



DONNYBROOK PARISH
CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART
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Church Notices

Saturday 23rd / Sunday 24th July 2016

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FIRST COLLECTION is for the support of priests of this parish, shared with the priests of the Diocese through the Common Fund. The **SECOND COLLECTION** is for SHARE, the diocesan fund for development, the provision of central pastoral and administrative services.

NEW PARISH PASTORAL CENTRE Feedback/Comments from parishioners regarding the new plans for the Parish Pastoral Centre have come in since the plans were displayed for all to see. These Comments are now on the notice board in the old Mortuary Chapel and the corridor of the Parish Centre for your information.

ALL ROADS LEAD TO KRAKOW: Young people from Dublin Parishes who together with a Team of 10 from the Archdiocese of Dublin will travel to World Youth Day in Krakow (25th July – 1st Aug). We wish them well and of course our own parishioner Mauricio Mantoani who will be travelling with the team over to Krakow at the invitation of Pope Francis, gathering together with him and over 2 million other young people from around the World at this Festival of Faith for Catholic Young People. All the best!!

DONNYBROOK ACTIVE RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION New Programme for Autumn/Winter on notice boards at Church doors.

AVILA CARMELITE CENTRE, BLOOMFIELD AVENUE: The Great Adventure – A New Approach to the Bible. A 24 week evening course commencing 22nd September. Tel 01 6430200 for further details.

CHURCH GATE COLLECTIONS:

- Last weekend your contributions to PAX CHRISTI IRELAND raised €1,145. Many thanks.
- This weekend a collection will take place for CONCERN WORLDWIDE, please support.

FEASTS THIS WEEK:

- St James, apostle (Mon, 25th)
- Ss Joachim and Anne, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Tue, 26th)
- St Martha (Fri, 29th)

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Recently Deceased: Sr Sheila Geaney RSC,

Months Mind: Dan O'Neill RIP

- 6:00pm Vigil: Ann Kavanagh (Anniversary)
- 9:00am: Jack Gleeson (Anniversary)
- 10:30am: Therese Doyle (Anniversary)
- 12:00pm: Daniel Heaslip (1st Anniversary)
- 5:30pm: Frank Kelly (Anniversary)

Also: Joan and Hugh Gannon and Thomas Ryan Junior (Anniversaries)



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The transmission of life and the rearing of children

83. Here I feel it urgent to state that, if the family is the sanctuary of life, the place where life is conceived and cared for, it is a horrendous contradiction when it becomes a place where life is rejected and destroyed. So great is the value of a human life, and so inalienable the right to life of an innocent child growing in the mother's womb, that no alleged right to one's own body can justify a decision to terminate that life, which is an end in itself and which can never be considered the "property" of another human being. The family protects human life in all its stages, including its last.

Consequently, "those who work in healthcare facilities are reminded of the moral duty of conscientious objection. Similarly, the Church not only feels the urgency to assert the right to a natural death, without aggressive treatment and euthanasia", but likewise "firmly rejects the death penalty".⁹³

⁹³ Relatio Finalis 2015,64.