

## PARISH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT BALLYROAN NEWSLETTER

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**30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary  
Time  
24<sup>th</sup> /25<sup>th</sup> October 2009**

Please note Mass on Monday  
26<sup>th</sup> October is at **11am** only.

### **Sr. Margaret Corkery**

During the summer Sr. Margaret was transferred from Ballyroan to Drumcondra. Throughout her 20 years of dedicated service here she was involved in many facets of parish life e.g. Teaching/Acting Principal - Scoil Naomh Padraig, Chairperson Parish Council, Folk Group, Order of Malta to mention just a few.

In recognition of her years of work in the Parish, Mass will be celebrated on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm followed by light refreshments in Scoil Naomh Padraig.

A number of people have expressed a desire to be

involved in a presentation to Sr. Margaret. If you would like to contribute to this presentation please contact: Dolores Halpin on 4947117, Paddy Drennan on 4932861, Brenda Warren on 4942216, Ireneus Shortt on 4932258, Winnie Keogh on 4943142, Ger Healy on 4933023 or Aine in the Parish Office.

**Do This in Memory** the parish based First Holy Communion takes this Sunday at 12 Mass.

### **Exploring Death and Loss of our Loved Ones**

A residential weekend led by Fr. Myles O'Reilly S.J. and The Bethany Bereavement Support will take place from Friday 20<sup>th</sup> November to Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2009, cost €180 all meals included. Further information contact Winnie Keogh on 01 494 3142.

### **Child Protection Service**

Dublin Diocesan Offices, Holy Cross Centre, Clonliffe Road, Dublin 3

Tel: 01 8360314.

### **Faoiseamh Helpline**

A Caring helpline for people who have been abused From the Republic of Ireland. Telephone : 1800 33 1234

### **Health Service Executive (HSE)**

#### **Dublin South West**

Old County Road, Crumlin, Dublin 12. Tel: 01 4154700.

#### **Parish Child Protection**

**Contact:** Ron Charles 087 251 9206

### **Service of Light**

The Bethany Bereavement Support Group warmly invite you and your family, friends and neighbours to our annual Service of Light which will take place on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 7.30pm. This Mass will be offered for those

who died in the parish during the year.

### **Celtic Choristers Male Voice Choir**

A joint concert with a visiting Norwegian Male Voice choir will be held on Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2009 in St. Philip and St. James Church, Cross Avenue Blackrock. Further details on Church notice Boards.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Desmond Tiernan of Orchardstown Park who died on the 17<sup>th</sup> September 2009

Outdoor collection this weekend in aid of **Pro- Life**. Mission Sunday collection amounted to €3389. Thank you for your support.

**Priest on duty this week is Fr. Tom Kiernan (01 494 5204).**