

St Mary's Parish, Drogheda

Sunday 5th June 2022

Pentecost Sunday

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The Lord's Day **9:00am, 10:30am, 12noon & 7:00pm**
Monday ~ Friday **8:00am and 10:00am**; Saturday **10:00am**



An Exam Prayer
Our Lady of Clonfert
Stay close to me today,
Guide my study and light my way.
Ease my nerves and comfort me with peace and
love so tenderly.
May I remember the things I need.
May I strive to give my best.
During the moments I may feel stressed, I'll try
and remember the ways I am blessed.
And If there are times that I fell at sea,
Help me trust that you are here with me.
Our Lady of Clonfert bless me this day. Amen!



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If you love me you will keep my commandments', and specifically the commandment to love one another (cf. 13.34). How have you experienced the link between love of God and love of those around you?

To his followers Jesus promises 'we will come and make our home with them'. Our God is not a distant God but one who lives in us. What has helped you to be aware of the closeness of God to you?

Jesus is preparing his disciples for his imminent departure and for a future in which he would be with them in a different way. He would not 'leave them orphans' but send an 'Advocate' to 'be with (them) for ever'. How have you experienced the presence of God with you in your life?

Jesus seeks to reassure his followers in the face of his imminent death. Although he will be leaving them he promises them the gift of the Spirit. How have you been aware of the gift of the Spirit of God in your life?



Cemetery Sunday will take place on Sunday 19th June at 3:00pm

To prepare for this special occasion in our parish we are organising a clean up of the cemetery on **Monday 13th June at 7:00pm.**

If you have an hour to spare we would welcome your help.

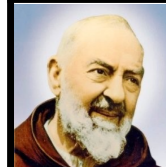
It is important that all of us look after the graves of our ancestors, one day someone will be looking after ours.

Prayer for the People of Ukraine

Loving God, We pray for the people of Ukraine, For all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them. We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices. We pray for the world; that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need. May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world. **Amen.** Our Lady, Queen of Peace, pray for us! Our Lady of Kyiv, pray for us!

Apostolate of Eucharistic Adoration

Annual Pilgrimage to Knock: Bus leaving Mary Street Saturday 18th June at 7:00am. Contact Liz on 086.3658358 for more details.



Pilgrimage to Assisi & San Giovanni Rotondo

29th June - 6th July, 2022

7 Night Pilgrimage visiting the Basilica of St. Francis. Shrine of St. Michael the Archangel. Visit to Lake Trasimeno - Church of St. Pio of Pietrelcina. Spiritual Director: Fr. Ciprian Solomon.
Call Anne Marie on 086.089 2788 for full itinerary.

Drogheda Floral Art Jubilee Night:

A Diamond Jubilee Dinner & Demonstration will take place on **Tuesday 14th June** in the Glenside Hotel (A92 Y196) at 7:00pm. Christopher White, Chelsea Flower Show Gold Medal Winner is our demonstrator and his arrangements will be raffled off at the end of the night along with other great prizes. So please join us in the Glenside Hotel, tickets €40 and can be purchased from Christopher at 085.8003674 or at chobrien-

Mass Intentions for week beginning Sunday 5th June, 2022

Sunday 5th June	9:00am	
	10:30am	Kestutis Gerdziunas <i>Month's Memory</i>
	12 noon	
	7:00pm	
Monday	10:00am	Jack & Bridie Mc Donnell; Tom Mc Guinness; Gerry Crozier
Tuesday	8:00am	Brian Connolly & deceased relatives,
	10:00am	
Wednesday	8:00am	
	10:00am	James Geoghegan
Thursday	8:00am	
	10:00am	
Friday	8:00am	
	10:00am	Kvetoslava Klenparova, Martin Klempar & Milan Klempar
Saturday	10:00am	Brenda Whelan
Sunday 12th June	9:00am	
	10:30am	Margaret Tiernan
	12 noon	
	7:00pm	



A prayer for those who died...

Jeanette Quinn (née Harrison), Newfield & formerly St. Joseph's Terrace, Mell;
Fred Kelly, Oulster Lane & formerly Chord Rd., & Hand Street;
Paddy Daly, Ballsgrove;
Fintan Harmon, Maple Drive;
Philomena Wade, Dublin.
May they rest in peace

Supporting Our Parish:

Parishioners can leave their envelopes or a donation to the parish in the boxes at the back of the church or you can now use the donate button facility on our website.

Any contribution will be greatly appreciated.

Many thanks. Keep safe and well.