

4. Our Parish Sunday 4th July 2021

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| MASS INTENTIONS Sunday 4th July <i>6.30 p.m. (Sat Vigil).</i> Joe Dunne R.I.P. (A) Richard McMahan R.I.P. (A) Dolores Gormally R.I.P. (A) <i>9.00 a.m.</i> Ena Gibney R.I.P. (A) <i>10.30 a.m.</i> Tim Canavan R.I.P. (A) <i>12 Noon</i> Jo Finnan R.I.P. (A) | PARISH CONTACT DETAILS Fr. John O'Brien 211 Navan Rd. 8681436 Fr. Paddy O' Byrne 194 Navan Rd. 8386900 Fr. John Moran 192 Navan Rd. 8387902 Rev. Eamonn Murray 01 8380265 Parish Office: 01 8380265 Sacristy: 01 8684322 Emergency number: 087 1186474 Email: info@navanroadparish.com www.navanroadparish.com & follow on Facebook: Navan Road Parish-Our Lady Help of Christians |
| MASS INTENTIONS Sunday 11th July <i>6.30 p.m. (Sat Vigil).</i> Leo O'Reilly R.I.P. (A) Stewart Fellowes R.I.P. (A) <i>12 Noon</i> Michael Murray R.I.P. (A) | PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION This weekend at all Masses - Replacing the 2nd(SHARE)Collection. <p>The Peter's Pence Collection provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. You are aware of the growing needs, especially in mission countries, and the requests for aid that come from peoples, individuals and families in precarious conditions. Many expect Pope Francis to give them the support they often fail to find elsewhere The gesture has not only a practical value, but also a strong symbolic one, as a sign of communion with the Holy Father and attention to the needs of one's sisters and brothers on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters.</p> |
| Sunday 11th July, 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time: <i>Amos 7:12-15. Ps 84:9-14 R/ v 8. Eph 1:3-14. Mk 6:7-13.</i> | Congratulations to Paul Spaine on his Ordination as Deacon. We wish him well as he continues to prepare for the Priesthood. |
| SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL Please remember St. Vincent de Paul throughout the Summer Your donations are always appreciated and really needed on an ongoing basis. Contributions can be dropped into the Parish Office or the Sacristy at any time. THANK YOU | CONFESSIONS ON SATURDAYS Will take place in the Sacred Heart Chapel in the Church after 10 a.m. Mass and before the Vigil Mass 6.00p.m. to 6.20p.m |

Our Lady Help of Christians, Navan Road Parish, Dublin 7



Our Parish

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY 4TH JULY 2021

BUILDING HOPE TASK FORCE

Archbishop Farrell established the Task Force to support parishes to undertake a radical renewal, looking to the future with creativity, and to enable the Archdiocese of Dublin to act now so as to be able to give effective witness in the future. The Archbishop has initiated a conversation aimed at stimulating engagement across the whole Archdiocese. As a missionary Church we need to be clear about what we are offering to the world, what we need to retain and build on so as to be bearers of hope, and what we must change or leave behind as we build a future of hope while slowly emerging from the Covid-19 crisis. The Archbishop has invited the Task Force to engage with parish communities in order to take account of your needs and perspectives on the pastoral challenges ahead and also to encourage a process of reflection and discernment within parishes. *(More details on the Parish Website)*

We invite you to take part in this consultation- discuss with your family and fill in the form on www.dublindiocese.ie /www.navanroadparish.com
The form will be live until 18th July.

KNOW, LOVE AND LIVE YOUR FAITH!

If you would like to have a better understanding of the Catholic faith & a deeper relationship with God, then join us for **YOUCAT Companion**, an engaging group study of the Catholic faith **for people between the ages of 18 & 35 years.** **This will take place via ZOOM beginning Tuesday 13th July at 7.30p.m. (Information Session)** By being part of this study, you will not only benefit personally but you will also help to bring about a profound renewal in our Parish as we all grow closer to Christ.

YOUCAT Companion consists of a 20 session group study of the Catholic faith guided by 'Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church' It promises to be **energising and challenging in every session.** *For more information or to register your interest in the study, please contact: Ife & Aine by email: growyourfaithyc@gmail.com.*

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS CONTRIBUTIONS TO ALL OUR CHURCH COLLECTIONS - IT IS VERY MUCH APPRECIATED
FAMILY OFFERING/ 1ST & 2ND COLLECTION/ DONATION ENVELOPES can be dropped into the Parish Office or Sacristy letterboxes at any time.

