



Church of the Holy Spirit

Ballyroan

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MASS TIMES

Vigil Mass: Sat 7.00 Sunday:
9.00, 10.30, 12.00
Mon - Saturday: 10.00 am

Morning Prayer: 7.30 am in the
Ruah Centre
EXPOSITION
After 10.00 Mass each Tuesday

THANKS

The Carrick and Moore families want to thank Father Brendan, the helpers and all the parishioners who supported their coffee morning last weekend. Thanks to everyone's tremendous generosity the target has almost been reached for Leo's operation. Hopefully he will soon be happily walking with his brother and sister.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Fr. Brendan Leahy, past pupil of Colaiste Eanna and ordained a priest in this parish, who has been appointed as Bishop of Limerick this week. We wish him well in his new role and assure him of the prayers of the parish.

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK

Tues: St Ita, Virgin
Weds: St Fursa, Abbot, missionary
Thurs: St Anthony, Abbot

12th - 13th JANUARY 2013

THE BAPTISM OF JESUS

- We pray for the children who will be baptised this weekend and for their parents.
- There is a marriage preparation course in the Ruah Centre on this Saturday. We wish the couples well in their future lives together.
- The U3A group are having their meeting in the Ruah Centre on Monday at 10.30 am.
- The Rathfarnham Credit Union are having their AGM in the Ruah Centre on Tuesday evening.
- The Bethany Bereavement Group will meet in the Sacristy of the Church on Tuesday at 7.30 pm. Please note the change of venue.
- There is a meeting for the Third group of "The Do this in Memory" programme on Wednesday at 8.00 in the Ruah Centre. The next "Do this in Memory Mass" will be on next Sunday, 20th, at 12.00.
- The Children's liturgy takes place at the 12.00 Mass next Sunday.
- Thanks to all who have returned their Christmas Dues. The safe is at the back of the Church for those who have not yet returned them.
- The next concert in the Ruah Centre takes place on Monday 28th January at 12.05. Kathy Nugent, accompanied by Seamus Brett will again perform a musical repertoire. Recently Kathy was a sell-out at the National Concert Hall for her tribute to Connie Francis. Tickets at €8.00 will be on sale in the Ruah Centre on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 10.30 - 11.15.
- The Library are happy to announce that the work is on schedule and that they should be opening, as planned, in mid-February. It is unfortunate that to date four of the newly planted trees outside the library have been vandalised. We would ask for your co-operation in reporting to the library any suspicious activity you may notice.
- The Church Unity octave of prayer begins on January 18th until 25th. There will be a Holy Hour followed by Mass in St Teresa's Church, Clarendon Street, on Saturday 19th January starting at 1.30. All are welcome.
- The Lay Retreat Association are holding a retreat from 8.00 pm on Saturday 2nd February until 6.00 pm Sunday 3rd February for men and women in Manresa Retreat House, Dollymount. Suggested offering for the retreat is €60.00. To apply contact 2180274 or Donal at 4961148
- We ask that people do not use the Parish rubbish bins for the disposal of their own household refuse. This is a reminder that the Church and its environs are covered by CCTV cameras.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Saturday 7.00 pm - Tadgh Begley (A); Sunday 9.00 - Josephine Byrne (A); 10.30 - Richard McGuinness, Edward O'Shaughnessy and Caroline Flusk (A); 12.00 - Seamus O'Reilly (A); Mon 10.00 - Noel Hickey (A); Tuesday 10.00 - Dorothy English (A); Wed 10.00 - Margaret Finnegan (A); Thurs 10.00 - Catherine and Frank Brownen (A); Friday - Bill and Margaret Hinphey (A).

Recently deceased: Tom Groark and Moira Prone and Ciaran Maher
Anniversaries: Rose Leech and Father Kenny former PP of Ballyroan.