



WELCOME TO ST. JOHN THE
EVANGELIST CHURCH & ST. ATTRACTA'S ORATORY

JOHN 9:1 - 41

At the heart of Ballinteer

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Sunday 19th March 2023



Saturday

10.00am Morning Mass in Meadowbrook

6.00pm Doris Burt (Anniversary)
Liam Kelly (Anniversary)

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9.30am Aifreann as Gaeilge

Nick Mitchell (Month's Mind)

11.00am Paul Walsh (1st Anniversary)
Agnes Hanly (Anniversary)
Toss and Lil Walsh (Anniversaries)
Bill O'Connor (4th Anniversary)
William O'Gorman (Anniversary)
Paddy O'Shea (25th Anniversary)

12.30pm Eamonn Leonard (Month's Mind)
Patrick Maher (40th Anniversary)
Sean Skehill (17th Anniversary)
Hans Jung (95th Birthday Rem.)

Monday

9.30am Oliver Govern (Recently Deceased)
John & Margaret McNicholas (A.)

Tuesday

9.30am Joseph Leonard (1st Anniversary)

Wednesday

9.30am Owen Gallagher (Anniversary)
Kathleen Galvin (Anniversary)
Mary B. Kelly (6th Anniversary)

Thursday

9.30am Jimmy, Vera, Johnny, and Geraldine
Morris (Anniversaries)

Friday

9.30am Doreen O'Brien (Rec. Deceased)

Saturday

10.00am Morning Mass in Meadowbrook

6.00pm Bob Rogan (Anniversary)

Sunday 26th March 2023

9.30am Aifreann as Gaeilge

Josie Golden (Anniversary)

11.00am Bridie Finn (Anniversary)
Mercy Cullen (Anniversary)
Michael Wyse (Anniversary)
Billy Byrne (Anniversary)
Cassidy Murray (1st Anniversary)

12.30pm Patrick Brady (Anniversary)
Pauline Kinch & deceased members
of the Kinch Family (Anniversaries)

*.May their souls and the souls of the
faithful departed rest in peace.*

**ST JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS'
SOCIETY**

Heartfelt thanks to all those who contributed to our recent Church Gate collection and to the volunteers who helped on the day. We raised €965 over the weekend. There are envelopes at the back of the church if you were unable to contribute on the day. *May God bless you.*

MESSAGE OF ARCHBISHOP DERMOT FARRELL –

10TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE PONTIFICATE OF POPE FRANCIS

Today I offer my prayerful good wishes to Pope Francis as he celebrates the 10th Anniversary of his election as Pope. I thank God for his ministry which, building on that of his predecessors, brings us face to face with the promise, hope, and challenge of following Christ. His witness—in both word and deed—has brought into sharp focus Christ's closeness to those on life's periphery and calls the Church—all of us who are baptised—to re-discover the mission that lies at the heart of the Christian life. With a striking directness and simplicity Pope Francis continues to challenge us not to be closed in on ourselves, seeing things only from our own perspective, but to reach out, to welcome the Lord who comes to us, to welcome our sisters and brothers left behind by the unfairness of life, and to proclaim the gospel to a world hungry for that which will endure. In underlining—again and again—the gift that is our faith, he leads us away from life-sapping negativity, away from 'indoctrinating' the gospel, making of it 'dead stones to be hurled at others'—and towards our true mission of putting flesh on "the healing power of grace and the light of the Good News" (see *Amoris Laetitia*, n. 49).

By encouraging us to embark on the synodal path he asks the whole community to participate in discernment, pastoral decision-making and offering advice on how best to act in this new world which opens before us. He asks us to move beyond a pyramidal way of looking and being Church, and embrace and make our own, the way of being Church as discerned by the Second Vatican Council. His synodal approach will enable a transformation of the Church into a dynamic community of missionary disciples, not just for our own sake, but for the sake of the whole, for the sake of every creature that shares this wonderful Earth—our Common Home.

+Dermot Farrell,
Archbishop of Dublin

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SATURDAY 29TH APRIL.

The parish has organised a bus to Knock to join the Diocesan Pilgrimage on 29th April. The bus will leave the carpark at 7.30am and leave Knock at 4.30pm. There will be a workshop at 12noon, Lunch break, Confessions from 2-3pm, Mass at 3.00pm with our Archbishop, Dermot Farrell. Leaving at 4.30pm with comfort break on the way down and home with tea & scones.

Cost is €25 each.

Please contact the Parish Office as soon as possible at 01 499 4203 to book your place and to help us finalise numbers and arrangements.

B.E. BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

Beginning Experience is a support group for those coping with the pain of loss of their life partner, through death, separation, or divorce. Do you find that you need more support than family and friends can provide? Seeking help is not a sign of weakness. This is a healing ministry, which helps to resolve the grief that goes with the end of a marriage or relationship. A team, who are themselves widowed, separated, or divorced, share their experiences with you. The next 'Coping with Life Alone Programme' takes place on Saturday 1st April (9.00 am – 4.00pm) in the Carmelite Community Centre, 56 Aungier Street, Dublin 2. *For further information please contact 086 087 7379.*

St. Vincent de Paul thank all who contributed to last weekend's Monthly Outdoor Collection which amounted to €3,175.