

4. Our Parish Sunday 27th June 2021

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sunday 27th June**

*6.30 p.m. (Sat Vigil).*

**Tommy & Martin  
Creighton R.I.P. (A)**

*9.00 a.m.*

**Margaret Grant  
R.I.P. (A)**

*12 Noon*

**Con & May Rooney  
R.I.P. (A)**

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Navan Road Parish-Our Lady Help of Christians

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sunday 4th July**

*6.30 p.m. (Sat Vigil).*

**Joe Dunne R.I.P. (A)  
Richard McMahon R.I.P. (A)  
Dolores Gormally R.I.P. (A)**

*9.00 a.m.*

**Ena Gibney R.I.P. (A)**

*10.30 a.m.*

**Tim Canavan R.I.P. (A)**

*12 Noon*

**Jo Finnan R.I.P. (A)**

**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

**GRADUATION  
MASSES**

Congratulations to  
the Sixth Class Girls  
from Mary, Help of  
Christians School  
who will celebrate  
their Graduation  
Mass on Monday  
28th June and to the  
Sixth Class Boys  
from St. John Bosco  
Senior Boys School  
who will celebrate  
their Graduation  
Mass on Tuesday  
29th June  
*We wish them all  
very happy & safe  
Summer.  
We also wish them  
the very best of  
luck and every  
blessing in their  
new schools.*

**SAINT VINCENT  
DE PAUL**

**We are unable to hold our  
Monthly Church Gate  
Collections for the  
e being.**

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**

**Sunday 4th July, 14th Sun-  
day in Ordinary Time:**  
*EZ 2:2-5. Ps 122 R/v 2.  
2 Cor 12:-7-10. Mk 6:1-6.*

**BAPTISMS— can now be  
booked for September  
onwards. Please call to  
the Parish Office for a  
booking form or down-  
load from the website:  
[www.navanroadparish.com](http://www.navanroadparish.com)  
Ph: 01 8380265**

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



# Our Parish

**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY 27TH JUNE 2021**

**THE POWER TO HEAL**

Each of us is capable of doing some healing,  
because we have eyes that can see, ears that can hear, tongues that can speak,  
hands that can touch, and above all hearts that can love.  
Lord, make us instruments of your healing power.  
Where there is hatred let us sow love. Where there is injury, pardon;  
where there is doubt, faith; Where there is despair, hope;  
Where there is darkness, light; And where there is sadness, joy. AMEN

**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](mailto:growyourfaithyc@gmail.com).*

**SEND ME, LORD**

Whom shall I send? Here I am, Lord. Send me!  
Send me, Lord, wherever you please, for when I am sent by you,  
then I am quite sure that you will help me  
-in whatever situation I find myself- to fulfil what you ask.

AMEN

*St. Francis De Sales*

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](http://www.navanroadparish.com).

FOR EMERGENCIES PLEASE PHONE: 087 1186474

#### ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN

'LOOK' Activity sheets are available in the church for children, please take as many as you wish for your family. Gospel of the week resources for children are available on the Parish website & updated weekly. Some Sacrament specific material is also available on the website & will be updated regularly.

Completed sheets can be dropped into the Parish Office letterbox.

(Please put your name on them) They will be displayed in the church at a later date.

*Psalm 29: 'The Lord listened and had pity.*

*The Lord came to my help. For me you have changed my mourning into dancing, you removed my sackcloth and girdled me with joy. So my soul sings psalms to you unceasingly. O Lord my God, I will thank you for ever'*

#### LOUGH DERG 2021

Registration is now open to:

***"Do Lough Derg from wherever you are"*** from 3<sup>rd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> July. Please email: [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org)

telephone : 0719861518.

Website: [www.loughderg.org](http://www.loughderg.org)

#### NAVAN ROAD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

**PHORNIX PARK CONCERT UPDATE:** We had a communications glitch, as happens regularly these days on all media - apologies to all. Up to last week, Blanchardstown Garda Station, with jurisdiction over our area and Phoenix Park had not been informed of a proposed concert. We have just been told by a couple of sources that **THE CONCERT WILL NO LONGER TAKE PLACE IN PHOENIX PARK**. However, to date, we have not had the courtesy of this information from either of the relevant Ministers, or from our 3 local T.D.'s. We have written again to all, asking for the courtesy of confirmation.

We suggested, following the successful small (500 people) concert held in the very confined Iveagh Gardens, off Harcourt St., with ticket holders led to socially distanced pods; might safe requirements for a 3,500 seated event originally proposed for the Phoenix Park mean 7,000 seats would be essential to socially distance all ticket holders. Proper care and respect for our Phoenix Park is our main concern.

*Some good news; 6 new seats* within the triangle area on Odd Lamp Road - all facing away from roads - as we requested of OPW some time ago which was suggested to us by the North Circular Road Residents Association. We passed the request on to the OPW. We consult with their group on such issues, and also with Chapelized groups.

**Cabra Gate** has re-opened and is looking lovely. **Blackhorse Ave. Gate**, opposite the Graveyard is in place now. Stile gate beside it is open to the public. The park is looking very lovely, and thankfully, the Horse Chestnut Trees which were in danger of severe disease some years ago appear to be thriving.

#### 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)

#### PATHWAYS: EXPLORING FAITH AND MINISTRY

##### An Adult Faith Development Programme

**Pathways is a two-year, one night a week, course for adults of all ages who wish to explore their faith.**

Applications are now open for the next intake of participants for *Pathways*. This programme is run by the Archdiocese of Dublin. It will begin in DCU St. Patrick's Campus, (MDCCE), Drumcondra Rd. Dublin 9. on **Thursday 30th. September 2021 (7.00p.m. – 9.30 p.m.)**. Places are limited so early application is advised. **Contact: Pathways Director, Eileen Houlihan at 01 8087594 or [pathways@dublindiocese.ie](mailto:pathways@dublindiocese.ie)**  
[www.evangelisation.ie](http://www.evangelisation.ie)