

Our Lady of Victories

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A Hopeful Grieving

Grief follows the loss of a loved one as surely and naturally as night follows day. Grief is one of the strongest emotions we will ever experience. Many people have a problem about expressing grief, and may try to suppress it. To suppress grief is dangerous, and can result in serious emotional problems.

To live fruitfully after the death of a loved one, people need to go through a period of mourning. The way to deal with grief is not to run away from it, or pretend it isn't there, but to face it and work through it with as much honesty and courage as one can.

Those who do this will emerge enriched as persons. Grief has a great purgative value. God cannot fill the soul until it is emptied of trivial concerns. And grief is a tremendous bonfire in which all the trash of life is consumed.

Faith should not be used as a barrier against grief. Sometimes people say about someone who does not grieve, 'What great faith he (she) has!' But even Christ grieved. To grieve over the loss of a loved one is a good and necessary thing.

While faith doesn't do away with the necessity of grieving, it is a wonderful comfort and support at the time of death. Paul says 'We believe that Jesus Christ died and rose again, and that it will be the same for those who have died in Christ... Comfort one another with these thoughts.' Faith doesn't dispense us from grieving. What it does do is enable us to grieve with hope.

We mustn't be afraid to cry, to let ourselves go. It's part of the healing. We have tears in our eyes but hope in our hearts. If we do the work of grief, we will wake up one morning, liberated and full of energy for life.

The wedding feast to which Jesus invites us will be all the more joyful for those who have walked through the dark valley of grief, and emerged with the lamp of love still burning in brightly.

FEASTDAYS this week

Tuesday 14th: St. Laurence O'Toole, Bishop. Friday 17th: St. Elizabeth of Hungary.

Next Weekend's Readings

First Reading: Prov 31:10-13, 19,20. 30,31. Second Reading: Th 5:1-6. Responsorial Psalm: 127. Gospel: Mt 25:14-30.

MASS TIMES:

Sunday Holy Days 8.30am, 10am (Irish) 6.30pm (Vigil), 9am 11.30am, 5.30pm 11.30am, 6.30pm

Saturdays Monday 9am, 6.30pm (Vigil) 9am, 6.30pm

> Tuesday - Friday 9am, No Evening Mass

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 10.30 - 11.30 a.m. 5.30 - 6.15 p.m.

BAPTISMS:

Celebrated on the *First Sunday* and *Third Saturday* of the month, arrangements having been made *in person* at the presbytery giving *three* weeks notice.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Daily

Chapel open from 7.30 a.m. to 10.00 p.m.

Divine Mercy:

Wednesdays from 2.45 p.m. to 3.45 p.m.

Miraculous Medal Novena is prayed at both Masses on Monday.

Holy Hour follows Monday evening Mass.

Benediction after Saturday evening Mass.

Devotion to the Holy Face

Thursday 7-8 p.m. in the Adoration Chapel

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Office Hours

9.30 a.m.-12.30 p.m. weekdays

The parish office is located at the rear of St. Kevin's Presbytery.



Please remember in your prayers the sick of the parish

We pray for... Niamh Byrne, Gerard Smyth, Jean Power, Mrs Hannah Johnston, Michael Reid, Kay & Noel Goggins, Johnny Hoctor, Jenny & Des Kelly, Therese O'Flaherty, Vera Corrigan, Mary Cullen, Bríd Ó Carra, Annie Dalton, Leonie O'Brien, Anne O'Leary, Phyllis Forsyth, Una Sweeney, Faye Bennett, Lorraine McCabe, Ann Doyle, Josie Potts, Noreen Phelan, Petra Madill, Marie McCarthy, Camilla McMahon, Kathleen Byrne, Agnes Cantwell, Ann Eble, Michael Burke, Mary Moore, Pat Frain, Ernie Kestell, Eadaoine Smith, Sr Dympna Corkell, Alice Ledwidge, Kathleen & Tom Keane, Siobhan Byrne, May Doyle, Colm & Eileen McLoughlin, Jim Swan, Pauline O'Neill, Tom Burton, Hugh Keenan, Ellen Kinsella, Cora Walby, Frieda Lewis Carroll, Gerry Kilduff, Noleen Dunne, Gabrielle Diamond, Maureen Whyte, Kathleen Byrne, Avril Foran, Eileen Flood, Kay Foley, Kathleen Kilty, Frances O'Connor, Eddie Treacy, Paddy Knox, Angela Lawlor, Mary Sweeney, Kay McKeown, Kathleen Allen, Margaret Allen, Mairin Nicol, Donal Burton, Thomas Stapleton, May Stapleton, Jim McAdam and others we know who may be unwell.

If you would like us to pray for someone you know who is ill please contact the parish office with their name.

