

Clondalkin Village Parish

Immaculate Conception & St. Killian Church

Clonburris  **Knockmitten**

Parish Newsletter

Sunday 12th July 2020



YOU REAP WHAT YOU SOW.

I took a couple of days off during the week and made my way to Tobbercurry where I stayed in a lovely hotel run by the Murphy family. Paul and his team were out in great force to welcome back guests and to explain the new protocols etc. For a split second I thought I was hearing myself as he explained that guests dining in the restaurant would be shown to their seats and utensils, condiments etc would be brought to their table. I have given out the same line to many of our parishioners during the past week as we fully reopened the Church for weekday and weekend Masses. Once again thanks to our team of volunteer stewards and cleaners who have been looking after us these past couple of weeks. For those who left their names in with Julie or Gerry whom we have yet to contact rest assured we have not forgotten you.

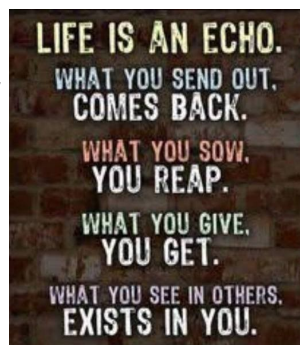
I've spoken to numerous people in the hotel and restaurant business who had spent the previous month preparing their premises for reopening and training their staff in the new protocols and procedures. They all agreed that the preparation was as important as this made sure everyone knew what was expected and to spot any potential areas for concern and one can see what happened when protocols and regulations were not adhered to.

This Sunday's Gospel is the parable of the sower is one known to us all. The extract below can be applied to everything from preparing to reopen our Churches to how we bring the word of God to those we encounter in our lives.

The seed sown on the path is the one who hears the word of the kingdom without understanding it, and the evil one comes and steals away what was sown in his heart.
The seed sown on rocky ground is the one who hears the word and receives it at once with joy. But he has no root and lasts only for a time. When some tribulation or persecution comes because of the word, he immediately falls away.
The seed sown among thorns is the one who hears the word, but then worldly anxiety and the lure of riches choke the word and it bears no fruit.
But the seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and yields a hundred or sixty or thirtyfold."

Fr. Damian

We pray for all those in our country and throughout the world suffering from the Corona Virus. May its victims and their families be strengthened by the support of our community of faith and restored soon to full health. We also pray for our leaders and medical personnel who deal with the virus. May we keep calm and may we join together in solidarity with care and compassion to tackle this emergency. This we ask in confidence through Christ Our Lord. Amen



Masses

Clondalkin Village
from Sat 11th July
Sundays: (Vigil) Sat 6.30pm, Sunday 10.00am, 12 noon
Weekdays
(Mon – Sat) 10am

Clonburris
6.30pm Sat & 11am Sun

Knockmitten
From Friday 26th July
10.00am & 12 noon

Parish Office Hours
Clondalkin: Mon-Fri
9:30 am - 12:30pm
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We were very happy to welcome back Fr. Shán O Cuív for mass here in Clonburris for Saturday evening 6.30pm and Sunday at 11.00am

Lovely to be back!

Geraldine

Priory Institute Theology, Spirituality and Religious Experience - On Line Course - This course consists of 10 one-hour online lectures by Fr Pat Collins C.M. given over two weeks delivered online. It is offered on 13 - 24 July and again on 10 - 21 August. Participants can interact on our e-learning platform and there will be a streamed question and answer session following the final lecture.
<https://prioryinstitute.com/events/summer-school-2020-theology-spirituality-and-religious-experience>

Support Line for Older People - ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19. Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8.00am – 8.00pm, by calling **0818 222 024**

Saint Camillus de Lellis (1550 - 1614)

Born in Chieti in the Abruzzo region of Italy, as a young man Camillus joined the army first of Venice and then of Naples. But when his company was disbanded, he became addicted to playing cards and gambling. He lost everything he had and then got a job driving two asses at a building site for the Capuchins. He applied to become a novice, but was rejected because he had a running sore on his leg that was judged incurable. At this stage he saw the foolishness of his ways, repented and began to live a life of penance. Camillus went to Rome and began to care for patients at the Hospital of St James for Incurables, where he had previously been a patient. When the administrators saw the quality of his work, they appointed him director of the hospital. He had the idea of getting people to care for the sick out of charity, and set up a house with two like-minded companions. They got financial support from some wealthy patrons and worked initially at the Hospital of the Holy Spirit in Rome. St Philip Neri (1515-95) helped Camillus spiritually. Despite all the help he got, Camillus found it difficult to put his project into effect, so he decided to study for the priesthood and was ordained a priest in 1584. Soon Camillus began to think of a religious congregation and a rule for a community was approved in 1586. Camillus himself suffered from a number of long-term illnesses, but despite this, spent most of his time in serving the sick and in prayer. He resigned from being the superior general of the order in 1607, but the order continued to expand both in the cities of Italy and in Hungary. He died in 1614 and was buried in the Church of St Mary Magdalen in Rome. Pope Benedict XIV (Lambertini) canonised him in 1746.



