

4. Our Parish, Sunday, 5th March 2023

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday 5th March

6.30p.m (Sat Vigil)

Margaret McCaffrey

R.I.P. (A)

Geraldine Fitzgerald

R.I.P. (A)

Agnes Dunne R.I.P.

Months Mind

9.00 a.m.

For The People
Of The Parish

10.30a.m.

Ena & James Kelly

R.I.P. (A)

12 Noon

Emily Scannell

R.I.P. 1st (A)

Fergus Scannell R.I.P. (A)

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday 12th March

6.30pm (Sat. vigil)

Laura & Daphne Duffy

R.I.P. (A)

Valerie McKenna

R.I.P. (A)

Frank Healy R.I.P. (A)

9.00a.m.

For the People of
our Parish

10.30a.m.

Christy Hayes R.I.P. (A)

Seán McDonnell R.I.P.

Recently Deceased

12 noon

Bob Leonard

R.I.P. (A)

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

THE NOVENA OF GRACE

The NOVENA OF GRACE Prayer will be said
at all Masses Saturday 4th March to
Sunday 12th March.

*Reading References for Sunday 12th March: 3rd
Sunday of Lent: Ex17:3-7. Ps 94:1-2, 6-9, R/ v 8. Rm
5:1-2, 5-8. Jn 4:5-42. Christ offers the water of life to all
who thirst. Through the Holy Spirit the gift of love is
poured into our hearts.*



**NEW PAPAL NUNCIO
APPOINTED**

The Holy Father Pope
Francis has appointed
His Excellency
Archbishop Luis
Mariano Montemayor,
Titular Archbishop of
Illici, up until now the

Apostolic Nuncio to Colombia, as the new
Apostolic Nuncio to Ireland.

We look forward to welcoming His
Excellency to the Navan Road very soon.

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Our Parish

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT 5TH MARCH 2023

THE TRANSFIGURATION



REFLECTION– TIME FOR ADORATION

The Gospels show clearly that Peter was a man of action; he always needed to be doing something. So on Mount Tabor, instead of contemplating in silence and wondering the glory of his Lord, he wanted to build three tents. There is a time for stillness, for contemplation, for wonder, for adoration in the presence of God. A time to heed the words of the psalmist: 'Be still, and know that I am God.'

Sometimes we are too busy.

We would be better to be silent, to be listening, to be wondering, to be adoring in the presence of God. (Flor McCarthy)

Lord, may I be consoled by Your glory and splendour. May I believe in this glory and keep it ever in my mind as I press on through the hardships and challenges I face. You travel the road ahead of me and You will lead me on my journey if I only trust in You.

Jesus, I do trust in You! AMEN



On Saturday 4th
March we
welcome the
girls & boys
preparing for the
Sacrament of
Confirmation to the
6.30p.m. Mass



**DURING LENT THE
STATIONS OF THE
CROSS WILL TAKE
PLACE AFTER 10A.M.
MASS MONDAY TO
FRIDAY EXCEPT
WHEN THERE IS A
FUNERAL**

CHURCH NOTICES**FIRST COLLECTION**

26th February €1,045

SECOND COLLECTION-Special Collection for Turkey & Syria

26th February € 10,565

Thank you for your most generous response.**FAMILY OFFERING**

26th February €890

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

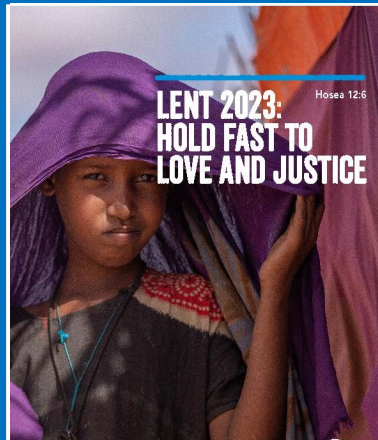
Devotions at 5p.m with Exposition and Confession

ST. JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS SOCIETY

Meeting in the Parish Centre the 2nd Wednesday of each month after 10a.m. Mass.

BAPTISMS- Please book-018380265

First three Saturdays each month at 12.30p.m.

**TRÓCAIRE**

Ambiyo (36) and Mahat (39) are parents to eight beautiful children aged from six months to fourteen years. They have a makeshift hut, built from twigs, sticks and

scraps of material in the camp for internally displaced persons near Luuq, Somalia. Ambiyo and Mahat worry every day about having enough food to feed their children and being able to provide for them in the future. Mahat says, 'I am thinking about a different future altogether. I want to be independent.' In 1973 the bishops of Ireland founded Trócaire in response to injustice and suffering in the developing world. Today Trócaire provides support to areas in greatest need around the world, empowers peoples in these areas to develop skills and abilities to cope with crises, and creates greater awareness of global issues in Ireland. Over the past fifty years, the people of Ireland have generously donated to help families like the Mahats. With your donation to our lenten campaign, Trócaire can continue its life-changing work and bring hope to those with whom we are privileged to work. www.trocaire.org *Please help Trócaire's Lenten Campaign. Trócaire Packs are available from the church tables. Also on the tables is a Lenten Activity Calendar.*

FROM NAVAN ROAD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

ROAD WORKS-EXPECT DELAYS- DCC Cabra Office, have confirmed that the road-works on Navan Road are repairs/renewal of sections of footpaths between Ashtown & Baggot Road, they are expected to finish by the 19th March. A trail of large mystery footprints left in the new cement in one area has been reported to DCC, as a trip hazard, with a request to be repaired whilst workers still in the area.

At a recent Garda coffee morning we reported local items to the public present, and it was clear some people may not know their public representatives. Those not online can contact Cabra DCC office to get contact names/details of our Councillors; Phone 01 2227400 or call to 97, New Cabra Road (beside 122 stop/opposite Clarkes Bakery)

www.dublincity.ie Contact Dail Eireann at 01 6183000 to request details of your T.D.s & www.oireachtas.ie

The girls from Second Class in Mary, Help of Christians School will receive the Sacrament of First Penance on Wednesday 8th March in the Church at 7p.m. We continue to pray for them as they prepare for the Sacrament of First Holy Communion in May.

**LENTEN PRAYER BOX**

There is a prayer box on the Sacred Space at the back of the church for children of all ages to place Lenten prayers in. Lent is a time when we reflect on how we can do better. If you have anything you would like to ask Jesus to help you with or would like to pray for someone, please write your prayer on the paper provided and place in the box. All the prayers will be placed on the Altar at our next Family Mass 26th March at 12noon.

**St Patrick's Day
March 17th 2023****St Patrick - A Stranger Bearing Gifts**

An ecumenical celebration in word, song and music

at **6 pm** on **March 17th** in **St Patrick's Cathedral**www.dublincouncilofchurches.ieSt Patrick's Close
Dublin 8