

Ballyroan Parish Newsletter Sunday 5th December 2010



Monday's of Advent

You are sincerely invited to come and experience Christ's healing love.

The Church will be Open, Warm and Welcoming.

If you haven't been to Confession for a long time, don't worry

Fr. Brendan will guide you through.

To Parents of Young Children.

*It might be nice to come as a family to receive God's forgiveness
and the opportunity for a new beginning.*

The Parishes of **Ballyroan-Drumcree Friendship Group** which was founded in 1998 have produced a booklet to commemorate the 10 year project which has now come to a natural end. It has been acknowledged by all concerned both North and South that the project has been very successful and contributions in the booklet from some of the children that visited Ballyroan bear evidence to its success.

The launch of the booklet will take place on 9th December 2010 in the Bannside Development Centre in Obins Avenue, Portadown at 5pm. There will be a limited number of copies of this booklet available after Masses this weekend. A contribution of €5 per book to cover the cost would be appreciated.

Ministers of the Word and Eucharist, please advise Brigid what Masses you are available for over the Christmas period.

Christmas cards are available for Sale after Masses this weekend, proceeds go to the **Dublin Housing Mental Health Association**.

Sr. Aileen is selling crafts for the Mercy Association after 10.30am Mass this weekend.

Monday 6th December

Blood Donation Clinic will be held on at Ballyroan Boys National School between 5pm and 8pm.
Confessions in the Church 7.30pm-8.30pm.

Tuesday 7th December.

Sancta Maria College are holding a retreat for students in Ruah Pastoral Centre for its students .

Rathfarnham Credit Union is having its AGM in the Ruah Pastoral Centre 8pm.

Mass times for 8th December

7pm Vigil on 7th December and 7.30am, 10am and 12.30pm on the 8th December.

Mass Intentions for week

Sat. 7pm Des Bradley (A), Sun 9am Brendan Prone RIP, 10.30am - Mary Fox(A), 12 - Joseph Burke, Mon. 10am Kevin & Sr. Geraldine Knightley (A), Tues. 10am Damian McWeeney(A), 7pm - AnneMarie Griffin(1st A), Wed. 10am Alice & John Hargadon, 12.30pm - Mary O'Reilly, Thursday 10am Betty O'Reilly(A), Friday 10am Karl Lynch (A) Sat. 10am Robert Proctor(A)