Mass Times & Intentions

Sun Vigil Bridie & Michael Johnston + anniv **6.30** Tony, Paul & Frank Barrett + annivs

Tony Killeen + anniv

Joan & Ciaran Kennedy & Yvonne Vella + a

8.30 For parishioners

10.00 Caitlín Bean Úi Chathasaigh + rec dec 11.30 Thomas, James & Veronica Harding + ann

Noel, Ann & Matthew Fagan + annivs

Eileen & Barney Lynch + annivs

Joe Gallagher + anniv Donal Moran + rec dec

5.30 Anne Rafferty + rec dec Thomas Leonard + anniv

Mon 9.00 Michael Christensen + rec dec

Declan O'Callaghan + rec dec

6.30 John Keenan + anniv

Michael Matthews + anniv Margaret Kelly + rec dec

Tues 9.00 Special Intention

Sr. Evelyn McDevitt + rec dec

Wed 9.00 Special Intention

Karen Clarke + rec dec

Thurs 9.00 Reggie Simmons + rec dec

Marie Geraghty + rec dec

Fri 9.00 Elizabeth Tracey + anniv

Doris Lambe + anniv

Sat 9.00 Carmel O'Neill + rec dec

<u>Vigil 6.30</u> Catherine Flynn + anniv

Jimmy & Paddy Byrne + annivs

Ultan O'Reilly + anniv Greta Quigley + anniv

<u>Sun</u>

8.30 For parishioners

10.00 Karen Clarke + rec dec

11.30 Mary O'Brien + months mind

Brendan & Thomas Kearns + annivs

Noel Burton + anniv

Patrick & David Carry + annivs Kay & Paddy Cooney + annivs

5.30 Vincent Malynn + anniv

Our Dear Departed

Recently deceased;

Matt Kane, formerly 6, O'Rourke Park died in England.

Anniversaries:

Bridie & Michael Johnston, Tony, Paul & Frank Barrett, Tony Killeen, Joan & Ciaran Kennedy, Yvonne Vella, Thomas, James & Veronica Harding, Joe Gallagher, Eileen & Barney Lynch, Noel, Ann & Matthew Fagan, Thomas Leonard, John Keenan, Michael Matthews, Elizabeth Tracey, Doris Lambe, Catherine Flynn, Maureen Hill, Jimmy & Paddy Byrne, Ultan O'Reilly, Greta Quigley.

Please remember them in your prayers



Our condolences to the families and friends of



Denis Kelly, Rochestown Park, Margaret Kelly, Glenageary Court.

Denis, Margaret their families and friends are remembered in our prayers

Mass on Monday 20th December at 6.30 pm is for the deceased members of the Legion of Mary. All Legionaries past and present members are very welcome to attend.

New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week.

In 1923, on a geological expedition deep in the Ordos Desert of Mongolia, the newly ordained priest, Pierre Teilhard de Chardin, pondered his obligation to offer a daily celebration of the mass – but how to do so in the middle of the desert, with neither bread nor wine available to him? His solution: the whole earth would become his altar,



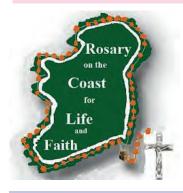
with the human toil and sufferings of the day to be offered up as his bread and wine. The result of this profound reflection is his "The Mass on the World, a mystical expression of the presence and activity of God in all creation. Listen to a reflective reading of selected excerpts from Georgetown University at www.NewPilgrimPath.ie

Ordinations for Dublin Diocese

On the Tuesday 14th November (the Feast of St. Laurence O'Toole), Archbishop Diarmuid Martin will ordain Deacons James Daly & Bill O' Shaughnessy as Priests for the Archdiocese of Dublin. In the St. Marys Pro Cathedral at 11 am. The community of faith in Dublin has nurtured and sustained Bill and James in their journey. As they prepare for ordination, to a ministry of witness to Jesus Christ, Archbishop Martin has asked the Priests and people of the Diocese remember James and Bill in prayer at Masses over the coming weeks.



Johnstown/Killiney Parish welcome you to the next Men's Breakfast on Saturday 18th November in Johnstown Parish Centre. The guest speaker is John Quinn the Evangelisation Officer for Presentation Bros. Glasthule. Starts at 8am and ends 9.30am sharp. Small cover charge. See notice board.



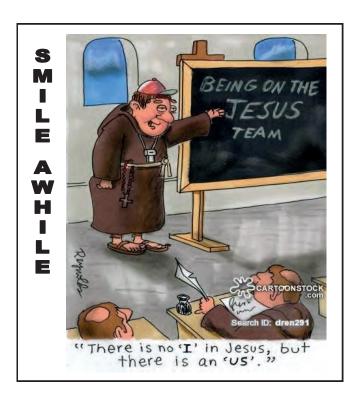
"Rosary on the Coasts for Life and Faith"
Gather at the Band Stand of the Pier at 2.15pm on Sunday
26th of November the Feast of Christ the King to pray the
Rosary. The prayer at the coasts will begin at 2:30pm.
For more information on this countrywide initiative please
visit the website https://www.coastalrosaryireland.ie/

Dalkey Players Autumn Production 2017 "The Cripple of Inishmaan" by Martin McDonagh in Dalkey Town Hall @8pm on Tuesday 21st to Friday 24th November. Booking 087 991 9261 or tickets available in Dalkey Town Hall



Clonkeen College will be having a Church Gate Special Collection this Sunday as part of the College's fundraising for their ongoing project building schools in India. Our Parish support is greatly appreciated. Thanks to all in advance.

The November Envelopes have been distributed throughout the parish, if for any reason you did not receive an envelope there are some available at the back of the church.



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