

Sunday

6.00 pm: John Cummins (Anniv) 10.00 am: Oonagh Egan (Anniv) 12.00 pm: Bob Reid (Anniv)

We also remember

Celia Hogan, Martin Derby, Joan Moriarty, Vincent Kelly, Collette Farrington, Ellen Crowley, Franklyn Warren Weaver-Jacoby, Gerry O'Brien, Mary McGrath

From *The Joy of Love*, the Pope's apostolic exhortation on love in the family

"Growing up with brothers and sisters makes for a beautiful experience of caring for and helping one another. For fraternity in families is especially radiant when we see the care, the patience, the affection that surround the little brother or sister who is frail, sick or disabled" (Par. 195).

General Data Protection Regulation

A new European Data Protection law, the General Data Protection Regulation ("GDPR"), is being introduced on 25 May 2018. This new law applies to any organisation, including our parish that manages and processes people's personal information. We are now working on ways of ensuring that what we do with your information is compliant with this new law. It is a work in progress and over the next few months we will keep you informed through the parish website and in the newsletter as policies are put in place.

Holy Communion to the Housebound

If any of you are aware of housebound people in your neighbourhood who you think would appreciate having Holy Communion brought to them by myself or a Eucharistic Minister, you might let me know or contact the parish office.

Tickets for Pope's visit to Ireland

Tickets for the World Meeting of Families events in the RDS are now on sale through www.worldmeeting2018.ie/tickets You may purchase a one day or a three-day ticket. This ticket will also give you access to Saturday's Festival of Families in Croke Park and to the Mass on Sunday in the Phoenix Park. Tickets just for the Saturday Festival of Families and the Sunday Mass are free when they become available.

Family Mass

The final Family Mass before the Summer will be celebrated in our parish church next Sunday, 24th June, at 10.00 am. I would like to thank the Family Mass team for all their work during the school year in organizing this Mass and ensuring that the children participate in as full a way as possible. Fr Martin

Holy Hour

The next monthly Holy Hour will take place in our parish church this Sunday, 17th June at 7.30 pm. Next Sunday, 24th June, is the feast of the birth of Saint John the Baptist. We will be reflecting on two gospel passages relating to his ministry.

Collections

The Share collection this Sunday, 17th June, will be replaced by the national collection for the forthcoming World Meeting of Families. The outdoor collection in Saint John the Baptist Church is for Kenya Orphan Aid.

House Blessings

If any parishioner would like to have their house blessed, please let me know and I will be very happy to arrange it. You could phone the presbytery, 8338575, or the Parish Office, 8334606 or email the parish office at sitbclontarf@eircom.net Fr Martin

Prayer before an exam

Dear Lord, as I take this exam, I thank you that my value is not based on my performance, but on your great love for me. Come into my heart so that we can walk through this time together. Help me, not only with this test, but with the many tests of life that are sure to come my way. As I take this exam, bring back to mind everything I have studied and be gracious with what I might have over looked. Help me to remain focused and calm, confident in the facts and in my ability, and firm in the knowledge that no matter what happens today you are there with me. Amen.

Men's Sheds

This group continues to meet every
Tuesday morning at 10.45 am in the
Parish Centre. It is a great opportunity for
men to come together and serve the parish
community and the wider community
with their energy, enthusiasm and gifts.

Annual Parish Fair

The annual Mid-Summer Fair and Raffle will take place this year in the Parish Centre on Sunday 1st July from 10am to 2pm. Great stalls, cakes, Bric á Brac & Crafts. Bargains Galore. Please support this great event.

The Three Parish Justice and Peace Group

The next meeting of this group is in the Parish Office of Saint John the Baptist Church, on Monday, 18th June, at 7.30 pm. New members would be welcome. We aim to raise awareness and organize events relating to issues of justice and peace in our society.

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MASSES

St John the Baptist

Mon - Sat :10.00 am

Sundays: 6.00 pm (V), 10.00 am.,

12.00 pm

St Gabriel's: Sat (Vigil) 6.00pm Sunday 10.30 am and 6.00 pm St Anthony's: Sat 5.30 pm (Vigil) Sunday 10.00 am, 11.30 am

CONFESSIONS

After the 10 a.m. and 6 p.m Masses on Sat and after the 10 a.m Mass on the Thurs before the First Friday

BAPTISMS

On the 2nd Sunday of each month at 11.00 am and the 3rd Saturday of each month at 12 noon

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