelisation.ie

Overseas Volunteers Required!

Volunteer Carpenters, Builders, Media Specialists, Early Childhood Practitioners, Occupational Therapists, Primary/Secondary Teachers, Accountants, Social Workers, Farmers...required for placements on Missions in Africa, SE Asia and the Caribbean. No previous overseas experience required, no upper age limit! Volunteer training programme begins 22nd September in Dublin - open to all! Contact Viatores Christi +353-1-8689986 or email apply@viatoreschristi.com for more info.

St. Agnes Parent & Toddler Group will recommence on Thursday, 13th September, 10.00am-12.00pm. All children from the parish under the age of 3yrs and 2mths are welcome to join for a fun activity morning. Please note that Places are limited. We are also looking for volunteers to help with setting out toys, playing games, making snacks etc. No minding children involved. Please see any member for further information.

St. Agnes Family Mass Group resumes on 12th September after the summer break.

The Family Mass Group meets each Wednesday evening from 6.00pm to 7.00pm in the Parish Centre to prepare for the Sunday Family Mass at 11.00am. We prepare for Sunday Mass, through art and music.

This is a great way for children to prepare for their First Holy Communion. Children will be encouraged to read and take part in the Mass. All children welcome from age 5 and up.



St Agnes Parish Weekly Newsletter

Team Ministry of Clogher Rd, Crumlin & Mourne Rd

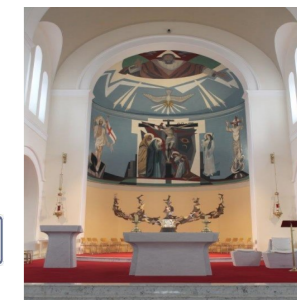
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9th September 2018, 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



Thought for the Week

"Young people are the window through which we see the future"

Pope Francis

THE DEEP END: Ephphatha

In today's gospel Jesus heals a man who was deaf and who had a speech impediment, unable to hear or speak God's word of truth. Jesus says ephphatha, which means 'be opened!' Immediately this man was healed.

During this Season of Creation we are all urged to listen to the cry of the earth. Scientists are now telling us that unless drastic action is taken we will lose the battle against the environmental destruction which this world is faced with. The worldwide heatwave and drought which we experienced this summer is one example of how our planet is under pressure. Yet change is possible. All it takes is one good person to restore hope. As followers of Christ we have a duty to lead the way in caring for God's beautiful creation. What prevents us from hearing these messages? We can be cynical and say that the issue is too big, that it is up to governments to sort out. Ephphatha! We start where we are and do what we can. This week can you encourage your family to make small changes in the home such as ensuring all waste is correctly recycled, composting, encouraging one another to use public transport or walk/cycle when possible? A very simple action is to reduce the use of plastic by buying a reusable water bottle or coffee cup which removes so much waste from landfills and sends a powerful message. We begin with the small actions and encourage others to do the same. Ephphatha! Let us all be open to this call to care for our common home. You can find out more at www.seasonofcreation.org

Jane Mellett; [mellettj@gmail.com](mailto:melletjt@gmail.com)

(Intercom)

ST AGNES CHURCH CHOIR

St Agnes' Choir will be singing at the 12.30 mass today after their Summer break. It has been a busy Summer for many of the choir who sang at liturgies for the World Meeting of

Families at the RDS and at the Papal mass in the Phoenix Park. We always welcome new members (male or female) to sing with us. Please contact Mary Louise O'Donnell on 087 2454143 or come along to the next choir practice on Tuesday at 8pm in the church. All are welcome.



CROSSCARE COLLECTION



CROSSCARE – Social Support Agency of the Catholic Archdiocese of Dublin – Annual Collection for Community & Homeless Services will take place at **all Masses NEXT weekend (15th/ 16th September)**

It will replace the normal Share collection.

Priests of the Parish

Fr Paul Tyrrell: 455 5368

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: € 2,208

Share: € 1,833

Family Offering: € 1,630

Many thanks for your continued support and generosity

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 8th September

7.00pm **ANNIVERSARIES**
 Bridge Marsh 1st; Paddy Slevin 2nd
 Elizabeth (Lily) Nolan 4th
 John Emmett 7th; Dessie Roe 7th
 Michael Rigley 13th
 William Lloyd & deceased members of
 the Lloyd family

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE

Brendan Roe 80th Birthday
 Ina & Sonny Roe

Sunday 9th September

9:30am **ANNIVERSARIES**
 Martin Doyle 20th; Mary & PJ Cullen
 Nora & Owen Flynn

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE

Kathleen Keogh; Eileen Nolan

11:00am **ANNIVERSARIES**
 Dette Nolan 2nd; Paddy Nolan 8th
 Christopher McDonagh 10th
 Annie Keeley 27th

12:30pm **ANNIVERSARIES**
 Kathleen Casey 1st; Michael Clancy 1st
 Liam Horan 1st; Gerry O'Connor 4th
 Christopher McDonagh 10th
 Kathleen Kenny 13th; Thomas Duff 36th
 Mary, John & Tom Cleary & all deceased
 members of Cleary family
 Willie Connell; Teddy Greenhalgh
 John & Kathleen O'Connor

Monday 10th September

7.00pm Stephen McDermott 1st Anniv.

Tuesday 11th September

9.00am Stephen McDermott 1st Anniv.

7.00pm Josephine McCarthy 3rd Anniv.

Wednesday 12th September

9.00am Michael Doolan 2nd Anniv.

