

### MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday 10th May

6.30p.m (Sat Vigil)

Eddie Byrne R.I.P. 1st (A)

Anna-Mai Fitzsimons

R.I.P. 1st (A)

Caroline Stapleton R.I.P. (A)

Irene Nolan R.I.P. (A)

Phyllis Carr R.I.P. (A)

Nick Davis R.I.P. (A)

9.00a.m.

For The People  
of The Parish

10.30a.m.

Oliver Ward R.I.P. (A)

12 Noon

John Grimes R.I.P.

### MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday 17th May

6.30p.m (Sat Vigil)

Kevin Ennis R.I.P.

Months Mind

Anne Kelly R.I.P.

Months Mind

Liam Stewart R.I.P.

Recently Deceased

Elizabeth & Michael

Shannon R.I.P. (A)

Tommy Murphy R.I.P. (A)

9.00a.m.

For The People of The Parish

10.30a.m.

Margaret (Madge)

O'Doherty R.I.P. 1st (A)

12 Noon

Joe O'Callaghan R.I.P. (A)

Deadline for submissions for  
the newsletter is Tuesdays  
at 9 a.m.

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Navan Road Parish-Our Lady Help of Christians

**Novena to the Holy Spirit  
17th – 25th May 2026  
for the renewal of the  
Church in the Archdiocese  
of Dublin.**

**Prayers of the Novena will  
take place at all Masses in  
the nine days from 17th –  
25th May beginning on the  
Feast of the Ascension of  
the Lord, through  
Pentecost and continuing  
to the Feast of Mary,  
Mother of the Church.**

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



# Our Parish

**SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER-10TH MAY 2026**



### REFLECTION-(Mount St. Joseph Abbey-Roscrea)

Firstly, and ultimately, there is love. Jesus, the human manifestation of love, explains that if we truly love him, we will also keep his commandments. Blossoming into our life comes a new advocate sent by the Father: the Holy Spirit. He shall be with us forever. Christ speaks of "...the Spirit of truth whom the world can never receive". But we know him because we know Christ. Our knowledge of Christ, our desire to know him, to make him part of our life, to let him in, to do his will: all of this brings us the Spirit of truth. We shall not be left orphans. Christ refers to the Fatherhood of God, intimating that he is one with that Father. We shall not be stranded from our creator. We are designed with love and compassion, and we are destined to reunite with our creator.



St. Vincent De Paul Church Gate Collection will  
take place after all Masses the weekend of the  
9th/10th April. Thank you for your ongoing support.

**CHURCH NOTICES****FIRST COLLECTION**

3rd May €1,140

**Lay Ministry Collection**

3rd May €1,390

**FAMILY OFFERING**

3rd May €1,005

**SUNDAY MASS TIMES**6.30p.m. Vigil Mass (Sat) 9.00a.m.,  
10.30a.m., 12.00noon.**WEEKDAY MASSES****Monday-Friday**

9.00a.m. &amp; 10.00a.m.

**Saturday**

9.00a.m. &amp; 10.00a.m., 6.30pm.vigil.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION****Saturday:** 10.30a.m. and 6.00p.m.**Mon.-Fri.-**9.30a.m. -9.50a.m.**ADORATION****Monday to Saturday:**

7.45a.m to 8.45a.m.

**Thursdays:** 10.30a.m. to 1.30p.m.**Saturdays:** 5.15p.m. to 6.15p.m.**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.-6th June**VOCATIONS SOCIETY OF****ST. JOSEPH** -Meeting-third Wed. of  
each month after 10a.m. Mass-20th May**BAPTISMS**-First three Saturdays of  
each month- 01 8380265-Parish Office**PARISH COFFEE MORNING**

Every Tuesday after 10a.m. Mass.

**LIFE IN THE SPIRIT PRAYER****GROUP**- Tuesday 12th May

at 7.30p.m. All Welcome.



**VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED-DEIS Primary Schools-Finglas.**-Training provided for volunteers aged 55yrs & up to assist children with *one-to-one* reading, two mornings a week during school hours for approx. 2.5hrs. per day.

Details are available in the Parish Office or  
contact: [lisa.tobin@barnardos.ie](mailto:lisa.tobin@barnardos.ie)



**Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock.**  
**Can you spot a couple of our parishioners?**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLK GROUP**

who celebrated their 43rd Anniversary on the 1st May. The 1st Mass they sang at was on the 1st May 1983. We thank them for their long service to the Church of our Lady Help of Christians and for the wonderful gift of music they bring to us every Sunday at the 12 noon Mass. We pray that they will remain in good voice for many years to come.

*Reading References for Sunday 17th May: The Ascension of the Lord: Acts 1:1-11. Ps 46:2-3, 6- 9, R/ v 6. Eph 1:17-23. Mt 28:16-20. The Ascension of Christ means our own salvation as well; where the glorious Head has gone before, the body is called to follow in Hope.*  
**World Communications Day.**

**MERCHANTS QUAY BOOKSHOP**

Good News St Paul's Books and Gifts, Ireland's leading Catholic publisher and retailer of religious books, gifts, educational materials and parish resources, has opened in 4 Merchants Quay, Dublin 8. Email [dublin@stpauls.ie](mailto:dublin@stpauls.ie) or call: 089 2793978.

**CABRA LIBRARY**  
**Tech Cafe**

**Tuesday 12th of May at**  
**10:00am - 12:00pm**

**A free relaxed two-hour session**  
**where you can learn about**  
**using your smart phone or**  
**tablet with the help of volun-**  
**teers. No booking required.**

**SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY**  
**COMMUNION**

The boys from 2nd Class in St. John Bosco Senior Boys' School will receive the Sacrament of First Holy Communion on Saturday 16th May at 10.30a.m. We keep them in our prayers and hope they have a lovely day.

**FROM NAVAN ROAD COMMUNITY**  
**COUNCIL**

**BE AWARE,** a large white van with ladders on the roof, recently carried out a scam on at least one household within our area. To our knowledge, they've been seen within the Glens and Kinvara area, Skreen Road, and Martin Savage Park, Ashtown. The Gardaí have been notified. **PLEASE** do not allow any person who knocks on your door, uninvited/unplanned by you, to enter your home or carry out any works you did not request. Say a firm 'no thank you' and close your door immediately. If you ring 999 all issues are logged. Tell your neighbours, especially if you feel they are vulnerable.

At the recent **Navan Road / Pelletstown Police Forum**, attended by only one local councillor, who chaired; people raised issues about broken footpaths/kerbs throughout the area, as well as untidy grass cutting, if done at all. It was pointed out that not all residents are in the position to cut grass verges in front of their homes due to mobility issues and various other reasons. A request was made to arrange a meeting with Dublin City Council officials to review the matter. This meeting is still awaiting agreement.

**There will be no 10.00a.m. Mass on Sat. 16th to facilitate 1st Holy Communion.**