

CHURCH OF OUR LADY'S NATIVITY LEIXLIP CO. KILDARE

25th 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.

Fr. John McNamara, Adm. 6245597

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

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THIRTIETH 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)

CEMETERY SUNDAY – CONFEEY CEMETERY

Please note This year Prayers & Blessing Of The Graves has ceremony been changed to Sunday 8th Nov. at 3p.m. (weather permitting) instead of the usual 1st Sunday of Nov.

PRAYER SUPPORT TEAM

– As a community we support one another in many ways. The Parish Prayer Team is now available to pray with/for anyone who would like to have support in prayer. Anyone can avail of this support especially the sick, lonely, bereaved, housebound, separated and it does not matter whether they are church-going or not. Two people from the team can arrange to pray with/for anyone who asks for prayer, either in their home or in Our Lady's Parish Centre. Please contact the Parish Office if you wish to avail of this support at 6243673.

CHURCH OF ST CHARLES BORREMEO – CONFEEY PARISH

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

JOIN US FOR THE LAST WEEK OF THE ROSARY AT THE GROTTA

every evening **this week** at 7 p.m. We've had a wonderful turnout throughout the month. This is your invitation to join with fellow parishioners these last few evenings to pray for the Pope's Intentions, your own special intentions. **"Say The Rosary Every Day To Obtain Peace For The World"** (Our Lady of Fatima).

TAX REFUND SCHEME

– We take this opportunity to thank all our parishioners who contribute so generously each year to our Parish Development & Maintenance Fund either through your weekly envelope, standing order or direct payment. 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.

~ ~ ~ CHURCH DIARY & MASS INTENTIONS ~ ~ ~

SUNDAY 25th OCTOBER

6 p.m. Maitiu O'Flaherty & Baby Óisín Quinn (A) & Paddy, Michael & Bob Coen (A)

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)

MONDAY 26th OCTOBER – BANK HOLIDAY

10 a.m. Michael Campbell (A)

TUESDAY 27th OCTOBER

9.30 Mary Hennessy rec. deceased & Maureen O'Neill – months mind

WEDNESDAY 28th OCTOBER – Feast Of Ss Simon & Jude, Apostles.

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

THURSDAY 29th OCTOBER

9.30 Paddy & Bridget Galvin (A)

FRIDAY 30th OCTOBER

9.30 Michael Lynam (A)

SATURDAY 31st h OCTOBER

10 a.m. Isabella Holmwood (A) & Mary Madden (A) & also remembering her parents Michael & Margaret Mitchell & her brother Gerard.

6 p.m. Sean McGilloway (A) & Mary Cremin (A) & also remembering her husband John & baby son Daniel Francis.

SUNDAY 1st NOVEMBER – SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS

8.30 John Mchugh – rec. deceased

9.45 Edward & Jane Condell (A) & Sheila McDonald (A) & Mary & Francis Gallagher (A)

11 a.m. **Mary Cullen 1st (A) & also remembering her son Kevin**

12.15 pm. Fr. Des O'Sullivan (A) & Bob Robertson (A)

7.30 p.m. Holy Souls (A)

SANCTUARY LIGHT: is lit this week for a special intention

The Gospel Readings for the coming Week Are

MON: LK. 13:10-17 TUES: LK. 13:18-21

WED: LK. 6:12-19 THUR: LK. 13:31-35

FRI: LK 14:1-6 SAT: LK. 14:1,7-11

SUN: MT.5:1-12

PARISH COLLECTIONS:

The First Collection last weekend was €1,655.00. 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 Mission Sunday last weekend was €4,005.00.** The Collection for Parish Maintenance/Development (envelopes) last weekend was €824.49. Thank you for your continued support.

COMMUNITY NEWS/EVENTS

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

MATT TALBOT 90th ANNIVERSARY

Mission Novena Mass This Sunday 25th October At

3pm In Matt Talbot Shrine, Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Sean MacDermott St, 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 welcome.** Supervised Car Parking.

Fundraiser at St. Mary's Church, Main Street

in aid of St. Brigid's Hospice and Home Care Services

Cake Sale / Coffee Morning / Raffle / Christmas Cards

Saturday 7th November 10.30am – 1.00pm All Welcome

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HEALING MASS IN HONOUR OF ST. PEREGRINE – Patron Saint Of Cancer of those suffering from 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. See <http://www.servite.org/SaintPeregrine> for Biography of St. Peregrine

SOAR - Youth Programme welcomes all Senior Students to an evening of **Personal Development** in St. Mary's GAA Club, Green Lane Leixlip. Wed 28th October 19.00 – 21.00 - www.soar.ie

THE ALZHEIMER CAFÉ EVENING takes place on the **last Wednesday of every month from 7pm to 9pm in the Convent Tea Rooms at McAuley Place, Sallins Road, Naas, (beside the Parish church)** for those with a dementia, families, friends and professionals. The following are the upcoming talks at the Alzheimer Café **Wednesday 28th October– “Caring for the Carer” with Catherine Cox, Head of Communications, The Carers Association.** Also a reminder of the very successful and newly named **Past Times Community Choir** for those with a dementia and their supporters that continues to run every Tuesday from 11am-1pm all are welcome to drop in at any time.

STAND UP FOR BREAST CANCER AWARENESS

MONTH -Join Little Way Cancer Support Centre Clane and Big Band experience Route 66 @ Glenroyal Hotel & Leisure Club Sat Oct 31st 9pm till Late. Experience the big band experience and Dance the night away. Dress up for Halloween - maybe win a prize or catch up with friends. Tickets €10.00 are available online or from the Glenroyal Hotel. Come on down and Have a ball. . See you all Sat 31st October.

