



Church of the Holy Spirit, Ballyroan

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NEW MASS TIMES

SATURDAY (VIGIL): 7.00 pm
SUNDAY: 10.00 and 12.00 noon
MONDAY – FRIDAY: 10.00 am
SATURDAY:10.00 am

Morning Prayer.

BANK HOLIDAYS:

11.00 am MORNING PRAYER
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED
SACRAMENT ON TUESDAYS
10.30 AM – 6.00 PM

Readers for next weekend

7.00 pm: Fiona Mockler
Pat O'Halloran

10.00 am: Pauline Ryan
Barry Coll

12.00: Pat Russell
Betty O'Carroll

If you are unable to do your
reading could you possibly
find a replacement.

**THANKS FROM BISHOP
BRENDAN LEAHY
(after the funeral of his late
father, Maurice)**

Brendan, Ballyroan parish
was outstanding yesterday.
Everyone was really
wonderful. So much
generosity and so many
helpers and so much
attention to detail. I was
very moved by the parish's
love. So a huge thanks to all
and to you, Brendan.

FEASTDAYS FOR THE WEEK

Tues: Bl John Paul II, Pope
Wed: St John of Capistrano,
Priest.
Thurs: St. Anthony Mary
Claret, priest

This Sunday is **MISSION SUNDAY** and the theme for this year is 'Growing in Faith'. As the year of Faith draws to a close, Pope Francis has asked us all to be Missionaries of God's love and tenderness and mercy.

-The **SHARE** collection will be replaced this weekend by a collection for the Missions. This is our opportunity to help build up the Church in other lands so let's be generous.

-On behalf of Father Brendan, **A Big Thanks to ALL the volunteers who helped clean the Church this week**. The Ruah Centre and the Church look absolutely beautiful. Your help was very much appreciated.

-The newly formed **Choir for the 12.00 Mass** on a monthly basis will begin singing at the 12.00 Mass this week.

-The **AGM of the U3A** takes place on **Monday at 10.30 in the Ruah Centre**.

-The **parish Theology Course** continues on Tuesday in the Ruah Centre after the 10.00 Mass. All are welcome.

-The **Grandparents Association** has its meeting on the subject of CONFIRMATION, on Thursday at 10.45 am in the Ruah Centre.

-The **Children's Liturgy** will take place at the 12.00 Mass next Sunday.

-The next concert, featuring **Claudia Boyle**, takes place on 11th November and tickets will be on sale, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday after the 10.00 Mass next week.

-The **Legion of Mary** and the Morning Star Hostel for homeless men thank all the parishioners who supported them in their coffee morning and cake sale last weekend. The funds raised will be invaluable in upgrading the hostel.

-**Knocklyon Parish** are holding a **Pre-Natal Blessing** for all expectant mothers on Wednesday 23rd October at 8.00 pm. Future Mums and their partners are most welcome to attend.

-**St Francis Xavier, Gardiner St.** is running an Adult Faith series of talks. 24th October, 8.00 pm: **The Parish of the Future – a vision and Plan**, given by Donal Harrington; October 29th, 7.30 pm: **Voices of Hope – Echoes of the Divine** given by Sr. Helen Prejean (the sister who inspired the film, 'Dead Man Walking'. Admission free but donations would be appreciated

-**Supporting the Bereaved: Anne Dodd, a counsellor with the Irish Hospice Movement** will give a talk on aspects of supporting the bereaved on Thursday 24th October at 8.00 pm in Booterstown Parish Centre. All welcome.

-**Faith in Harmony:** Sister Marie Dunne will host four prayer evenings in Manresa Retreat Centre, Dollymount starting Monday 4th November and continuing for the next three Mondays see www.mariedunnechf.com.

MASS INTENTIONS:

*Saturday 7.00 pm-Denis Jones (Month's Mind); Sunday 10.00-Daniel McNulty (A) and Elizabeth Morgan (A); 12.00-Catherine and Alan Kerr (A) and Tim Grace (A); Mon.10.00-Michael Kelly; Tues. 10am -Betty Bermingham RIP; Wed. 10.00-Tom and Seamus Mangan (A); Thurs. 10am -Margaret and James Duffy (A); Fri. 10am-Mass Association.
Recently deceased: Maurice Leahy, Mary O'Toole, Colm Bevan
Anniversaries:Liam Quinn, Joseph and Margaret Murray and Jack Kennedy*