

**Quick guide to regular weekly/monthly activities**

**MONDAY**

**CENTERING PRAYER GROUP**  
Pastoral Centre 11-11.45am

**ACTIVE AGE GROUP**  
Tea & Bingo  
Parish Centre 2.30pm

**VOCATUS CHOIR**  
Parish Centre 7.00pm

**TUESDAY**

**COFFEE MORNING**  
After 10.00a.m. Mass. All welcome

**OLD TIME DANCING**  
School Assembly Hall 8.15pm

Local Conference  
**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**  
Parish Centre 7.30pm

**WEDNESDAY**

**TODDLER GROUP**  
Parish Centre 10.00am

**SAINT JOSEPHS YOUNG PRIESTS SOCIETY**  
2nd Wednesday each month at 10.30a.m. in the Pastoral Centre

**BRIDGE**  
Parish Centre 10.30am

**BRIDGE TOURNAMENT**  
Parish Centre 7.15pm

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**  
Parish Centre 8.00pm

**SET DANCING CLASSES** 9.15pm  
& **IRISH NIGHT** 10.00pm  
St. Oliver Plunkett E. R. GAA Club .

**THURSDAY**

**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED EUCHARIST**  
10.30am to 1pm

**ACTIVE AGE GROUP**  
Parish Centre 2.30pm

**GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS**  
Parish Centre 8.00pm

**HOLY EUCHARISTIC HOUR**  
St. Mary's Dominican Convent 8pm  
With Rosary and Special Prayer for Priests

**FRIDAY**

**CHILDREN'S CHOIR PRACTICE**  
Parish Centre 2.30p.m. to 3.20p.m.

**SATURDAY**

**FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS Dominican Convent**  
First Saturday of the month From 2pm.  
Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament,  
Confession, Rosary, Special Fatima Prayers, Holy Mass, Benediction  
All Welcome

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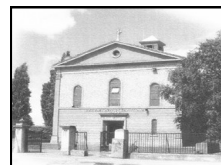
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**Office Opening times.**

Mon., Wed., Thurs., Fri. 9a.m. to 1p.m.  
Tues., 9a.m. to 12noon



**The Presentation of Our Lord, 2nd February 2020**

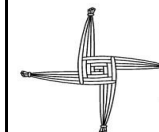
**WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE**

*God our Father, we thank you for calling men and women to serve in your Son's kingdom as sisters, brothers, religious priests, . Renew their knowledge and love of you, and send your Holy Spirit to help them respond generously and courageously to your will. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen. What is our call? The story of Anna & Simeon shows us the value of being open to an encounter with Jesus, despite what we have been through or what stage of life we are at each of us has something unique to offer. We pray that we will recognise the unexpected opportunities to encounter God that come our way. (INTERCOM)*

**Traditional 'BLESSING OF THE CANDLES'** takes place at all Masses today Sunday 2nd & Vigil Mass Sat. 1st

**St. Blaise' Day Monday 3rd February. Blessing of throats will take place after 9a.m. & 10a.m. Masses.**

**Saturday 1st 'LÁ LE BRÍDE'**  
*See how to make a St. Brigid's Cross:*  
<https://youtu.be/bq0ci42PnLc>



**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sunday 2nd February**

6.30pm (Sat. vigil 1st Feb.)

**Arthur Beatty R.I.P. (A)**

**Kevin, Mary &**

**Denis Delaney R.I.P. (A)**

**Billy Kelly R.I.P.**

**Months Mind**

9.00a.m.

**Eileen (Fan) O'Connor R.I.P. (A)**

10.30a.m.

**Tom Bourke R.I.P (A)**

12 noon

**Fergus Scannell R.I.P (A)**

**WORLD DAY OF THE SICK 2020**

**The World Day of the Sick Seminar will take place Saturday, February 8th from 9.30a.m. to 1.00p.m.** In the Newtown Parish Pastoral Centre, Newtownpark Avenue, Blackrock, Co. Dublin. This years theme is on **'Hope in the Face of Suicide'** Booking forms & agenda for the conference are on tables in the Church or drop into the Parish Office for one. **The World Day of the Sick Mass will take place on Sunday 9th February** in Church of the Guardian Angels, Newtownpark Avenue, Blackrock.

For further information please contact Trish on 0876220349.



**CHURCH NOTICES**

**FAMILY OFFERING**

The Family Offering Collection this week came to **€1,050**

**SUNDAY MASS TIMES**

6.30pm Vigil Mass (Sat)  
9.00am, 10.30am, 12.00pm.  
No evening Mass.

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

**Monday-Friday**  
9.00am & 10.00am  
**Saturday**  
9.00am & 10.00 am,  
6.30pm.(Vigil).

**HOLY DAYS**

Working Weekday  
7.30p.m. (Vigil)  
9.00a.m. & 10.30a.m.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**  
**Saturday**

10.30am and 6.00pm.

**ADORATION**

**Thursday:**  
10.30am - 1.00pm.  
**Saturdays:**  
6.00pm to 6.20pm

**THE ROSARY & DIVINE MERCY**

Are recited every weekday after 10.00a.m. Mass.