GALA CONCERT IN THE OBLATE CHURCH, TYRCONNELL RD, INCHICORE, DUBLIN, 8 – on THURSDAY, 5TH NOVEMBER AT 7.30 P.M. Join The Garda Síochána Band, The CIE Male Voice Choir & The Tulsa Choir, to raise funds for the Oblate Lourdes Invalid Fund. Raffle on the night. Tickets €10.00. (bring a cushion) Phone: 4542888.

MISCARRIAGE ASSOCIATION OF IRELAND – Annual Service Of Remembrance – Sunday 8th Nov. At 3 p.m. – St. Teresa's Church, Donore Ave., Off Sth. Circular Rd, Dublin. 8. All parents, siblings, grandparents & others effected by the loss of a baby are very welcome to attend, regardless of whether the loss was recent or long ago.

GENERAL MANAGER – ARCHDIOCESE OF DUBLIN

A position has arisen for a General Manager of the Archdiocese of Dublin and is being offered on a five year fixed term basis. Reporting to the Archbishop, the General Manager will be responsible for the administration of the Diocese in the areas of Finance, Investment, Property, Human Resources and Information Technology. The successful candidate will hold a recognised Degree/Master's Degree in Business Management or appropriate qualification, have proven financial management experience at a senior level, and have at least 15 years' senior management experience with evidenced results. Applications should be made to Monsignor Paul Callan, Moderator of the Curia, V.G., Holy Cross Diocesan Centre, Clonliffe Road, Dublin 3, D03 P2E7 or by email to generalmanagerapplication@dublindiocese.ie no later than 5pm on Tuesday 17th November. A full job description is available at www.dublindiocese.ie/vacancy-for-general-manager

NUIM BARNHALL RFC UNDER 12 are holding a cake sale after all Masses next Sunday 1st November in **Our Lady's Parish Centre** after all Masses to fundraise for their upcoming trip to Wales. Your support would 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.

IRISH SOCIETY FOR AUTISM- ANNUAL CHURCH GATE COLLECTION - will be held this weekend 24/25th October. Your support will be much appreciated.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO VOLUNTEER AS A COMPUTER TUTOR FOR THE OVER 55'S??

AGE ACTION FOR ALL OLDER PEOPLE
Age Action Ireland is actively recruiting volunteer computer tutors for its Getting Started programme which assists older people (55+) to learn basic IT, internet and email skills.. Classes will be held in Leixlip Library on a Tuesday and will run once a week for 1 hour 15 mins (6.15pm to 7.30pm) for 5 weeks. All tutors are volunteers and teach one student at a time in small class groups. For the beginners course volunteers will be encouraging and helping older people to learn simple basic IT Older learners may also be interested in learning other skills such as how to use Skype, downloading photos etc. Training will be provided and tutor lesson plans are available on all topics. What's required for this position
Fluent English. * Knowledge of computers. Patience and understanding
* Interest in working with Older People. If interested, email Moireen at gsnorthleinster@ageaction.ie or call 01 475 6989

NEED SOMEONE TO TALK TO? Counselling And Psychotherapy Services: Leixlip and surrounding areas. Reasonable rates. Phone Patricia 089-4471089

AGE ACTION – FOR ALL OLDER PEOPLE! Computers for the Terrified! Classes for the over 55's
Leixlip Library in association with Age Action will be running beginners' computer classes for older people who have little or no computer experience or for the absolutely terrified! **Learn how to:**
-Search the Internet -Send & receive emails -Shop and books flights
Small classes with one to one tuition, learn at your own pace.
This free 2 hour course will run once a week for 4 weeks at the Leixlip Library on Tuesdays (6.15pm to 7.30pm). *For more information or to book a place, phone Age Action "Getting Started" team on 01 475 6989.*

GREENLANE SCHOOLS PTA Annual Christmas Fair on Sunday 29th November in Scoil Bhríde's Hall from 1pm. All welcome
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.

SAINT FAUSTINA HEALING PRAYER
Jesus, may Your pure and healthy blood circulate in my ailing organism, and may Your pure and healthy body transform my weak unhealthy body, and may a healthy and vigorous life flow once again within me, if it is truly Your Holy will. Amen

OUR LADY'S PARISH CENTRE: Rooms Available To Rent at reasonable cost: We have rooms to cater for 60, 40 &, 25 seated and our Parish Hall (Fr. Des room). Projector equipment also available. Contact Bernadette at 6243673 or email leixlip.pariah@oln.ie

OUR LADY'S PARISH SHOP
A Voluntary Service to Our Parishioners
Do Drop In and Checkout our Full Selection
2016 Pocket Diary, Wedding Candles, Tea/Nite Lights
3 day & 7 Day Grave Candles, Solar lights
The Irish Catholic, The Magnificat, The Curates Diary:
Gift wallets, Christening Candles, Christening Cards,
Wrapping Paper, Sick Call Sets, Medals, Scapulars, Statues,
Rosary Beads, Bracelets, Children's Books, Bibles, Crucifix,
Prayer Cards, Birthday Cards & Cards for all occasions,
Know Your Faith CD's, Complimentary Book Markers
Shop Opening Times
Monday to Friday following 9.30am Mass to 11am.
Sunday's following 9.45am Mass to 1pm

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