

Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Newsletter 15th September 2024
Season of Creation 1st September – 4th October

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Mass times: Mon, Tues, Wed & Fri 10.00am, Thurs Communion Service 10.00am. Saturday (Vigil) 6.30pm, Sunday 11.30am Confessions: Saturday 6.00pm - 6.20pm

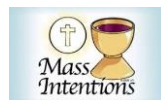
Church of the Visitation Drynam, The Visitation of the BVM
Mass Times for Drynam: Sun, 10.00am, 11.00am Irish Mass



Mass times St Finian's Church Rivervalley
Mon – Fri 10.00am, Saturday 11.00am (Vigil) 5.30pm. Sunday 10.00am & 12 noon

Mass Intentions this Weekend

Sat 6.30pm Martin Savage (1st An)
Sun 11.30am Paddy, Liz, Raymond, Ron & Greg Kane
John & Thomas McGrane
Deirdre O'Connor
Paddy Grace
Brendan Halpin
Michael Gray
Anthony Sheil
Bridget Reilly (MM)



Mass intentions for next week

Mon 10.00am Nancy & James Dolan	Sat 6.30pm John O'Rourke (MM)
Tues 10.00am Special Intention	Sun 11.30am James & Úna Nevin & Jim Nevin (Jnr)
Wed 10.00am John O'Rourke	Brian Morgan
Thurs 10.00am Communion Service	Christopher McGuirk
Fri 10.00am David Steele	Rosanna Casciani
	Alice & Tom Kane
	Bridie, Joe & Sean McDonnell

Communion Service

A Communion Service will take place on **Thursday 19th September** at 10.00am In St Colmcille's Church. All are welcome

Parish Sisters

A Mass to celebrate over 40 years of Ministry in St Colmcille's Parish for the Parish Sisters, will take place on Saturday 28th September at 6.30pm in St Colmcille's Church. All are welcome, refreshments will be served after Mass

Crosscare Annual Appeal

This weekend, September 14th and 15th, Crosscare will hold its Annual Appeal for those most in need. This will replace the Share collection. Crosscare delivers a wide range of homeless, youth, and food poverty support to people at various stages of poverty or marginalisation. Regrettably, the demand for these vital services continues to increase, and Crosscare relies on your generosity to reach as many people as possible who need help. Please support the Crosscare collection if you can this weekend, or you can donate online at www.crosscare.ie.



Bethany Bereavement Support Group are offering telephone support please contact, Terri at 8403243 from Sunday 8th September to Saturday 21st September. Details on the Parish website. You can also find information on <https://bethany.ie>

First Holy Communion Enrolment

We were delighted to welcome the children of the First Holy Communion classes and their parents at our Enrolment Mass at 6.30pm in St Colmcille's and 10.00am in Church of the Visitation Drynam this weekend. We ask all our parishioners to pray for these young people in the journey of faith preparation over the coming months.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Please remember in your prayers those who have died recently:

Anthony Shiel	Sutton
Joe Boland	Fealtrim



Season of Creation 2024

This year's theme is "To Hope and Act with Creation. Pope Francis calls us to be just in every situation, to harmonise with creation and to be mindful of the victims of climate change



TO HOPE AND ACT WITH CREATION
SEASON OF CREATION 2024

The firstfruits of hope
(Rom 8:19-25)

Anam Cara North Dublin, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 18th September at 7:15pm in the Hilton Hotel, Malahide Rd, Northern Cross, Dublin, D17 Y924. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. Please contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 for any queries.