

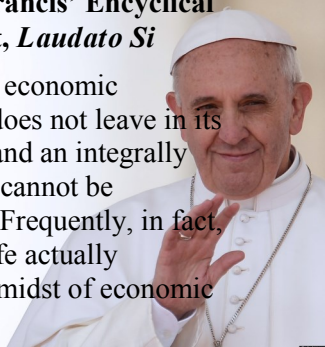


Mass Intentions

Sat: 6.00 pm Declan Daly (Anniv)
 Sun: 10.00 am Patricia Carroll (Anniv)
 12.00 pm John Behan, Danny Byrne (An)
 Mon: 10.00 am Philomena Mulcahy (RIP)
 Tues: 10.00 am Tom and Mary Fitzpatrick (An)
 Wed: 10.00 am Anna and Frank Reynolds (An)
 Thur: 10.00 am Brendan O'Driscoll (An)
 Fri: 10.00 am Gerard McDonnell (An)
 Sat: 10.00 am Dermot O'Leary (An)

Quote from Pope Francis' Encyclical on the Environment, *Laudato Si*

'A technological and economic development which does not leave in its wake a better world and an integrally higher quality of life cannot be considered progress. Frequently, in fact, people's quality of life actually diminishes ... in the midst of economic growth' (Par. 194).



John Henry Newman: The Dublin Dimension

Following on from the canonization of Cardinal Newman, Dr. Angelo Bottone will speak on the above topic this Wednesday, 13th November, at 7.30 pm, in Saint John the Baptist Parish Centre. Dr Angelo Bottone is a lecturer at the School of Arts of the Dublin Business School. He also teaches in University College Dublin and in Marino Institute of Education.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

The next meeting of the PPC takes place this Monday, 18th November, at 7.30 pm in the Parish Centre. If any parishioner would like to place an item on the Agenda, please mention it to Fr. Martin, Fr. John, Liam Nolan, the chairperson, or to any other member of the PPC.

Film and Music Night at the Pebble Beach, Friday, 22nd November, 7.30 pm

This is a fundraiser to send Ripples Special Needs Karate team to represent Ireland in the I-Karate Championships Moscow 2020. Featuring a screening of "SAVING GRACE" a short film by the very talented local girl, Siobhán Kavanagh, made on the Northside of Dublin, starring Maria McDermottroe, Helen Roche, Pete Cummins and Golden Retriever Nóinin. With special acoustic performance by Pete Cummins, along with raffle.



Christmas Toy collection

The Parish Justice and Peace group, in conjunction with Jesuit Refugee Service Ireland, are organizing another Christmas Toy collection for refugee children who currently reside in the Baleskin Centre. We ask that gifts are new, unwrapped and cost no more than €20. The Jesuit Refugee Centre cannot accept large soft toys (teddies), soldiers or gun toys. Members of the Parish Justice and Peace group will be in the front porch giving out tags with relevant information on what is needed after all the Masses this weekend, 17th November. They should be returned to the Parish Office by the weekend of 8th December.

Do this in Memory Mass

The next Do this in Memory Mass for first communion children will be celebrated next Sunday, 24th November, at the family Mass at 10.00 am. There will be a meeting of the Do this in Memory team to plan the Mass this Monday, 18th November, in the Parish Centre at 7.30 pm.



Buy Early for Christmas

Christmas Cards in aid of St Vincent de Paul will be on sale in the Church Porch on weekends Nov 16/17, 23/24, Nov 30/ Dec 1

Film in aid of Brother Kevin – 'Stan and Ollie'

The next meeting of the Parish Film Club, this Thursday, 21st November, will be in aid of Brother Kevin's work in the Capuchin Day Centre. We will be showing 'Stan and Ollie', a 2018 biographical comedy-drama film. Based on the later years of the lives of Laurel and Hardy, it stars Steve Coogan and John C. Reilly as Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy.



Christmas Gifts for Palestinian Christians

Mary Murphy, from the Justice and Peace group, will be selling Christmas decorations and cribs made in Palestine from olive wood in the Parish Centre after all the Masses on the weekend of December 7/8. All proceeds go towards the support of Palestinian Christian families.

Faith of the Future: Parish Life, Structure, and Leadership

Rev. Dr. Michael A. Conway, will speak on this important topic on Wednesday week next, 27th November, at 7.30 pm, Saint John the Baptist Parish Centre. Fr. Michael is a priest of the Diocese of Galway

Teen Hope

The next meeting of the Teen Hope programme for young teenagers from first year of secondary school will take place next Sunday, 24th November, at 7.00 pm.



Teen Hope is a parish based faith outreach where, through fun and engaging activities, young teens can build friendships, and have an experience of belonging and Christian discipleship.

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MASSES

St John the Baptist
 Mon - Sat : 10.00 am, 6.00 pm (V),
 Sundays: 10.00 am., 12.00 pm
St Gabriel's: Sat (Vigil) 5.00pm
 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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