

CHURCH OF OUR LADY'S NATIVITY LEIXLIP CO. KILDARE

18th October 2015

CHURCH MASS TIMES:-

Weekdays 9.30 a.m.
Saturday: 10 a.m. & 6 p.m. (Vigil Mass for Sunday)
Sunday: 8.30, 9.45, 11, 12.15p.m. & 7.30 p.m.

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MONDAY/FRIDAY 10 – 1 p.m. `PHONE/FAX 6243673

OUR LADY'S PARISH CENTRE `PHONE 6245169

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TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Adoration of the BLESSED SACRAMENT:-

10 a.m. – 2 p.m. &
7 p.m. – 10 p.m. Weekdays
Monday – Friday
(FRIDAY NIGHT to 9 P.M)

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY – ANNUAL CHURCH COLLECTION – this WEEKEND 17/18th OCTOBER

THEME FOR MISSION SUNDAY – “I have come so that you can have life and live it to the full `ABUNDANT` LIFE’ — It will replace the usual Share Collection. Your support for this collection will be much appreciated.

CEMETERY SUNDAY – CONFEEY CEMETERY – please note that this year prayers & blessing of the graves have been changed to Sunday 8th November at 3 p.m. (weather permitting) instead of the usual 1st Sunday of Nov.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2016 –25th JULY TO 31st JULY IN KRAKOW -

Parish Meeting Tomorrow Monday 19th 8pm In Parish Centre

A meeting for those interested in attending World Youth Day 2016 will take place tomorrow **Monday 19th October at 8.00p.m.** in the Parish Centre. The Dublin Diocese will lead a pilgrimage to **World Youth Day in Krakow** Poland which will be made up of young people from many parts of the Diocese. They are planning to take two age groups, 16-18 year olds and young adults 18+. If you have any interest in attending this wonderful occasion or if you are a parent who would like to find out what it is all about please come along to the meeting tomorrow evening. Thank you. Everyone is welcome

NEW ALTAR SERVERS REQUIRED: Boys & Girls from 3rd Class up are invited to join the Altar Servers Group. If you are interested please leave your name and contact details in the Parish Office or Sacristy.

CHURCH OF ST CHARLES BORREMEO – CONFEEY PARISH – please note that from Sunday 1st November 2015 only two (2) Sunday Masses will be celebrated in Confeey Church at 9.30 a.m. & 11.30 a.m. The usual Saturday evening Mass at 7 p.m. is unchanged.

ROSARY AT THE GROTTA continues every evening during Oct. at 7 p.m. (including Saturday/Sundays).

We have a wonderful turnout each evening “Thank You” all. This is your invitation to join with fellow parishioners to pray for the Pope’s Intentions, your own special intentions and for the world.

“Say The Rosary Every Day To Obtain Peace For The World” (Our Lady of Fatima).

LEIXLIP & CONFEEY PARISH CELLS SYSTEM OF EVANGELISATION:

Leixlip Parish Cells Dates: At a house near you, Tuesday’s Oct 27th All are welcome, especially those who would just like to Come & See. For further details contact Bridie 086.3807917, Donal 086.4472605. Men’s group: Dave 01.6244635, or (morning cell) Mary 087-6205435 See also www.leixlipparishcells.com and www.parishcellsireland.net for more details on Parish Cells.

TAX REFUND SCHEME – Letters have been sent out for the “Tax Relief for Donations to Eligible Charities & Other Approved Bodies” scheme to parishioners who have contributed €250 or more to the parish over the past year. If you wish to participate in the scheme but did not receive a letter please contact the parish office at 6243673. We take this opportunity to thank all our parishioners who contribute so generously each year to our Parish Development & Maintenance Fund either through their weekly envelope, standing order or direct payment.

