



Church of the Holy Spirit, Ballyroan

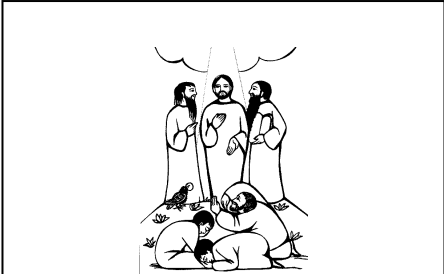
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2nd SUNDAY OF LENT EVENTS IN THE PARISH FOR THE WEEK

Readers for THIS weekend
7.00 pm: Geraldine Perkins
Winnie Keogh
10.00 am: Barry Coll
Brenda Warren
Eileen Goodwin
12.00: Frank Browne
Paula Ryan
Maeve Duffy

Readers for NEXT week:
7.00 pm: Tessa Dagg
Winnie Keogh
10.00 am: Joanne Gannon
Barry Coll
Aine Vaughan
12.00 Gerard Madden
Cathy O'Leary
Maeve Duffy

NOTICE
DURING LENT THERE WILL BE
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED
SACRAMENT AND CONFESSIONS
EACH SATURDAY AFTER THE
7.00 PM MASS UNTIL 8.30.



In today's Scripture readings, we see Abraham living a very difficult moment in his life when he is asked to sacrifice his only Son. In the Gospel, we see Peter, James and John experiencing a moment of deep prayer and revelation. Our lives are made up of moments of difficulty and moments of great joy and we are asked to enter into both situations. However in the second reading we are reminded that with GOD on our side NO ONE can destroy us Lord, we invite you to be part of our lives this week. May we be always grateful, knowing that with you, we can face anything.

- Sun. - Children's liturgy at 12.00 Mass
- Mon. - Lunchtime concert by Norah King in Ruah Centre
- Tues. - Refresh Our Faith at 11.00 in the Ruah Centre.
- Fri. - Launch of the Confirmation Mass at 10.00 am
 - First Friday. Padua Society members to meet after the 10.00 am Mass to bring Communion to the housebound.
- Sat. - Exposition and Confession after the 7.00 pm Mass
 - Coffee evening in the Ruah Centre after the 7.00 pm Mass .
- Sun. - Coffee morning after the Masses.

- Please support the Trocaire Campaign this Lent. Trocaire boxes are available at the back of the Church.
- Would you like to do something special for Lent which involves prayer and reaching out to others? If so, the Parish intends to have Eucharistic Adoration in the homes of the Parish on 10th, 11th,12th March 2015 during the Novena of Grace. You are invited to offer your home on one of these dates at a time that suits you to host the adoration for approximately 45 minutes. For further information contact the Parish office, Dolores 4947117 or Ron 0872519206.
- There will be a few tickets available at the door for the lunchtime concert on Monday.
- The Refresh our Faith programme continues at 11.00 in the Ruah Centre on 3rd, 10th and 24th March on the topic of Lent. All are welcome
- Next weekend there will be a coffee evening/morning after the Masses. The funds are to enable a sick person to travel to and have treatment in America. Your support will be greatly appreciated.
- The World Day of Prayer takes place this year on Friday 6th March in Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, Ballyboden at 8.00 pm. All welcome.
- Rathfarnham Parish, Church of the Annunciation, has a series of Lenten evenings on each Monday of Lent in the Pastoral Centre, Willbrook Road. They will read ETERNAL ECHOES, by John O'Donoghue and each session will comprise of a time of sharing and reflection.
- There will be a march to Dail Eireann on 11th March from 7.00 – 8.00 pm by a pro-life group taking a stand against Media Bias.
- Accord is looking for volunteers to support couples as they prepare for marriage. Information day in Knocklyon, Iona Centre, 12th March from 8 – 9.30 pm. Further information at 4784400 or www.accord.ie.

MASS INTENTIONS
Sat 7.00-Josephine Kelly (Month's Mind) and Martin Kelly (A) ; Sun. 10.00-Brian O'Sullivan (A) and Julia, William and Declan Aherne (A); 12.00-Gerard Whelan (A) and his grandparents, TJ, Clare, Ger and Eileen (A); Mon. 10.00-; Tues. 10.00-Bernard Sheppard (A); Wed. 10.00-Mass Association; Thurs. 10.00- Pat and Jo Moriarty (A); Fri. 10.00- (A) .

Recently deceased: Eithne Coveney, Hilda Brennan, Kathleen Healy, Sean Mooney and Fr. Vincent Kelly (former priest in Ballyroan).