

#### 4. Our Parish Sunday 7th November 2021

##### MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday 7th November

6.30p.m (Sat Vigil)

Thomas Norton R.I.P.  
Months Mind

Frances O'Connor R.I.P.  
Months Mind

Dermot Fitzharris R.I.P.  
Birthday Remembrance

9.00 a.m..

James & Kathleen  
Cummins R.I.P. (A)

10.30 a.m.

Tom & Kitty O'Neill  
R.I.P. (A)

12 Noon

Brian Byrne R.I.P. (A)

*Reading References for  
Sunday 14th November, 33rd  
Sunday in Ordinary Time—  
World Day of The Poor:*  
Dn 12:1-3. Ps 15:5,8-11,  
R/v 1. Heb 10:11-14  
Mk 13:24-32.  
*Feast Day of Bishop  
St. Laurence O'Toole—  
Patron Saint of Dublin*

##### LINK TO INTERVIEW WITH ARCHBISHOP FARRELL

<https://www.icatholic.ie/the-cry-of-the-earth-the-cry-of-the-poor-archbishop-dermot-farrell/?jwsourc=cl>

**THE CRY OF THE  
EARTH THE CRY OF  
THE POOR— available  
from the tables in the  
Church. (Please put €2  
in one of the shrines)**

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Office Opening times:

Mon.- Fri. 9am to 1pm.

*Please contact if you would like items from  
the Church shop or Mass Cards*

##### NOVEMBER ALTAR LISTS OF THE DEAD

All the names on the lists will be prayed for at all the 9a.m Masses throughout November and on the First Friday of each Month throughout the year. Envelopes can be dropped into the Parish Office Sacristy or any of the Priests' houses. (Envelopes are available from Church tables)

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Deceased Members of  
Phoenix Park Staff  
William (Paddy) Morrissey  
R.I.P. (A)

Alan Dooley R.I.P.  
Recently Deceased  
9.00 a.m.

Muriel Kavanagh R.I.P 1st (A)  
10.30a.m.

Peter, Mary, Kevin, Lily &  
John Fitzsimons R.I.P. (A)

12 noon

Niall Redmond R.I.P. 1st (A)

##### Mass Collections

Sunday 31st October

1st Collection: €1,235

2nd Collection— €877

Family Offering: €1,446

Thank you for contributing  
so generously.

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



## Our Parish

Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time 7th November 2021

##### TRÓCAIRE EMERGENCY APPEAL

**Trócaire East Africa Hunger Crisis “The field is the world, and the good seed are the children of the kingdom” (Mt 13:38)**

A terrible hunger crisis is raging across East Africa, driven by escalating climate change, conflict, swarms of desert locusts, and covid. Over 30 million children, women and men are being pushed into starvation. People and their livestock are dying.

Without emergency food and aid, many more won't survive.

Lives depend on our ability to reach them.

**The Trócaire Emergency Collection will take place at all Masses this weekend 6th & 7th November. It will replace the second (SHARE) Collection. Please help if you can.**

##### PRAYER FROM THE ORDER OF MISSIONARIES OF CHARITY

*Lord, when I am hungry, give me someone in need of food;*

*when I am thirsty, send me someone needing a drink;*

*When I am cold, send me someone to warm;*

*when I am grieved, offer me someone to console;*

*when my cross grows heavy, let me share another's cross;*

*when I think only of myself; draw my thoughts to another. AMEN*

##### REFLECTION

You give but little when you give possessions. It is when you give of yourself that you truly give. There are those who give little of the much which they have, and they give it for recognition, and their hidden desire makes their gifts unwholesome. And there are those who have little and give it all. These are the believers in life and the bounty of life, and their coffer is never empty. Through the hands of such as these God Speaks, and from behind their eyes he smiles upon the earth.

