

Ballyroan Parish Newsletter for Sunday 6th February 2011

Confirmation Programme

Next Thursday will mark (Pentecost) 50 days to our children's Confirmation, which will be on Friday April 1st. This will be celebrated in the schools on Thursday and in the Parish at the Vigil Mass on Saturday where the young men and women will enrol and commit themselves to preparing to receive the Holy Spirit, we wish them well and will include them in our prayers.

Sunday 6th February Do This in Memory of Me, the parish based First Communion programme will take place during 12 Mass.

Monday 7th February Feast of St. Mel, Patron of Ardagh and Clonmacnois

Preparation for the Ecumenical Lenten Talks which we are hosting this year in the Ruah Centre.

Third Age Social Circle "55 Plus" next meeting in Library at 10.30am

Tuesday 8th February - Faith & Justice Group outreach for the homeless meet in Ruah Centre.

Wednesday 9th February- Dublin Youth Orchestra rehearsal also Theology Course continues Ruah Centre.

Thursday 10th February- Legion of Mary 10.30am and AA at 8.30pm in Ruah Centre

Friday 11th February is the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes - we will remember especially our parishioners who are unwell, we hope to have anointing of the sick at the 10am Mass.

Saturday 12th February - Vigil Mass - Enrolment for our Confirmation Children.

Sunday 13th February- Coffee Morning after morning Masses for Ballyroan Girl Guides, Baptism at 2pm and Homeless Run 7.30pm.

A Day Retreat by **Jesuit Spiritual Directors** is being held on Sunday 20th February from 10am to 5.30pm for further details contact Jim Langan on 01 4934429.

We would ask you not to leave any bags of clothing or old blankets at the Church, please contact the local charity shops. Thank you. *Fr Brendan*

Your support is required for **Shauna Buckingham** who is taking part in the All Ireland Talent Show this Sunday on RTE 1 at 6pm.

Mass Intentions for week

Sat. 7pm - Michael Keegan & Frank Fitzgerald (A), Sun. 9am Ann Tyrrell(1st A), 10.30am Months Mind Liam Quinn & Liam Quinn(20th A), 12 Paula Barry Months Mind, Mon. 10am Rose & Paddy Coleman(A), Tues. 10am Margaret Finnegan(A), Wed. 10am Eileen Collins & Catherine Dowling(A), Thur. 10am Michael & Sebnah Hamroque(A), Fri. 10am Mass Association, Sat. 10am Mary Aylward (A).

R.I.P. : Arthur Dagge

