



DONNYBROOK PARISH
CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART
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Church Notices

Saturday 20th / Sunday 21st June 2015

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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.

PETER'S PENCE Annual Collection to support our Holy Father, Pope Francis and the Pontifical Charities, replaces *SHARE* next weekend. *Please see letter from the Archbishop on notice boards.*

CONDOLENCES FOR VICTIMS OF BERKELEY DISASTER A Mass was held in the Pro-Cathedral on Saturday 20th June to remember those who died or remain injured after the recent disaster in Berkeley, as well as their families and friends who are in need of our support and prayers at this difficult time. A book of condolences will remain open all day Sunday (21st June) to permit many people who will be in Dublin City Centre to express their sympathy and condolence.

PARISH NEWSLETTER The Summer Edition of the Parish Newsletter is now available at Church porches, please take one home.

PARISH SHOP We would like to thank Sandra Aungier for running the Parish Shop for the last while. The Shop is under review but remains open in the meantime.

CHURCH GATE COLLECTIONS

- This weekend is for **CONCERN WORLDWIDE**, supporting the crisis in Nepal after the 7.8 magnitude tremor killed more than 8,000 people and aiming to support 100,000 people with the provision of survival kits, water and sanitation facilities which are desperately needed. *Please support!*

FEAST THIS WEEK:

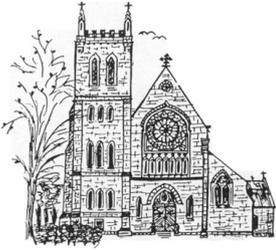
- The Nativity of St John the Baptist (Wed 24th)

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Recently Deceased: Bernadette (Bernie) Hagan RIP

- 6:00pm Vigil: Joan Hughes (*Months Mind*)
- 9:00am: Michael O'Dwyer (*Anniversary*)
- 10:30am: Hector Ryan (*Anniversary*)
- 12:00pm: Maurice Joseph Foley (*Anniversary*)
- 5:30pm: Carmel, Patricia and Kevin Redmond (*Anniversary*)

Also: Margaret Quinn, Richard (Dick) O'Neill, Marguerite Hanley, James Fennelley, Edward Tuohy, Alacoque Gleenson, Declan Costello, Alexis Fitzgerald, Michael Sweetman and all the victims of the Staines Air Disaster 1972 (*Anniversaries*)



Living the Joy of the Gospel
Building Our Community of Faith

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Dear Friends, today we launch ‘*Living the Joy of the Gospel*’ an important initiative in the long history of Donnybrook Parish.

At all Masses, you have been hearing about the four elements to our plans, the parish centre, the car parking, the Church and contributing to a fund for the provision of a parish pastoral worker.

When I came to the parish I said I was committed to the plans you had already in place. However I thought another element, a lay parish pastoral worker was required in building up the faith community.

May I invite you to join me in making ‘*Living the Joy of the Gospel*’ in Donnybrook a wonderful success. To play our part and undertake our plans, we have established a goal of raising €2,500,000, to be raised in pledges in the coming weeks. I know this is an ambitious challenge but achievable, as I have been overwhelmed by the generosity of those to whom I have appealed to date, who have already contributed or pledged over €1,500,000.

Information packs will be sent to all our parishioners this week and pledge forms will be available at Mass next weekend. A member of our volunteer team will be contacting you to respectfully ask you to consider giving your support. They will be calling you on my behalf. I would ask you to please consider what they have to say and to respond generously, if you can. I am deeply appreciative of your support to date and grateful for your consideration. Please pray for our success in Donnybrook.

With my blessing and prayers,

Mgr. Lorcan O’Brien