*PSALM 145: “My Soul, give praise to the Lord; I will praise the Lord all my days,  
make music to my God while I live”*

**DIOCESAN SYNODAL PATHWAY**  
*The following themes will help us to focus our attention as we journey together*

**1. FORMING OURSELVES IN SYNODALITY**  
*Synodality entails receptivity to change, formation, and on-going learning. How does our church community form people to be more capable of "walking together," listening to one another, participating in mission, and engaging in dialogue?*

**2. ON THE SAME ROAD**  
*In the Church and in society we are side by side on the same road. Are we aware of those who want to walk with us, and especially those who have grown apart or are on the margins?*

**3. THE QUALITY OF OUR LISTENING**  
*Listening is the first step, but it requires an open mind and heart, without prejudice. We can ask ourselves how well do we listen to those who have differing views? How do we include voices that can sometimes be ignored?*

**THE PARISH RADIO** is now working again. Thank you for your patience. If you are having difficulty with your radio and are not getting reception please ask someone to bring it to the Parish Office for tuning or phone **01 8380265** and we will arrange to collect it from you.

**THE IRISH CANCER SOCIETY**  
*We are looking for volunteer drivers to drive North Dublin patients to and from cancer treatments in the Mater Hospital and Beaumont Hospital. All volunteer expenses paid. If you have 2 weekdays a month available, please email [volunteer@irishcancer.ie](mailto:volunteer@irishcancer.ie) for more details.*

Families Walking Together in Hope-November - Light Up [November Family Resources Saints - Remembering Saints who lit up the world - Resource](#)  
[A SEASON FOR PLANTING](#)  
 Watch our **Vlog** Conversation for November - [Table Talk - November Podcast](#) - Food For Thought - Talking About Saints [Talking About Saints Podcast](#). (These links are available on the online version of the Newsletter on the Parish website) [www.navanroadparish.com](http://www.navanroadparish.com).

 **NOVEMBER AT CABRA LIBRARY**  
 Cabra Library presents a talk with Dr. James Curry who will discuss R. M. Fox's book Rebel Irishwomen, which was first published in 1935 and contains a dozen essays on women from the revolutionary period such as Maud Gonne, Constance Markievicz and Hanna Sheehy-Skeffington.  
 Dr. James Curry is a Dublin City Council Historian in Residence (North West Area) who holds post-graduate history degrees from Trinity College Dublin and NUI Galway.  
 Online platform: The online workshop will be delivered using the Zoom video call software.  
**Date: Thursday 18th November**  
**Time: 1.00p.m. – Online via Zoom**  
**Ph: 01 2228310 for details**

**GUIDELINES WHEN ATTENDING MASS IN THE CHURCH**  
**It is wonderful to have people attending Mass in such great numbers**  
**Everyone is very welcome**

- Every second pew will be available for use.
- We will maintain a max of three people per pew or a family.
- People will still be required to wear face masks and to sanitise their hands on entering the church.
- Communion will continue to be distributed to people in their pews to reduce movement in the church.
- Separate entry and exit doors will remain in place.
- Please take an antiseptic wipe to clean your seat when you are leaving.
- All missalettes must be taken home with you or placed in the bins provided at the doors.

**Thank You**

**NAVAN ROAD COMMUNITY COUNCIL Yellow Ribbons on Trees/ Bus Connects**  
 At the beginning of August 2021 members of Navan Road Community Council placed yellow ribbons on the trees along the Navan Road from the Parkway Station to Cabra Cross. This was done to highlight the impact Bus Connects plans could have on our area, with removal of up to 150 trees, with no space left after road redesign to replant in any meaningful way. Bizarrely, in early September a lady was seen removing all the ribbons along the route which she then dumped into a commercial skip, and left the area. The ribbons have subsequently been reinstated. As we attempt to save our avenue of trees, with the help of you all, we are now extremely concerned about the proposed Road Traffic & Roads Bill 2021, to go before our Dáil, which we have just learned of. One section of the Bill would give power to An Bord Pleanála to approve road schemes, or proposed road developments that materially contravene City/County Development Plans and Local Area Plans (LAP's). Minister for Transport, Eamon Ryan says " The Bill will also include legislation to support more rapid implementation of Bus Connects". This seems to be another erosion of local democracy. See sections 45 and 46, referring to '*any public transport infrastructure*', and including at 46 or 52 (c) '*trees, landscaping & planting.*'

**CHURCH USHERS– Thank you to all our Church Ushers who have worked so hard over the past several months. We will continue to have Ushers in a meet & greet capacity. If you are interested in helping even for one Mass per month please contact the Parish Office. 018380265**