

NEWSLETTER SUNDAY 26TH DECEMBER 2010

Christmas Dues/ Offerings

'Due' to the recent snow and bad weather we are behind in the distribution of the dues envelopes, I sincerely thank those who have already sent them back and will ensure that the rest get to the various homes as soon as the streets are safe enough for our fellow parishioners to deliver them. The Christmas Dues make up about 30% of the income of the priests in our Diocese and for this we are extremely grateful.

CHRISTMAS MASSES

Friday 24th. December: Christmas Eve
6.30 p.m. Family Mass (come early to get a back seat!)
Vigil Mass 9 p.m. with Carols from 8.30pm.
Saturday 25th. December: Christmas Day
9 a.m., 10.30 a.m. and 12 noon. (No evening Mass)
Sunday 26th. December: St. Stephen's Day
10.30 & 12 Mass (Please note no 9am mass.)

St Vincent de Paul would like to thank all Parishioners who supported there Annual Collection, €17,715 was raised.

The students from Sancta Maria College raised €3200 for their Kenya project and wish all parishioners a Happy Christmas and thank you for your support.

Thank you for all who helped clean the church last Sunday. Thank you also to the florists who have spent many hours preparing the flowers around the church and the gentlemen who put up our Christmas Tree and Crib.

Best Christmas Greetings Wishes SMS Messages

2 things upon dis changing earth can
neither change nor end
the splendor of **Christ's** humble birth, the
love of friend for friend.

May all the sweet magic Of **Christmas**
conspire
To gladden your hearts And fill every
desire.

A song was heard at **X-mas**
To wake the midnight sky
A saviour's birth, and peace on earth
And praise to God on high.

I wish U Lovely **Christmas**
I wish U Favorable
I wish U Enjoyable
U shall not Lack in this **Christmas**
thy Lord shall provide 2 you..
Merry Christmas

End of Year:

As we approach the end of one year and the beginning of another I hope that 2011 will be a year where we can continue to work together as Christians to love care and support each other in what will perhaps be another difficult year for our country. May the Lord bless each and every one of you in the coming year and lead us all safely and gently through whatever it brings. Amen.

The Parish Office will reopen on Monday 10th January 2011.