



DONNYBROOK PARISH
CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART
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Church Notices

Saturday 8th / Sunday 9th February 2020

FIFTH 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 and for parishes needing financial support. A Share Newsletter, which gives an account of what Share does, is at the exits for your information.

NEXT WEEKEND, the **ANNUAL COLLECTION FOR ACCORD** (the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family) will replace **SHARE** collection. Accord's services in marriage preparation, support and counselling are more important than ever, and I know you will come prepared to support this collection generously.

CHURCH GATE COLLECTION Last weekend – 6th year students from Blackrock College received € 3,093 for their annual project in Kenya. Many thanks for your generosity!

DONNYBROOK ACTIVE RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION An illustrated talk by Eimear Smyth on "A trip around South and Central America", in the Parish Centre next Tuesday (11th Feb) at 2:30pm.

ANNUAL CLOTHING APPEAL: (Society of St Vincent de Paul) for clean, good-quality clothes, bedclothes, curtains, shoes, etc: *Special plastic bags will be available at the back of the church NEXT weekend (15th/16th February) and WILL BE COLLECTED the following weekend (23rd Feb).*

THE NATIONAL ALZHEIMER CAFÉ PROJECT – 'ENGAGING DEMENTIA' would like you to join them for a cup of tea and cake at the Alzheimer Cafe Donnybrook. It's open, welcoming and inclusive of all people affected by dementia. The Alzheimer Cafe Donnybrook Evening takes place on the second Thursday of every month @ 7- 9pm in the Avila Centre. This month's Café will take place on Thursday the 13th of February.' All welcome!

'BLESSING THE PATRIOTS?': FUNERALS, POLITICS AND THE CHURCH – Lecture by Professor Michael Laffan, School of History, UCD. Thursday, 20th February at 7:30pm in St Mary's Church, Haddington Road. Please see poster on notice board.

FEASTS THIS WEEK:

- St Scholastica, virgin (Mon, 10th)
- SS CYRIL, MONK, AND METHODIUS, BISHOP, PATRIONS OF EUROPE (Fri, 14th)

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Months Mind: Rita O'Hara RIP

- 6:00pm: Matthew Kenny (Anniversary)
- 10:30am: Eddie Doyle (Anniversary)
- 12:00pm: Ernest Byrne (Anniversary)
- 5:30pm: James Fox (Anniversary)

Anniversaries: Teresa Fitzgibbon (1st), Colette Corcoran, Fr Bob Harrison, Pat Roddy, Colette Barry, Elizabeth Daly, Denis and Noel Reid, Marian and Vinnie Hendron, William and Mary Gleeson and Joan Ward.