

ADORATION

This Thursday 26th May there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Sisters' Oratory: from after 10am Mass until 11.45am

Church: 7pm to 9pm. All are welcome.

"FINDING NEW LIFE" TALKS

Following on our Renewal of our Baptism experience last Wednesday, this week in the Prayer Group our 2nd last Talk, "Growth in the Holy Spirit" will be held in the Pastoral Centre on Wednesday 25th May. Please join us if you can – you will be most welcome!

CHURCH DUTY

Cleaning: Veronica Bayly, Bernardine Wynne, Tracy Whelan and Josephine Hearty

Altar Linen: MaryJenkins

Flowers: Noreen King to 29th May

Teresa Greene has retired from the "Flower" Group. On behalf of all parishioners we thank her sincerely for all the work she has dedicated for the last few years. We wish her and her family well.

We now have a vacancy for a person who enjoys flowers and is willing to voluntary take Teresa's place. Please leave name and contact no. and we will get back to you

NOTICES

Monday 23rd May

Miraculous Medal Novena after 10am Mass and Rosary.

Tuesday 24th May

Lectio Divina under direction of Sr. Anne in the Pastoral Centre after 10am Mass all welcome

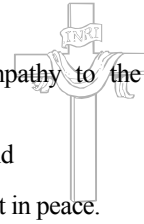
The Legion of Mary meets in the Convent at 11.00am. New members are welcome.

DEATHS

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of:

Rita McAnaspie, Riverside Rd

recently deceased. May she rest in peace.



CCPC INTERCESSORY PRAYER FOR 9 CLONDALKIN PARISHES

This Tuesday evening 24th May Intercessory Group praying in Parish Pastoral Centre at 7.30pm to 8.30pm. Come along if you can to join us in praying for the needs of our whole group of parishes.

RECEPTION OF SACRAMENTS

On Wednesday next, 25th May, Bishop Field will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to the girls of the local schools at 11am

On Saturday 28th May the children of the Gaelscoileanna will receive their First Holy Communion at 11am

To facilitate the celebrations Mass will be at 9.30am instead of 10am

"CONGRATULATIONS"

Congratulation to the boys of St. Joseph's School who received their 1st Holy Communion yesterday

ANNIVERSARIES

Tuesday 24th May

7.30am Brian Roberts

Thursday 26th May

10.00am Bernadette and Joseph King

Saturday 28th May

9.30am Michael and Mary Lacey

Sunday 29th May

7.30pm (Vigil) Cecilia and John Napier
10.30am Nancy O'Connell, MM

CLONBURRIS

Mass Intentions

Saturday 21st May

6.30pm Collette Brown An.
Catherine Markey An.
Frank and Ann Pitts An.
Ena Reilly Birthday Rem.

Sunday 22nd May

11.00am Chisty McDermott An.
Peggy Gorman An.
Mary Byrne Birthday Rem.

Congratulations to all the children who made their First Communion on Saturday.

LOURDES 2016

Having spent five filled days in Lourdes, in atmosphere of peace, friendship and sharing, the pilgrims arrived home tired, but at peace and happy after the pilgrimage. Our new hotel proved to be very popular, being so close to the Grotto and to the various Churches where we attended our Masses. Once again Fr. Shan O'Cuiv was our Spiritual Director and we thank him not only for his inspiring words in his homilies but for his care and friendship within the group.

Emma and Rebecca from Coláiste Bríd were with us as assistants and were always willing to help with any task that needed to be done.

We took part in the many ceremonies, processions, Stations of the Cross, Holy Hour etc. and the parish Community was remembered at all our Masses. On our final night, the large candle representing the Parish, was placed in the Grotto by the group and this candle will burn there for some time.

We thank Pdraig who, though unable to be with us, still managed to organise the Pilgrimage to help it run so smoothly.

Lourdes Committee

"BRING FLOWERS OF THE FAIREST"

The popular "May Procession" will take place after 12 Mass next Sunday, 29th May. The procession will begin outside the main door led by the children who received their 1st Holy Communion and processing through the grounds of the Church and Convent field and returning to the Church. We appreciate gifts of flowers to suitably decorate Our Lady's statue for the occasion. Flowers will be accepted in the sacristy or leave at Our Lady's Statue.

CLONDALKIN GARDA STATION OPEN DAY

Celebrating "Bealtaine Festival the Gardaí invite all to pay them a visit on Saturday 28th May from 2.00pm – 5.00pm

MONDAY CLUB

Today we held our Coffee Morning as part of the "Bealtaine Festival". Welcome to Srs Claire and Ann from the convent and other visitors who came to join us for the morning. We all had a great morning and enjoyed tea/coffee, apple tart/ cream/scones cream and jam and buns. Thanks a million to all who baked and contributed in any way towards the success of the morning.

Thanks Phyllis Rungay who was in Lourdes lately where she prayed and lit candles for us all.

Breda Grace donated Easter eggs for us to raffle for St. Vincent de Paul. The eggs were won by "guess the number" by Angela McCreevey, Kathleen Murray and Margaret Ledwidge. A donation of €25 will be forwarded to St. Vincent de Paul. To finish the morning we had a singsong!

Noel played a selection of tunes on the harmonica. Joan was Phil the Fluther, Kathleen Finan recited I see His blood upon the rose, Sr. Ann sang and told a story and we all joined Josie with O Ró Sé the beath abhaile

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