

Notices for the Week

2nd Week of Easter

-The Bethany Group are having their Prayer of Remembrance in the Ruah Centre at 8.00 pm this

Monday. Anyone who has lost a loved one either during the past year or at any other time is welcome to attend. The short prayer will be followed by refreshments and an opportunity to chat with others. Confidentiality is respected at all times.

-The lunch time concert takes place at 12.05 in the Ruah Centre. A few tickets will be available at the door.

-A new Pilates class for Beginners and Improvers will begin on Wednesday evenings starting on 1st May. Contact Donna Doyle 083 8698169. €75 for 6 weeks.

-We wish the teachers, staff and pupils in our schools all the best as they begin a short but very important term. We pray for all those preparing for examinations.

-We unite ourselves in prayer with the Christian communities in Sri Lanka and other parts of the world who are suffering violence and persecution. We remember people of all faiths who feel threatened and frightened to practice their religion.

-Experience the Dawn Chorus in Rathfarnham Castle on Sunday 5th May from 4.00 am until 7.00 am. Free event but booking essential. Warm clothes and cuppa afterwards.

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In today's Gospel, we see the disciples in a locked room in fear of the Jews. But then, Jesus appears suddenly in the room, gives them the gift of peace and missions them to go forth without fear and proclaim the Good News!

Lord,

As we reach a critical time in Northern Ireland, when politicians, locked in their own views, have the opportunity to accept your gift of peace and your mission to go fearlessly to preach the Good News, we pray that the death of Lyra McKee may be the beginning of new hope.

May we, too, acknowledge the times when we are locked into our own views and help us to be open to welcome their opinions and live harmoniously with family and neighbours.

THIS WEEK

Saturday:

7.00: Margaret Howett

Tessa Dagg

Sunday

10.00: John Whelan

Irene Heeney

12.00: Niamh O'Brien

Cathy O'Leary

NEXT WEEK

Sat:

7.00: Gerry Moore

Hilary Kenny

Sun:

10.00: Brenda Warren

Eileen Goodwin

12.00: John Daly

Ann Walsh

Mass Intentions for the Week: Saturday 7.00 pm: John Hopkins (A), Phyllis Kennedy (1st A), Jack Kennedy and Bill Crean and James Frost (A) ; **Sunday 10.00:** Sean O'Neill (A) and Colette O'Neill RIP and Jo Mulligan (A) ; 12.00: Betty Molloy (Month's Mind) and Eddie Molloy (A) and Michael O'Callaghan (A); **Monday 10:** Harriet Frew RIP; **Tues. 10:** Bart Stewart (A); **Weds 10:** Mass Association; **Thurs:** 10.00 Finbarr Power; **Friday:** 10.00: Special Intention.

Anniversaries: Michael Flynn and Bart Stewart

Recently deceased: Lena Nicholson, Ann Devlin Ave.

Next Week's Month's

Mind:

Saturday at 7.00 pm

Clare Lang

Events for this Week

Monday:

-Lunch time Concert in the Ruah Centre at 12.05

-Choir Practice in the

Ruah Centre pm

-Youth choir practice in the Church pm

-Bethany Prayer of Remembrance in the

Ruah Centre at 8.00 pm

Tuesday:

-Pilates pm

-Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 10.30 – 6.00

-Finance Meeting in the Ruah Centre at 7.30 pm

Wednesday:

-Ruah Toddler group in the Ruah Centre am.

Thursday:

-Pilates am and pm

-Legion of Mary in Ruah Centre at 10.30

-AA Meeting in Ruah Centre at 8.00 pm.

**HAPPY 100TH
BIRTHDAY
TO
AGNES SILKE**