Feast Days This Week

Monday 13th July : St. Henry

Tuesday 14th : St. Camillus de Lellis

Wednesday 15th July : St. Bonaventure

Thursday 16th July : Our Lady of Mount Carmel

A few Words of Thanks from our wider parishioners

“Thank you. I get great comfort, strength and inspiration from your daily posts” - *Deirdre*

“Thanks to you all for being and continuing to be a wonderful source of love, inspiration and care” - *Jean*

“Your short input on-line was just what I needed today - Hope you’ll continue them all. Thanks so much...” - *Pat*

Stand up to your obstacles and do something about them. You will find that they haven’t half the strength you think they have. *Norman Vincent Peale*

Village Church



Sunday 12th July

6.30pm Vigil Patrick Denton, Annie Denton and Philip Denton (An), Kathleen Henry (2nd An) Alex Savostkobas (special intention)

10.00am Kieran Kelly (An & B’d day Rem), Fred & Suzanne White, Matthew Fitzsimons (An), Joan Moran (An)

12noon Una Sweeney (1st An), Sr. Anne Maher (Loretto) (An), Clare Daly (1st An), Bill Caddle (An)

Monday 13th July 10.00am Special Intention

Thursday 16th July

10.00am Thomas Delaney (50th An)

Friday 17th July

10.00am William Jones & Edward Brett (An)

Saturday 18th July

10.00am Margaret Grehan (1st An) and her husband Sean Grehan

Sunday 19th July

6.30pm Vigil Special Intention, Cathleen Nolan (Rem), Gretta Gallagher (Rem)

10.00am Bridget Fitzsimons (An), Margaret O’Connor (MM), Noel Lombard (An), Joe Devine (An), Barry Carroll (5th An)

12noon Tom & Maisie Delaney (An) & dec’d family members



Recently Deceased

SHANE O’MAHONY

PATRYK KOZA

ALAN CATHCART

May they rest in peace

The Irish Hospice Foundation - National Freephone Service

Have you been impacted by a bereavement during COVID-19? Are you finding it difficult to cope with a bereavement at this time? Would it help to talk to someone in confidence about your loss?

The Irish Hospice Foundation Bereavement Support Line is a national freephone service - **1800 80 70 77** - available from **10.00am to 1.00pm**, Monday to Friday.



A thought for this Sunday for our Polish Parishioners.

Thanks Chris



Wszyscy doświadczyliśmy „wyłączenia się” podczas mszy świętej. Słyszeliśmy, że Słowo Boże było głoszone, ale tak naprawdę nie wiemy, o co w nim chodziło. W dzisiejszej Ewangelii możemy przeczytać przypowieść, która mówi o czymś podobnym. Mamy oczy, ale nie widzimy; mamy uszy, ale nie słyszymy. Jak możemy to zmienić? Musimy otworzyć nasze serca na łaskę Bożą, aby „gleba” naszego serca mogła zostać nawodniona, a siewca mógł zasiać w nas Słowo Boże. Ponieważ tylko w żyznej i dobrze nawodnionej glebie nasiona mogą rosnąć i przynosić owoce, owoce, które zmieniają nasze życie i życie innych. Poprośmy dzisiaj Pana Jezusa, aby udzielił nam łaski takich „uszu”, które rzeczywiście usłyszają Jego słowo.

We have all experienced a "switch off" during a mass. We heard that God's Word was preached, but we don't really know what it was about. In today's Gospel we can read a parable that says something similar. We have eyes but we can't see; we have ears but we can't hear. How can we change this? We must open our hearts to the grace of God, so that the "soil" of our heart can be watered and the sower can sow God's Word in us. Because only in fertile and well-irrigated soil can seeds grow and bear fruit, fruit that will change our lives and the lives of others.

Let us ask the Lord Jesus today to give us the grace of "ears" that will actually hear His word.

Volunteer Garden Friends Are Welcome In The Global Garden.

Welcome Kashif & Kenneth To our Community.
Please Contact maeveannemurphy@gmail.com
If You Are Interested.



A fantastic clean and tidy up job by the lads in Clondalkin Men's Shed at the Equine Centre.



Doing a fabulous job in the garden in between socially distanced cuppas and the obligatory chat and catch-up. Well done lads!!



Some information about a virtual jobs fair running on the 15th of July.

Sign up if interested
www.virtualrecruitment.ie/
Different industries, such as banking and financial services,

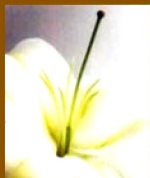
the pharmaceutical and health sectors, engineering, construction and many more, including the Irish Defence Forces that will be hiring at this event. They work on a mobile-friendly platform and it requires no downloads or heavy software installations. All candidates need is an internet connection and a browser.

If you or anyone you know is interested in applying to the Defence Forces they are taking online applications now at <https://www.military.ie/en/careers/current-competitions/>

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"We have the seed of the Gospel word. It is up to each of us to set the priorities and to do the things that make our soil good and our harvest plentiful."



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with funerals and family meetings
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