

Ballyroan Parish Newsletter 29th/30th January 2011

The Parish Pastoral Council would like to express their thanks to all who attended the meeting last Wednesday, they have taken on board all of your comments and will be in touch shortly. It is great to see such community spirit in Ballyroan, long may it last.

AA Meetings continue to be held in the Ruah Pastoral Centre on Thursday evenings between 8.30 and 9.30pm.

Finance Meeting will be held on Tuesday 1st February 2011 in Ruah Pastoral Centre at 4pm.

Meeting of the **Liturgy Group** will take place next Thursday 3rd February 2011 at 8pm in the Ruah Pastoral Centre.

Weekend Retreat for Lay People- will take place on Saturday/Sunday 5th & 6th February in the Jesuit Retreat Centre. For further details contact 01 2180274. It promises to be gentle and prayerful experience.

Mass Intentions: Sat 7pm Michael Kilduff months mind, Sunday 9am Mass Association, 10.30 Marie Dempsey(A), 12 Seamus Jenkins (A), Mon. 10am Funeral Arthur Dagg, Tues. 10am John Hynes(A) Wed. 10am. Brendan Granville (A), Thurs.10am Dan & Sheila Lehane (A), Friday Altar List.

Recently Deceased: Arthur Dagg

Anniversaries: Barry Clancy

Do This In Memory parish based First Holy Communion Programme will be held during 12 Mass next Sunday.

Friday 4th February is First Friday and house calls will be made next Wednesday and Friday. If anyone would like to be included in our list please contact the Parish Office. Masses are at 7.30 and 10am for those who like to attend Mass for the First Friday.

1st February is the Feast of St Brigid and she is the Secondary Patron of Ireland. She is known for her hospitality, almsgiving and care of the sick.

2nd February is 2nd Presentation of the Lord Candlemass – if you would like candles blessed for use during the coming year please bring them to the Church / Mass on Wednesday either the 7.30am or 10am and they can be blessed by Fr. Tom or Fr. Brendan

3rd February is the Feast of St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr, there will be Blessing of Throats at Mass using the candles blessed on the 2nd. Thanks to the help of Fr. Tom we will have Mass at 7.30 that morning.

Please Note the change in 07.30 Mass schedule – there will be Morning Prayer on Monday and Tuesday with Mass Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Thanks also to Fr. Dan for helping out when I was away on a few days break.

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