

Notices for the Week

-The students from Sancta Maria College wish to thank all parishioners who supported them in their recent cake and coffee sale. They are delighted with the money received and all the funds will go towards their trip to Kenya.

-Tickets for the next lunch time concert will be on sale Tues., Wed., and Thurs. in the Ruah Centre from 10.00 – 11.15. **Niamh Murray, Simon Morgan and Ronan Murray** will be here on 26th November.

-All Grandparents are invited to a special event in Veritas Bookshop, Abbey Street on Tuesday next, 20th November from 6.00 – 8.00 pm.

-If any parishioner would like to spend some time before the Blessed Sacrament on Tuesdays from 10.30 – 6.00 they are very welcome. There is a book in the side chapel which you can sign for a specific time.

-Congratulations to the Principal and Staff of Ballyroan Boys School for the wonderful 50th Anniversary reunion.

-If you want a day out next weekend you could drop in to St. Enda's Park for their Christmas market 10.00 – 4.00

BALLYROAN CHRISTMAS FAIR 5TH DECEMBER

Don't forget the date for your diary.

There are a great variety of stalls, entertainment, bites and drinks and, of course, the **VISIT of SANTA**. The Bottle stall members are appealing for bottles.

If you have any bottles for the stall you can leave them in to the Parish office any morning between 10.00 and 12.00.

CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, BALLYROAN, DUBLIN 14
Ruah Pastoral Centre, Open 10-12 Mon-Fri. Phone: 4947303, feel free to leave a message or email ballyroanparish@gmail.com

As we approach the end of the Church's year our scripture readings remind us of the last days and our need to be READY and WAITING! Ceremonies marking a hundred years since the end of WW1 are a stark reminder of what war can do to countries, families and individuals.

Every generation, throughout the centuries, has wondered if the apocalyptic time described in Scripture is NOW when they hear of natural disasters, violence, wars and famines.

It is no different today as we hear about and pray for victims of fire in California, landslides in Africa and South America, wars and massacres in various parts of the world and our planet being destroyed by our selfish way of life. So let us wake up to our own responsibility and take our own small steps to care for our environment, to be peacemakers in our families and our neighbourhood, to live each day trying to sow seeds of love and to make our world a better place because of our presence in it.

NEXT WEEK

Saturday:

7.00: Tessa Dagg
Therese Rice

Sunday

10.00: Rosemary Magnier
Joan Moore
12.00: Niamh O'Brien
Sarah Byrnes

THIS WEEK

Sat:

7.00: John Whelan
Geraldine Perkins

Sun:

10.00: Eileen Goodwin
Douglas Thornton

12.00: DTIM children

Mass Intentions for the Week: Saturday 7.00 pm: Des Davis (A) and Tom Potter (A); **Sunday 10:** Keith O'Donnell (A) and Una Ni Laoide (A) ; **Sunday 12:** James White (Month's Mind); **Monday 10:** Cecilia Pakenham (Birthday remembrance); **Tues. 10:** Patrick Kearney RIP; **Weds 10:** Mass Association ; **Thurs. ; Friday 10:** John Nevin (A)

Anniversaries: Frances Duff and Bob Kelly

Recently deceased: John Curran

Events for this Week



Monday:

-Church Choir practice in the Ruah Centre at 7.30
-Youth Choir practice in the Church

Tuesday:

-Pilates pm
-Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 10.30 – 6.00
- Renew your Faith in the Ruah Centre at 10.30 am.
-Bethany Drop-in service in the Ruah Centre 7.30 – 8.30 pm.

Wednesday:

-Ruah Toddler group in Ruah Centre 10.00 – 11.30
-Mindfulness Course in the Ruah Centre 7.30 pm

Thursday:

-Pilates am and pm
-Legion of Mary in Ruah Centre at 10.30
-AA Meeting in Ruah Centre at 8.00 pm.

Friday:

-Padua Meeting 10.30 am In the Ruah Centre
-Accord Pre-Marriage Course pm

Saturday:

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