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Opening hours:  
Monday – Friday 10.00 – 12.00

Mass Times:  
Monday – Friday 10.00 am  
Vigil Mass: 7.00 pm  
Sunday: 10.00 am and 12.00

Confessions:  
6.30 – 6.55 on Saturday evenings  
Baptisms:  
The third Sunday of every month

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Events for the Week

Sunday:  
-Baptisms in the Church  
Monday:  
-Chair Yoga is now on Monday at 2,30  
- Parish Choir rehearsal in Ruah  
Centre at 7.30.  
Tuesday:  
- Renew Your Faith 10.30 in the Ruah  
Centre.  
-Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
-Bethany Drop-In in the Ruah Centre  
at 7.30  
-Pilates pm  
Wednesday:  
-Mother and Toddler Group in the  
Ruah Centre am.  
Thursday:  
-Pilates am and pm

I am a young mother.  
I am a healthy pensioner.  
I am a frail old man.  
I am a dying woman.  
I AM A CHILD THAT MATTERS TO GOD

God gives me the gift of life.  
God gives me the beauty of innocence.  
God gives me a questioning mind.  
God gives me the capacity to cope.  
God gives me the wisdom of years.  
God gives me memories of a full life.  
God gives me insights into death.  
I AM A CHILD TO WHOM GOD HAS GIVEN GIFTS  
AND TALENTS TO USE TO THE FULL.

I love my big sister.  
My big brother's really great.  
My mum's just the coolest mum in the street.  
It's great having Grandad around.  
Thank God for my family.  
I AM PART OF GOD'S FAMILY AND I AM  
GRATEFUL.

So let's ask leaders, people with power,  
everyone:  
-Don't destroy my innocence, for with it you  
will destroy my life.  
-Please see me as a whole person for I am  
much more than a harassed mother.  
Keep using my experience, don't discard me  
yet.  
-I'm still here and I'm more than just this frail  
body you see.  
-Let my dying speak to you of important things  
so you can face your mortality with HOPE  
-Value my potential for in doing so you will let  
me grow.

I AM UNIQUE IN ALL THE WORLD

#### HEARTH AND MIND

Hearth and Mind wishes to thank you  
for your support of the coffee and cake  
Sale last weekend and to offer sincere  
gratitude to the ladies who organised  
and ran the function. Your contributed  
€1680 to help us to help people with

#### LUNCH TIME CONCERT

The next lunchtime concert takes place  
on 25<sup>th</sup> November.  
Niamh Murray (Soprano)  
Ronan Murray (Piano)  
Tickets: 10 euro on sale Tuesdays,  
Wednesdays and Thursdays in the Ruah  
Centre from 10.30 – 11.15.



#### SCRIPTURE COURSE

-Exploring Faith....Encountering  
Christ. Come and join us on our  
ADVENT URE in the Church of the  
Annunciation Parish Centre on  
Wednesdays Nov. 27<sup>th</sup>, Dec. 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>  
and 18<sup>th</sup>. Kieran O'Mahony OSA will  
lead the evenings. All parishioners  
from Rathfanham, Ballyroan and  
Churchtown are welcome.

WELCOME to the Confirmation  
classes to the 12.00 Mass next  
Weekend. We are always delighted  
to meet the children and their  
parents at these Masses.  
We will be thinking of them the  
following week as they make their

#### WORKING TOGETHER

For several years now group  
parishes have been wor  
together so that the missic  
be more effectively  
The Ballyroan, Churchtow  
grouping of parishes ha  
towards greater co-oper  
ministry with each other.  
now the Area Team of the  
been meeting on a regular  
to provide a more unified a  
each parish will still reta  
traditions and individuali  
initiatives of the grouping  
of the quarterly Newslett  
News.  
Over that time, we have b  
parish clergy informally ro  
parishes for Ma  
Having consulted with th  
effect from 23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup> Nove  
will be formalised. While th  
involve clergy moving muc  
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#### NOVEMBER LIST FC

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