

Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time Newsletter 25th August 2024

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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,



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 Ellen McGrane & Mary & Thomas McGrane

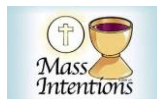
Mary & James Stafford

Seamus McGrath

Annie Wynne

Mary Tuck

John Jennings



Sun 11.30am Joan & Jack Monks

Billy Staunton

Maisie Thomas

Dan Redmond

Rosaleen Tier

Mass intentions for next week

Mon 10.00am Eileen Crosbie

Paddy Barker

Kathleen Coffey

Sat 6.30pm Cora Duffy

Tues 10.00am

Wed 10.00am

Thurs 10.00am Communion Service

Fri 10.00am Stephen Farrell

Dolores Farrell

Sun 11.30am Christina & Patrick Foy

Patrick O'Rourke

Grace Burke

Communion Service

A Communion Service will take place on **Thursday 29th August** at 10.00am In St Colmcille's Church. All are welcome

RECENTLY DECEASED

Please remember in your prayers those who have died recently:

John O'Rourke

Barry's Park



Pathways

Have you ever wanted to know more about your faith? Are you looking for a course that can help you grow in your ministry?

Pathways is an Adult Faith formation programme run by the Archdiocese aimed at all adults, members of PPCs and those in parish ministry.

It is a 2 year course running on Thursday evenings from September to May (excluding holidays) from 7pm-9.30pm in DCU, Drumcondra, Dublin 9.

The course has a number of modules including input on Images of God, Discipleship, Scripture, Liturgy, Church, Vatican II, Sacraments and Parish. The Second Year has a more intentional focus on Ministry. Each evening includes a presentation on the topic as well as small group sharing and discussion and there is no written work or assessments.

The cost is €400 per year (you can contact us to discuss the possibility of a bursary)

For more details, and to complete the online application form, please visit

www.missionministry.ie/pathways or email peter.siney@dublindiocese.ie.



Partnership working together

Autumn Alpha Courses – This Autumn Donabate parish is offering two courses from the Alpha suite:

The Alpha Parenting Children course for those parenting children aged 0 to 10yrs, will run on Tuesdays from 12noon to 1pm in Donabate parish hall (opposite St. Patrick's Church, Donabate) and is an opportunity to come together with other parents, to listen to advice from experts and share their own experiences. Parents are welcome to bring their children with them. For more details and registration email: crossparishalpha@gmail.com

The Alpha Film Series will run on Tuesday evenings from 8pm to 9:15 also in Donabate parish hall (opposite St. Patrick's Church, Donabate) and is an opportunity to reflect on some of life's big questions and chat about faith, in a relaxed atmosphere, where everyone's point of view is welcome and respected. For more details and registration email: crossparishalpha@gmail.com

Legion of Mary Pilgrimage to Knock on Sunday, 29th September 2024. The Coach fare is €30.00 per person and €15.00 under 18 's. The Coach will leave St. Patrick's Church Donabate at 7.30am and St. Cronan's Church, Brackenstown at 7.40am Contact Loirin at 0872412611 or Donabate parish office at (01) 843 4574

Legion of Mary celebrating 103 years

Mass will take place in St Nicholas Of Myra Church, Francis Street Dublin on Friday 6th September at 7.00pm (Rosary) Mass at 7.30pm

Bethany Bereavement Support Group are offering telephone support please

contact, Bridget at 085 2812985 from Sunday 25th August to Saturday 7th September. Please phone from 6pm-8pm. Details on the Parish website. You can also find information on <https://bethany.ie>

The Office of the Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes would like to thank all who supported the recent collection. A total of €1388.46 was collected. Mass will be offered for intentions of contributors during the pilgrimage 5th – 10th September.