~ ~ ~ CHURCH DIARY & MASS INTENTIONS ~ ~ ~

SUNDAY 18th OCTOBER

6 p.m. Liam Walsh 2nd (A) & Vincent Pierser (A)
8.30 Michael & Teresa Harrigan (A)
9.45 Noel Heneghan 1st (A)
11 Tom Conway (A)
12.15 Brendan Commame 5th (A), Robby Farrell (A), Dan O’Connell (A) & Martin Sweeney (A)
7.30 p.m. Molly McTigue 2nd (A)

MONDAY 19th OCTOBER

9.30 Esther Keogh (A)

TUESDAY 20th OCTOBER

9.30 Michael McEvoy (A) & Thanksgiving for favours received.

WEDNESDAY 21st OCTOBER

9.30 Mass for the people of the parish and all who worship in our church.

THURSDAY 22nd OCTOBER

9.30 Deceased members of the Hughes & Ryan Families – remembrance & Nially Barry – rec. deceased.

FRIDAY 23rd OCTOBER

9.30 Alice & Jeremiah O’Connor (A)

SATURDAY 24th OCTOBER

10 a.m. Jim Murphy 2nd (A) & John Lyons (A)
6 p.m. Maitiu O’Flaherty & Baby Óisín Quinn (A & Paddy, Michael & Bob Coen (A)

SUNDAY 25th OCTOBER

8.30 John Dunne – rec. deceased
9.45 Delia & Luke Carr (A) & deceased members of the Carr & Cryan Families.
11 Anne Dalton (A) & Mary Duffy (A) & also remembering her husband John. & Bridie Barrett (A)
12.15 Máirín MhicChormaic – month’s mind
7.30 Lucy Lawlor (A)

SANCTUARY LIGHT: is lit this week for the victims of the Carrickmine fire tragedy.

The Gospel Readings for the coming Week Are

MON:	LK. 12:13-21	TUES:	LK. 12:35-38
WED:	LK. 12:39-48	THUR:	LK. 12:49-53
FRI:	LK. 12:54-59	SAT:	LK. 13:1-9
SUN:	MK. 10:46-52		

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PARISH COLLECTIONS:

The First Collection last weekend was €1,610.00. This collection is for priests in our own parish, and for priests in poorer parishes, have special appointments, and are on sabbatical and who are sick or retired. The collection for SHARE was €1,300.00. The Collection for Parish Maintenance/Development (envelopes) last weekend was €885.00.

Thank you for your continued support.

COMMUNITY NEWS/EVENTS

PETER MCVERRY TRUST On behalf of Peter McVerry Trust I would like to thank your parish for accommodating our church gate collection this past weekend. I am amazed by the generosity of your parishioners, with a **fantastic €3,275 raised**. This amount will help us provide our services to young people currently experiencing homelessness, in 2014 we helped over 4,500 people, and this year we expect that number to top 6,000. So the donation from your parish is greatly appreciated. I would also like to acknowledge the volunteerism of Mrs. Joan O'Brien and Mrs. Anna Pegley & also Ann Heffernan and Pauline Kavanagh who all helped make the collection possible.

ST. MARY'S GAA CLUB – SET DANCING CLASSES every Thursday from 9 p.m. Beginners welcome

REFUGEE RESPONSE: As we are all aware, the unprecedented refugee and migrant crisis currently unfolding requires a humanitarian and co-ordinated response. Crosscare is hosting a meeting on Thursday 22nd October at 7.30pm in Holy Cross Diocesan Centre, Clonliffe. If anyone in the parish would like to attend please do. At this meeting, the Irish Red Cross will provide an update on the current situation. Crosscare would also like to share ideas on possible supports that can be offered and how we can plan our collective response. We look forward to welcoming you - Sinéad Tierney, Practice Development Programme Manager, Crosscare – Tel: 01 8360011.

