

A Talk on  
St Laurence O'Toole and the Clontarf  
Connection

By: Fr John Scroope-O'Brien



In The Church of St John the Baptist,  
Clontarf Road

24th September 2025  
At 7.30 pm

**St Johns Family Mass Team**

The St John's Family Mass team would like to welcome children to participate in our weekly Mass at 6pm on Saturdays during school term. At this Mass, children have the opportunity to read and to bring up gifts. The team is also looking for new members to join the team. If you would like your family to participate, or to find out more, please contact [stjohnsfamilymass@gmail.com](mailto:stjohnsfamilymass@gmail.com)



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Our Biblical text for this year is Isaiah 32:14-18. The prophet Isaiah pictured the desolated Creation without peace because of the lack of justice and the broken relationship between God and humankind. This description of devastated cities and wastelands eloquently stresses the fact that human destructive behaviours have a negative impact on the Earth.

**Mass Intentions**

**Saturday:**  
**6.00 pm** Philomena  
Cummins  
Also Sean Clinton (Annivs)

**Sunday:**  
**10.00 am**  
Annluan Blake (An)  
Also Kathy O'Connell (An)  
Also Robert Kenny (M/M)

**12.00 pm**  
David O'Callaghan (An)  
Also George Nash (RD)  
Also David Smyth (RD)

**Weekdays**  
**Monday:**  
Kathleen & Seamus  
Conneely (RIP)

**Tuesday:**  
Kathleen & Seamus  
Conneely (RIP)

**Wed :**  
Kathleen & Seamus  
Conneely (RIP)

**Thurs :**  
Tim Crowley (An)

**Sat :**  
Kathleen & Seamus  
Conneely (RIP)  
Also Colm McKenna and  
Simon Fuller (Rec Dec)

**clontarf autumn fair**  
Sunday 28th September  
2-5 pm

**Biggest Book Stall Ever!**  
Adults €2, Children €1  
Clontarf Church of Ireland  
Parish Centre and grounds,  
Seafield Road West, Clontarf

**In aid of parish funds**  
Stalls to include hot food, Coffee Shop, cakes, books, curios, toys, good-as-new clothes, sweets & minerals. There will also be Bouncy Castles and lots of fun carnival games!

**Monster Curios Stall**  
glassware, ceramics, candles, pictures, frames and much much more – great for bargain hunters. Fun for all!

**The first collection for the priests last weekend came to €395 and the figure for SHARE was €240.**

**Viatores Christi would like to thank all the parishioners of St Johns for the generous contribution to their collection last weekend. The total collected was €2095.00**