Donations can also be made online through the website.

The Irish Catholic newspaper is available from the back of the church
(Please put €2.50 in one of the shrines to cover the cost, thank you)

www.navanroadparish.com.

FOR EMERGENCIES PLEASE PHONE: 087 1186474

The Parish office will be closed on Monday 5th & Monday 12th July to facilitate holidays.

Reminder: IT IS COMPULSARY TO WEAR A FACE COVERING IN THE CHURCH EVEN IF YOU ARE FULLY VACCINATED- NO MASK-NO ENTRY

*Psalm 122: 'For the love of my brethren and friends I say: "Peace be upon you!"
For love of the house of the Lord I will ask, for your good.*

NEWSLETTR

This is the final newsletter until September. Have a safe & happy Summer!

FIRST WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY- SUNDAY 25TH JULY

Theme: 'I am with you always' (Mt 28:20).

It expresses the closeness of the Lord and the Church to every older person, especially in these challenging times of the Covid-19 pandemic. The theme is also "a promise of closeness and hope that young and old can mutually share". Not only are grandchildren and youths invited to be present in the lives of older people, but older people and grandparents also have a mission of evangelisation, proclamation and prayer, and of encouraging young people in their faith. This day is chosen as it is the closest Sunday to the **feast day of St. Anne and St. Joachim** (Jesus' Grandparents) (Monday 26th July).

"In order to increase the devotion of the faithful and for the salvation of souls," grandparents, the elderly and the faithful will be able to obtain a Plenary Indulgence on the First World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly to be celebrated on 25 July 2021. (Vatican News)

Please put your prayers/ petitions /intentions for Grandparents Grandchildren, Elderly in the prayer box in front of the Baptismal Font. All will be prayed for during all the Masses for Sunday 25th July.

NAVAN ROAD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Gate Closures: ASHTOWN GATE-closed Tuesday 29th from 11p.m to Monday 5th at 7.00a.m. CASTLEKNOCK GATE-closed Wednesday 7th from 7.00a.m. to Monday 12th at 7.00a.m. Stone on all surrounds require work so they must close for the safety of workers. **Concert in the phoenix Park:** Has now been announced for the safer enclosed area of the Royal Hospital, Kilmainham for early July.

Thank you to all who contacted their local rep. on this issue.

Maynooth/Dart: next stage consultation to begin soon- would mean the closure of Ashtown Road & a long deep tunnel under Mill Lane, under the rail line & under The Royal Canal.

Navan Road/Pelletstown Police Forum-Zoom Meeting: Villa Park: No Dumping signs finally erected. Gardaí say there is no sign of illegal parking in Villa Park, Traffic Advisory Group have decided double yellow lines are unnecessary on some dangerous corners. **Navan Road:** Cycle lane separators are not being granted at this time as they will be part of BUS CONNECTS. Making changes to the traffic lights at the Kinvara Ave./Navan Rd. junction was considered unnecessary.

New Train Station: Gardaí are to liaise with Irish Rail on security issues (there will be no CCTV & it will be unmanned at initial opening. **Ashington Park:** Ongoing resurfacing of tarmac, walkways, trees, wild flowers. Review of pitch & children's playground. **Untidy:** Many areas are untidy with trees/shrubs needing pruning/ grass untidily cut on pavements/weeds/ blocked shores.

This maintenance was privatised by DCC. www.navanroad.com

SUMMER AT CABRA LIBRARY

Cabra is delighted to present our Arts programme in partnership with The Ark. Over the summer, children and their families can enjoy a feast of visual arts, drama storytelling and dance. We also have The Irish Revolution 1916-1923 Lecture Series starting on the 15th July, this thirteen part free history lecture series on the Irish Revolution will examine the key events and personalities from the 1916-1923 era and be presented in an accessible manner. Get Reading! The school year is over but you can still spark your imagination, join in activities by taking part in our exciting Summer Stars challenge.

Click on links below for details of online activities

<https://www.dublincity.ie/events/happy-habitats>

<https://www.dublincity.ie/events/ballet-poulet>

<https://www.dublincity.ie/events/dilly-dally-tortoise-and-hurried-hare>