7.00pm Patricia Barton
 90th Birthday Remembrance

Thursday 13th September

9.00am Eileen Bradford

7.00pm Lorraine Kerrigan 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



Mary White, Clondalkin
 Mary Frances (Maisie) Flood, Drimnagh Road
*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, 15th September 2018

7:00pm Ciaran Heavey

Sunday, 16th September 2018

9:30am R & B McDermott

11:00am Mary Finnegan

12:30pm Catherine Nagle

7:00pm E Sinnott & E Fanthom

The Week Ahead...

Sunday 9th Sept - Saturday 15th Sept 2018

Sunday	23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time
Monday	Of the Day
Tuesday	St Deiniol - Wales
Wednesday	St Ailbe - Ireland
Thursday	St John Chrysostom, Bishop
Friday	Exaltation of the Holy Cross
Saturday	Our Lady of Sorrows

SAOIRSE WOMENS REFUGE

"Saoirse Women's Refuge are now operating an outreach clinic in the Dublin 12 area. This service aims to assist and support victims of domestic abuse who reside in the Dublin 12 area. Services include emotional support, one to one support and Court Accompaniment as well as 24 hour helpline support. If you or someone you know needs help due to domestic abuse, contact Aoife on 0871923819 or d12outreach@saoirsecwomensrefuge.ie"

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New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week.

Dr Barry White, consultant haematologist and Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians of Ireland, pioneered the teaching of Christian meditation to healthcare professionals in Ireland. "Meditation and Health" is an inspiring video of a talk given by Dr White at the annual John Main seminar, "A Hunger for Depth and Meaning". Access this, and other rich online spiritual resources, on www.NewPilgrimPath.ie



COMPUTERS FOR THE TERRIFIED!

1 TO 1 TRAINING FOR OVER 55's

LEARN HOW TO: Search the Internet ~ Send & receive emails ~ Shop and book flights. Use your own device or use computers available at some venues

Age Action runs beginner courses in Computers, iPads and Tablets for older people who have little or no experience or for the absolutely terrified! Courses run once a week for 5 or 6

ALL COURSES ARE FREE OF CHARGE

Classes are run in:- City Centre, Ballyroan, Palmerstown, Rathmines, Inchicore, Ranelagh, Stillorgan and Tallaght

If you wish to become a volunteer or to book a course Please phone 01 475 6989

The Irish Cancer Society
*needs an extra 80 drivers for our
 Volunteer Driver Service in South
 Dublin to drive cancer patients to and
 from their chemotherapy appointments.*

*We are looking for drivers with free
 weekday availability and who have a car
 available to them. Drivers should be able
 to commit to driving at least two full (week)
 days a month. All volunteer expenses are
 paid. If you would like to volunteer, please
 call Laura on 01 2310 594,
 or email transport@irishcancer.ie for an
 application form.*

Organ Recitals at St Mary's Pro-Cathedral— Lunchtime organ recitals will be held on Wednesdays this September at St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral, Dublin from 1.15pm - 2.00pm. Admission is €5 (at the door).
 12th September - John O'Keeffe (St. Patrick's College, Maynooth). 19th September - Raymond O'Donnell (Galway Cathedral, with members of the Schola Gregoriana, Maynooth). 26th September - Gerard Gillen (Titular Organist).

CRUMLIN WALKINSTOWN LOCAL FORUM

Are you interested in being part of your local History group?

Our meetings will take place in **Walkinstown Library on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 6.30pm.**

If you have carried out historical research on Crumlin / Walkinstown and would like to share it with the group please contact Lois on 087 2063308 or Tom on 086 8150778



PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK

Join the Legion of Mary on our Annual Pilgrimage to Our Lady's Shrine, Knock, Co Mayo on Sunday 30th Sept 2018.

Including Visit to Apparition Chapel; Old Church; Stations of the Cross; Anointing of the Sick. Holy Mass in the Basilica and Rosary Procession

Coach Departs 60 Sundrive Rd @ 7.30am and Halfway House, Walkinstown @ 7.45am

Booking is Essential: €40 includes Bus Fare and Two Snacks
 Contact Mary @ 087 941 3395 or Noel @ 087 797 8399

Job Vacancies

Vacancy for Organist – Church of Our Lady of Dolours, Glasnevin

A vacancy has arisen for an organist in the parish of Our Lady of Dolours, Glasnevin. The parish is seeking applications from musicians with extensive knowledge of liturgical music. The organist will be required to play the organ at the 11.00am Sunday Mass (and possibly at the 6.30pm Saturday vigil Mass) from September 2018. It is a requirement for the organist to be available for Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, Holy Week & Easter. The organist may be required to attend rehearsals and other (school) Masses throughout the year. The position is being offered on a contract for services basis. Payment of fees will be based on the National Guidelines for Church Musicians. Please send your letter of application, before 5pm on Friday 14th September, to Fr. Richard Sheehy, Moderator, Church of Our Lady of Dolours, Botanic Avenue, Glasnevin, D09 K5R6.

Vacancy for Organist – Church of Our Lady, Blessington

A vacancy has arisen for an organist in our parish, Church of Our Lady, Blessington. The parish is seeking applications from musicians with extensive knowledge of liturgical music. The organist will be required to play the organ at the 10.00am Sunday Mass from September – June. The organist may be required to attend mid-week rehearsals with the choir, if established. The position is being offered on a contract for services basis. Payment of fees will be based on the National Guidelines for Church Musicians. Please send your letter of application, before 5pm on Friday 7th September, to Fr. Richard Behan P.P., Church of Our Lady, Main Street, Blessington, Co. Wicklow.

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