## ST JOHN THE BAPTIST, CLONTARF, PARISH NEWSLETTER 28th September 2025

## THE PALESTRINA CHOIR

AN EVENING OF SACRED AND IRISH TREASURES



As The Palestrina Choir prepare to travel to the 'Jubilee of Choirs' in Rome in November, we present these fundraising performances of Sacred and Irish treasures FREE ADMISSION - DONATIONS VERY GRATEFULLY APPRECIATED

## 8PM FRIDAY 3RD OCTOBER CHURCH OF ST. THÉRÈSE, MOUNT MERRION

8PM FRIDAY 24TH OCTOBER

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER'S CHURCH, GARDINER STREET



#### **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

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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** Gerard Connell (B/day Rem) and Nicholas Lanigan (Anniv)

Also Kieran Brophy (Anniv)

### **Sunday:**

10.00 am

Bernadette Brangan (Anniv)

#### 12.00 pm

Rory McDyer (Anniv) Also Special Intention

## Weekdays

## Monday:

Mary Quinn (Rec Dec)

#### **Tuesday:**

Paul Smith (Rec Dec)

#### Wed

Nora Boyle (Rec Dec)

#### Thurs:

Dr Adrian Murphy (RD)

#### Sat

**Special Intention** 

# ST THÉRÈSE OF LISIEUX FEAST DAY & 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF **CANONISATION CELEBRATIONS** The Relics of St Thérèse & Her Parents St Louis & St Zelie Martin The Carmelite Church White Abbey, Kildare Tov 1st October Mass 7pm Veneration till 9pm 10am Mass Veneration till 7pm The Relics will be available for Veneration in the Church from 10am - 9nr 5th October Mass @ 10am & 12pm The Relics will be available for Veneration after both Masses

The first collection for the priests last weekend came to €560 and the figure for Crosscare was €1335.

## Blessing of the animals

To Celebrate the Feast of St Francis of Assisi we will have a blessing of all animals in the Church yard next Saturday 4th October at 12 noon. All animals and owners are welcome.

