

## PARISH INFORMATION

### PARISH PRIEST:

Father Peter O'Connor

### Pastoral Worker:

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### Opening hours:

Monday - Friday: 10.00 – 12.00

You can find us on Facebook and Twitter

## CHURCH SERVICES

### The Eucharist:

Monday to Friday: 10.00 am

Saturday Vigil: 7.00 pm

Sunday: 10.00 am and 12.00pm

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

6.30 – 6.55 on Saturday evenings

### Baptisms:

Third Sunday of every month, contact

Parish Office

### Morning Prayer in Ruah Centre

If you would like to begin your day in the company of the Lord, please feel free to join us for morning prayer on any morning from Monday to Friday 7.30 in the Ruah Centre and on a Saturday at 10am in the Church.

### ST VINCENT De PAUL

Gerry McDonnell, President Greenhills Conference will speak about volunteering with SVP at masses this weekend.

We offer congratulations on behalf of the Parish to Frank Brown who will receive the Holy Order of Acolyte this Sunday. Frank will become a member of the Deacons of the Archdiocese in June

### GARDENING CLUB

A meeting will take place on Wed 12-FEB at 7.30PM in the Ruah Centre.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

- \* Pancake morning on Shrove Tuesday
- \* Ash Wednesday - Distribution of ashes, beginning of Lent
- \* Novena of Grace: 4th to 12th of March
- \* Ceremony of Light for those preparing for Confirmation
- \* First Confession Ceremonies
- \* Reflection course for Lent for Ballyroan/Rathfarnham/Churchtown
- \* Trocaire Campaign 2020
- \* Lent prayer intention box in Church

### \*\* PARISH RAFFLE - LOURDES TRIP \*\*

This is the last few days to get tickets for the Lourdes Raffle. Tickets are on sale at the back of the Church after all Masses  
The main prize is flights and accommodation for two people

- There are a number of additional prizes
- The draw will take place on February 11th, the feast of our Lady of Lourdes after the 10.00 Mass.
- Tickets cost 5 euro for ten tickets. Proceeds from the raffle will go to the parish.



## ACCORD COLLECTION

The **ANNUAL COLLECTION** of **ACCORD Dublin**, the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family will be made at all masses on the Weekend of **15 & 16 February 2020**. The collection for ACCORD will replace the usual Share Collection

### ACCORD Dublin throughout the Diocese offers:

- ◇ Marriage Preparation courses
- ◇ Counselling for couples and individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships
- ◇ A Relationship and Sexuality Programme for Schools

ACCORD Dublin needs your support. Please give generously.

## CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT BALLYROAN

9th February 2020

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## LUNCHTIME CONCERTS

The lunchtime concert on the 27-JAN raised €600. Many thanks for your support. Our next concert will take place on Monday 24-FEB.

Denise Doyle (Violin) Aoife O'Sullivan (Piano)  
*Great Music from the Movies*  
Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2020 @ 12.05pm  
at the Ruah Centre



## Mindfulness - Meditation - Spirituality



An 8 week programme, Starting Wednesday 12-FEB at 7.30-8.30PM in the Ruah Centre

The weeks will encourage increased awareness in our daily living, providing a space to become more grounded in the reality of our lives and who we really are at our deepest human and spiritual level. Each week a new skill is introduced and practiced. The integration of mindfulness skills and spirituality opens a space for the Divine in our lives.

Contact: 087-6843213 or [loretospirituality@gmail.com](mailto:loretospirituality@gmail.com). Cost €30



### In Memoriam

Eileen Horgan

May her soul and the souls of all the faithfully departed Rest in Peace

## MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday: Frank Fitzgerald (A)

Sunday:

10.00: Gerry O'Reilly

12.00: Kevin Brabazon (A), Aileen O'Broin (A)

Monday: Peter O'Halloran (A)

Tuesday: Elizabeth White (A)

Thursday: Fr Paraic McGowan (A)

## READERS' ROTA - 15/09 Feb

Saturday: David Meade, Margaret Howett

Sunday:

10.00 Irene Heeney, John Whelan

12.00 Sarah Byrnes, Niamh O'Brien

## SUNDAY COLLECTIONS LAST WEEK

1<sup>st</sup> Collection (Common Fund) €1585

2<sup>nd</sup> Collection (Share) €1205

Shrine: €778

Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

## Mass Cards and Parish Memorial

Mass cards are now available in the back of the Church, the Sacristy, and the Parish Office.



**Colour in at Mass:** Children are always welcome at mass with families. Colouring pencils are available for colouring in during mass.

A new selection of books are available from the racks at the back of the Church



## RUAH CENTRE EVENTS THIS WEEK

### MONDAY

U3A 10.00AM

Chair Yoga

Mens Spirituality Group 7.30-9.00PM

### TUESDAY

iPad Course 11.30AM

### WEDNESDAY

Mother and Toddler: 10.00 - 11.15AM

Mindfulness Course: 7.30—8.30PM

Gardeners Club 7.30PM

### THURSDAY

Pilates: 9.30AM, 7.00PM

## Saints of the Week:

Monday 10-Feb: St Scholastica, Sister of St Benedict

Tuesday 11-Feb: St Gobnait, Carer of the sick

Friday 14-Feb: St Cyril and St Methodius, Apostles of

the Slavic People, declared Patrons of Europe by

Pope John Paul II