DONNYBROOK PARISH
CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART
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FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

FIRST COLLECTION is for the support of priests, in the first place, the priests of this parish and also the priests of the Diocese, active, sick and retired, through the Common Fund. The **SECOND COLLECTION** is for SHARE, the diocesan fund for development, the provision of central pastoral and administrative services and the support of parishes which are not able to support themselves.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING OF PRIESTS Last weekend collection you contributed €3,721 for the education and training of priests for the Archdiocese of Dublin. Many thanks for your support!

CHILD SAFEGUARDING & PROTECTION This Sunday, 3rd May is the Diocesan Child Safeguarding Day, a day to be reminded of our responsibility as a parish to ensure that our parish is a safe place for children to grow as disciples of Jesus. You will find our policy, our Parish Child Safeguarding Representative and contact phone numbers on our notice boards.

BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY *(4th May)* There will be one morning Mass only at 11:00am*.*

FAMILY MASS 10:30am – Sunday 10th May – our organisers would like to invite everyone over to the Parish Centre after the 10:30am Family Mass next Sunday 10th May for refreshments. All welcome - p*lease come along!*

FR. JOHN SULLIVAN, S.J. The annual anniversary Mass of Thanksgiving for the Life and Work of The Servant of God, The Venerable Fr. John Sullivan, S.J. will be celebrated in Clongowes Wood College on Sunday 10th May at 3:00pm. Principal Celebrant – Bishop Denis Nulty.

HOLY GHOST MISSIONS Fr Noel O'Meara will be speaking at all Mass next weekend to promote awareness of the missions and he will speak about the Missions he has been involved with over the years in particular.

CHURCH RADIOS If anyone has a radio from the Church (for listening into Masses) at home that is no longer being used, we would really appreciate if it were donated back to the Church to be passed on to someone else, as the radios are expensive.

CHURCH GATE COLLECTION this weekend is for the students of the Teresian School travelling to Peru for community and education projects in El Salvador. Collection goes directly to the projects.

ORLAGH BIBLE WEEK 2015 Please see notice boards for more information.

FEASTS THIS WEEK:
- **St Conleth, bishop** (Monday, 4th)
- **Bl. Edmund Rice, religious** (Tuesday, 5th)

PLEASE PRAY FOR: *Recently Deceased*: Henry (Harry) O'Dwyer and Ian Hanna RIP
Months Mind: *George Macken RIP*

- **6:00pm Vigil: Desmond O'Brien** *(Anniversary)*
- **9:00am: Donal Gallagher** *(Anniversary)*
- **10:30am: William and Margaret McCarthy** *(Anniversary)*
- **12:00pm: Nora Byrne** *(Anniversary)*
- **5:30pm: Clelia Corbally** *(Anniversary)*

Also: **Eric Paul, John and Nora Cerasi, Tommy Nealon, Bob Gelston, Cathrine Hawkins, Dr Kevin Quinn, Patricia O'Brien, Nellie Bacon** *(Anniversaries)* **and Tom Broe** *(30th Anniversary)*

Do This in Memory

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BLESSING AND SENDING:

At the end of Mass we might feel that something is over and that we have done our bit as members of God's Family, the Church, for another week, but we are only beginning.

'Go and announce the Gospel of the Lord', the priest says.

At the end of Mass we are blessed and we are sent from God's house into God's world.

We are sent to bring God, God's message and God's love we have received to everyone we meet.

We can do this because we have been nourished by the Word of God and the Bread of Life.

We are sent to do this together. We have the support of one another, The Body of Christ.

We are sent from Mass with a Mission. The word 'Mass' is a form a Latin word, meaning sent.

We are sent to witness to Jesus in the way we live each day.