LEIXLIP HISTORY CLUB —Our next event will be held in Leixlip Library on **Thursday 22nd October at 7 15 pm**. Leixlip man, Fionnbhar O'Riordáin, will show rare BBC films made in the 1950s in which his late father, the archaeologist, Professor Sean P Ó'Riordáin features strongly. The professor led a team which made amazing discoveries in sites at Tara and Lough Gur in Co Limerick. Footage of Professor O'Riordáin and his team's early excavations at Newgrange also feature. Professor O'Riordáin and his wife, the artist and sculptor, Gabriel Hayes, lived in Newbridge Lodge, near Barnhall Rugby Club.

MAYNOOTH GOSPEL CHOIR- PRESENTS –

WE CAN BE HEROES on Friday 23rd October at 8 p.m. in St. Mary's Church, Maynooth, Special Guests: St. Mary's Boys National School Choir. Admission €10, €8 concession, €25 Family. Phone 087 4688344 or 0871357530

MATT TALBOT 90TH ANNIVERSARY

Mission Novena Mass Sunday 25th October At 3pm
In Matt Talbot Shrine, Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Sean MacDermott Street, Dublin 1. **From Adversity to Hope, to Action :** In this month of the Missions, the Novena Mass will focus on Matt Talbot's own love for the missions. In the midst of his own struggles, the hope that sustained him encouraged him to reach out to others. The Novena Mass will be led by the Colomban Missionaries with Filipino Choir from Ballymun Parish in attendance. All are welcome. Supervised Car Parking.

NEED SOMEONE TO TALK TO? Counselling And

Psychotherapy Services: Leixlip and surrounding areas. Reasonable rates. Phone Patricia 089-4471089

OUR LADY'S PARISH CENTRE: Rooms Available To

Rent at reasonable cost: We have rooms to cater for 60 seated, 40 seated, 25 seated and our Parish Hall (Fr. Des room). Projector equipment also available. Contact Bernadette on 01-6243673 or email leixlip.parish@oln.ie

HEALING MASS IN HONOUR OF ST. PEREGRINE – Patron Saint Of Cancer – Church Of Immaculate Heart Of Mary, Rowlagh, Clondalkin On Monday 2nd

November At 7.30 p.m. The Sacrament of the Sick will be administered to those afflicted with cancer after Holy Mass along with the blessing of the Relic of St. Peregrine. To contact Friends of St. Peregrine phone 087 2517345.

IRISH SOCIETY FOR AUTISM- ANNUAL CHURCH

GATE COLLECTION - will be held next weekend 24/25th October. Your support will be much appreciated.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL (DUBLIN 8) CHOIR IN CONCERT on FRIDAY 6TH NOVEMBER AT 6.15 P.M. – REQUIEM – GABRIEL FAURÉ sung by the Cathedral Choir. Join them for one of the most beautiful choral pieces performed here by the choir. **Admission Free.** Retiring collection in aid of the Irish Red Cross. www.stpatrickscathedral.ie.

Words Of Jesus To St. Faustina St. Faustina

Diary 156: Do not omit Holy Communion unless you know well that your fall was serious; apart from this, no doubt must stop you from uniting yourself with Me in the mystery of My love. Your minor faults will disappear in My love like a piece of straw thrown into a great furnace.

Diary 1385: When I come to a human heart in Holy Communion, My hands are full of all kinds of graces which I want to give to the soul. But souls do not even pay any attention to Me; they leave Me to Myself and busy themselves with other things. Oh, how sad I am that souls do not recognise Love! They treat Me as a dead object.

Diary 1447: Oh, how painful it is to Me that souls so seldom unite themselves to Me in Holy Communion. I wait for souls, and they are indifferent toward Me. I love them tenderly and sincerely, and they distrust Me. I want to lavish My graces on them, and they do not want to accept them. They treat Me as a dead object, whereas My Heart is full of love and mercy.

COFFEE DOCK – Our Lady's Parish Centre

Drop in, Relax and meet friends and neighbours in the bright, open and peaceful Parish Coffee Dock. Have a quiet chat and cuppa, Tea, Coffee, Cappuccino & Scone or Biscuit. Open Mon.-Fri. from 9am to 12 noon.

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