

4. Our Parish, Sunday, 26th March 2023

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday 26th March

6.30pm (Sat. vigil)

Lily Penny R.I.P. (A)

Úna Ferguson R.I.P. (A)

Joan & Terry Maguire
R.I.P. (A)

William Murphy R.I.P.
Months Mind

9.00a.m.

For the People of
our Parish

10.30a.m.

Kevin Fitzsimons
R.I.P. (A)

Lily & John McNally
R.I.P. (A)

12 noon

Liam McDonnell
R.I.P. (A)

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday 2nd April

6.30p.m (Sat Vigil)

Austin & Sheila Carey
R.I.P. (A)

Dermot Fitzharris
R.I.P. (A)

9.00 a.m.

For The People
Of The Parish

10.30a.m.

Kay Collins R.I.P.
Months Mind

12 Noon

Brendan McNamara
R.I.P. (A)

The deadline for items
for the newsletter is
Tuesdays at 9a.m.

Reading References for Sunday 2nd April: Palm

Sunday Mt 21: 1-11. Is 50:4-7. Ps 21:8-9, 17-20, 23-

24, R/ v 2. Phil 2:6-11. Mt 26: 14-27:66

Holy Week begins.

**MINISTERS OF THE WORD AND
MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST**

Holy Week and Easter Sunday are not allocated Ministers of the Word or Ministers of the Eucharist on the roster. If you are free to read or distribute the Eucharist during any of the Holy Week and Easter Sunday Masses, please contact the Parish Office 018380265 to indicate what time suits you best.

Thank You very much, in advance.

**Palm Sunday 2nd April - 1 extra Reader
at all Masses**

**Holy Thursday 6th – Mass of the Lord’s
Supper at 7.p.m.**

Holy Saturday 8th - Easter Vigil at 9p.m.

Easter Sunday Masses – 9 & 10.30a.m.

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Our Parish

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT 26TH MARCH 2023



JESUS SAID:

‘I am the resurrection and the life; he who believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and whoever lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?’

God’s Timing

We can all struggle to understand God’s timing. Like Martha and Mary, we wonder why the Lord

is not responding to our request for help with greater urgency. Like them, we find ourselves struggling with the Lord’s silence and absence in the face of sickness and death. Yet, Jesus’ delay, painful as it was for Martha and Mary, created a space for something more wonderful to happen than if he had responded immediately to their pleas for help. Jesus’ delay allowed him to show the truly life-giving power of his friendship, not just in regard to this family in Bethany, but in regard to all who believe in him, the wider family of his disciples. (Martin Hogan, *You Have One Teacher-Veritas Publication*)

Don't Forget!

March 26th 1am

Clocks go
FORWARD
this weekend



We welcome the girls & boys from 2nd Class to 12 noon Mass today 26th with their families as they continue to prepare for the Sacrament of First Holy Communion.

CHURCH NOTICES**FIRST COLLECTION**

17th March €630

19th March €1,045

SECOND COLLECTION

17th March € 420

19th March €861

FAMILY OFFERING

19th March €665

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

6.30pm Vigil Mass (Sat) 9.00am,

10.30am, 12.00noon.

WEEKDAY MASSES**Monday-Friday**

9.00am & 10.00am

Saturday

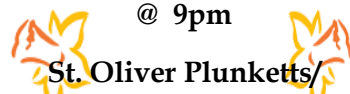
9.00am & 10.00 am, 6.30pm.vigil.

**SACRAMENT OF
RECONCILIATION****Saturday:** 10.30am and 6.00pm.**ADORATION****Saturdays:** 6.00pm to 6.20pm**THE ROSARY & DIVINE MERCY**Are recited every weekday after
9.00a.m. Mass.**FIRST SATURDAY EACH MONTH**Devotions at 5p.m with
Exposition and Confession**ST. JOSEPH'S YOUNG
PRIESTS SOCIETY**Meeting in the Parish Centre the
second Wednesday of each month
after 10a.m. Mass.**BAPTISMS- Please book-018380265**

First three Saturdays each month

SAINT FRANCIS HOSPICE**SPRING MEMORIAL WALK**Anytime, anywhere during
March/April www.sfh.ie/
018327535 to register- **€25***'Today I walk to
remember you'***2023 DAFFODIL DAY
TABLE QUIZ****FRIDAY 24th MARCH**

@ 9pm

**St. Oliver Plunketts/
Eoghan Ruadh**

Tables of 4 @ €40 per table

*This special fundraising
event is being held to raise
funds for the Irish Cancer
Society.**Cancer touches all our lives**HELP us fight it!***FIRST FIVE SATURDAY
DEVOTIONS**Will take place on Saturday 1st
April at 5p.m. in the church,
with: Exposition of the most
Blessed Sacrament, Rosary,
Special Fatima Prayers and the
Sacrament of Confession will be
available throughout. Holy Mass
will follow at 6.30p.m. as usual.**ALL VERY WELCOME.****DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK
SATURDAY 29th APRIL-The bus is now fully booked.****B.E. - BEGINNING EXPERIENCE**

B.E. is a support group for those coping with the pain of loss of their life partner, through Death, Separation or Divorce. Do you find that you need more support than family and friends can provide? Seeking help is a sign of strength and self-knowledge not weakness. This is a healing ministry, which helps to resolve the grief that goes with the end of a marriage or relationship. A team, who are themselves widowed, separated or divorced share their experiences with you. Next Coping with Life Alone Programme will take place on **Saturday 1st April 2023 in Carmelite Community Centre, 56 Aungier St, Dublin 2. D02 T258**

Next residential Programme will take place in **Avila Carmelite Centre Donnybrook, Morehampton Road Dublin 4. For further information please phone Dublin Team 086 0877379 or email: bedublin@gmail.com**

MARGARET FARRELL'S EXHIBITIONS AND ARTIST TALKS:

Well known local artist, Margaret Farrell, has two solo exhibitions on view in the area until 30th of March. Her collection of seascapes are on view in Cabra Library (Open library hours). Her exhibition "**The Beauty of Trees**" is on view in the Phoenix Park Visitor Centre, Ashtown Castle Open daily except Mondays and Tuesdays until 30th March. She will give demonstrations of her techniques and chat about the inspiration and stories behind her paintings in Cabra Library on the following dates: **Mon 20th March from 6.30 until 7.30p.m.** Margaret is much sought after as an art teacher. This is a unique opportunity to meet her and discover some of her creative secrets, ask questions about her use of colour, how she creates textures and watch as she demonstrates her palette knife techniques. **Admission is free.**

**FROM NAVAN ROAD
COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

Planning matters: The Pallet Site, as known locally, Black-horse Avenue, opposite Skreen Road, which gained a planning permission for 4 story blocks last year, despite being refused previously, and given permission to 'reduce to 3 stories only'. The site is now advertised 'For Sale' with Planning Permission. NRCC objected to heights, suggesting a low rise group of housing to reflect the style of local housing. Previous Planning Nos. - DCC No.2925/17 appealed to An Bord Pleanála as ABP 300456/17 - ending in 3 stories; later application, DCC No. 2901/20 appealed to An Bord Pleanála as ABP 311000/21. Can we please ask local people to keep an eye and let us know if any new Site Notice is erected on the lovely new surrounding wall, replaced by DCC just a few years ago. Short notice from DCC; "CÉILI MÓR" in Cabra Parkside this **Thursday 23rd at 8.00p.m.** 'Age friendly, no children, no teenagers'

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