



CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT,

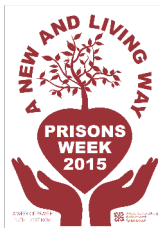
Priest of the Parish: Fr Brendan Madden Parish Office:014947303
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Readers for THIS weekend

7.00 pm: Tessa Dagg
Margaret Howett
10.00 am: Joanne Gannon
Anne Keane
Aine Vaughan
Cathy O'Leary
Jim Langan

Readers for NEXT weekend

7.00 pm: Hilary Kenny
Eamon Markey
10.00am: Eileen Goodwin
Irene Heeney
Joan Moore
12.00: Gerry Madden
Mary Vaughan
Maeve Duffy



Lord,

During this week dedicated to prisons, we pray for all those serving prison sentences that they may be rehabilitated and helped to live a new life. We pray for the victims of crime and those scarred by the injustices done to them. We pray for all personnel working in the prison system that they may carry out their work with fairness and compassion and we pray for the families torn apart when their loved ones are serving long sentences.

We remember all those tormented by remorse and considering suicide – may they find peace.

FEAST DAYS FOR THE WEEK

Mon.: St. Margaret of Scotland
St. Gertrude
Tues: St. Elizabeth of Hungary
Wed: Dedication of the Basilicas
Of Ss Peter and Paul
Sat: Presentation of the
Blessed Virgin Mary

PRISONERS SUNDAY

EVENTS IN THE PARISH FOR THE WEEK

Sat.- Cake and Coffee sale in the Ruah Centre after 7.00 Mass
Sun.- Cake and Coffee Sale in the Ruah Centre after Masses
Mon.- Retreat in the Ruah Centre. Parish office will be closed.
Tues.- Renew your Faith course in the Ruah Centre at 10.30 am.
Pilates in the Ruah centre pm.
Bethany Bereavement Drop-In meeting in the Ruah Centre
From 8.00 – 9.00 pm.
Wed.- Mother and Toddler Group in the Ruah Centre 10.00 am
Thurs. - Legion of Mary meeting in the Ruah Centre at 10.30 am
Pilates in the Ruah Centre am
Fayre Meeting ay 8.30 in the Ruah Centre.
AA Meeting in the Ruah Centre at 8.00 pm.

-This weekend, the students from Colaiste Eanna will be holding their annual coffee and cake sale after the Masses in aid of their trip to India. All support would be welcome.

-The Transition Year students from Colaiste Eanna are having their market day in the Community Centre on Tuesday from 10.00 am. All are welcome.

-The U3A members are having an outing to St. Enda's Pearse Museum this Monday and are asked to meet at the Museum at 10.45 am.

-The next lunch time concert will take place on Monday 23rd November when Claudia Boyle will return. The concert is fully booked out.

GOOD NEWS! Averka Lahart, our Parish pastoral worker, is graduating from Mater Dei Institute this week. Well done Averka.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY: THE PARISH CHRISTMAS FAYRE TAKES PLACE ON WEDNESDAY THE 2nd DECEMBER.

We are hoping for another great evening from 6.30 to 8.30 with Stalls (apply to parish office, library or community centre), lighting of the Christmas Tree, music and choirs, freebies *and* food and even a visit from someone in red ! Maybe someone in blue too !

Alex Murphy and team will again run the bottle stall which went down so well last year, so any spare bottles you have will be gratefully accepted.

We'll keep you updated – pass the word around and thanks to the committee and our groundsmen for their hard work in the preparations.

THE PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL AND THE WHOLE PARISH WISH
FATHER BRENDAN A SPEEDY RECOVERY AND WE ASSURE HIM OF OUR
PRAYER AND SUPPORT DURING HIS CONVALESCENCE.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 7.00 pm-Des Davis (A) and Marie Bracken (1st A); Sun. 10.00-Esther Langan (A); 12.00-Brendan McCabe (A) and Richard Reddy (A); Mon 10.00-Felix McTiernan (A) ; Tues. 10.00-Bridie McCCasey (A) ; Wed 10.00-Thomas and Mary Conlon (A); Thurs 10.00- (A); Fri.10.00- (A).

Anniversary: Babs Kelly

Recently deceased: Joan Whiteacre and Elizabeth (Betty) Flynn.