**MASS INTENTIONS**  
**Sunday 9th February**  
*6.30pm (Sat. vigil 8th Feb.)*  
**Patrick Campbell R.I.P.(A)**  
**Nicholas Clonan R.I.P. (A)**  
**& Annie Clonan R.I.P**  
**Christy Doyle R.I.P. (A)**

*9.00a.m.*  
**Special Intention**  
*10.30a.m.*  
**Delia McWilliams R.I.P (A)**  
*12 noon*  
**Monica O'Donoghue R.I.P.(A)**

**SPRING LITURGY SEMINAR 2020 in Holy Cross College, Clonliffe.**  
**Saturday 15th February,**  
**9.30a.m. to 1.30p.m.**

- Workshops:**
- 2020 Vision: Mary Clavin on the celebration of the liturgy.*
  - Let us go to God's House: Damian McNeice, a visual tour of Church architecture.*
  - Reading With Authority, Donal Neary S.J.*
  - Trócaire: Supporting Women & Families, Lenten Theme.*
  - Blinded By Your Grace with Pat O'Donoghue: creating prayer moments & services.*
- Booking forms on [www.dublindiocese.ie](http://www.dublindiocese.ie) or call in to Parish Office

**NAVAN ROAD COMMUNITY COUNCIL**  
**Next Meeting** of the Community Council will take place at 8p.m. Wednesday 5th February in the Parish Centre. All are welcome to attend but we are particularly appealing for new members, especially anyone with legal or planning expertise. Basically, it would mean giving up an hour & a half each month to attend meetings. We would love to get involved in clean-ups in the area but need new blood to become involved. So please see if you can find the time to join us. **TEXT ALERT:** We are inviting residents to renew their subscription to the Navan Road Text Alert Scheme. We will be collecting renewals in the Parish Centre before the next NRCC meeting at 7.30p.m. on Wednesday 5th February.

Renewal applies to anyone who joined the scheme prior to January 2019. You can also renew by going to our website [navanroad.com](http://navanroad.com) and using the link to our PayPal account. There will be further opportunities to renew directly with NRCC which we will announce after our February meeting.  
**DUBLIN CITY COUNCIL:** If you see anything that needs attention please contact DCC, Cabra Office 012227400 or drop in at 97 New Cabra Road. Street lighting out of order, contact [lighting@dublincity.ie](mailto:lighting@dublincity.ie) or (01)2222222. Please give the street name & the number of the lamppost.

**BRACELET / BANGLE**  
**Plain silver found** outside the Church on the road (cycle lane) at 8p.m Monday 20th January. It was handed into Cabra Garda Station.

**NIFTY FIFTIES COFFEE A.G.M. COFFEE MORNING** will be held **Wednesday 5th February** in St. Oliver Plunkett's G.A.A. Club at **10.30a.m.**

*"The word of God is living and affective, sharper than any two-edged sword. It pierces, to the division of soul and spirit, of joints and marrow, and judges the intentions and thoughts of the heart." Hebrews 4:12*

**St. Oliver Plunketts Eoghan Ruadh G.A.A. 'The Senior Hurlers Breakfast Morning' Sunday 9th February**  
**Time: 10.00a.m. -1.30p.m.**  
*All are Welcome to come and enjoy breakfast served to you by the members of our Senior Hurling Team.*  
**Adult Breakfast €10**  
**Healthy Breakfast €8**  
**Children's Breakfast €5**  
**Tea/Coffee with a Scone/Pastry €3**

**WE WELCOME 'NET MINISTRIES' to the Parish:** 9 Young Adults from Net Ministries are coming to work in our Parish from **today Sunday 2nd to 5th February.** These young Missionaries dedicate their time to share Jesus' Gospel message with young people in particular. They will share their faith message with the Parents of our Confirmation Children and provide a retreat for the Confirmation Children in the schools. We welcome them warmly & hope they enjoy their stay here on the Navan Road. Thank you to the families who have offered accommodation for the duration of their visit.

**On Monday Afternoon 2nd February, Net Ministries will be in the Church from 2.30p.m to 5p.m.** There will be adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, an opportunity to take time out from a busy day to pray, light a candle, have a chat about anything you wish with one of the 9 young Missionaries.

**'SUPPORTING BEREAVED PEOPLE'**  
The Irish Hospice Foundation are hosting a workshop on Thursday 20th February, 9.15a.m. to 4.15p.m, at Morrison Chambers, 4th floor, 32 Nassau Street, Dublin 2.  
*Presenter: Estelle McGinley. This workshop will explore ways to combine competence & compassion in supporting bereaved people.*  
*Booking & details: <https://hospicefoundation.ie/education-training/bereavement-training/>*

**CELTIC ATHLETIC CLUB**  
Well done to our older women's team who won the National Indoor Inter Track and Field League in Athlone last Sunday. This was the 4th win in a row for the team led by captain Catherine McManus who won the 400m & came 2nd in the 200m. Emily Corcoran came 2nd in the High Jump. Great racing in other events, including the Relay by Alison Burke & Clare Murphy. Seán Donoghue won the National Junior 1500m on Saturday in Athlone & followed up with a PB in his 800m on Sunday [www.celticdch.com](http://www.celticdch.com)