

Our Lady of Victories

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The Way to Peace

St Paul urges the Philippians not to be anxious. He tells them, 'There is no need to worry.' This may seem an unreal piece of advice. There is no way to avoid all worry. Good and sincere people are naturally worried about many things. It is part of the burden they carry precisely because they are people who care, who care about loved ones, and many other things.

But Paul is not talking about normal concerns. He is talking about anxiety. Nothing is more debilitating or fruitless than anxiety. Of itself it does nothing to solve our problems.

The root of anxiety is lack of trust - lack of trust in oneself, in others, and especially in God. Hence, the first piece of advice Paul gives the Philippians is to pray. They must learn to commit their cares to the Lord: 'If there is anything you need, pray for it'.

He is not suggesting that prayer should take the place of action. Nor is he implying that their prayers will always be answered. What, then, does prayer do? Prayer implies a willingness to do what we can, and then to leave things in the hands of God. To accept what happens then as his will, even though we may not understand it.

In Jesus' parable of the vineyard a lot of ugly things happen. But evil does not have the last say. In the end good triumphs. This shows us that there is only one way to overcome evil, and that is with good. Jesus didn't answer evil with more evil. He triumphed over evil by good.

If we do what we can, and put our trust in God, then Paul assures us that 'the peace of God, which is so much greater than we can understand will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.'

Next Weekend's Readings

First Reading: Is 25:6-10 Second Reading: Phil 4:120-14, 19-20

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 22 Gospel: Mt 22:1-14

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, Margaret Kelly, 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, Jim Cummins, Jackie McNamara, Mairin Nicol, Donal Burton 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

6.30 Joan Gleeson + anniv

8.30 Paddy Whyte + 10.00 Teresa McMahon +

11.30 Ronnie McManus + months mind

Dolores Fitzgerald + anniv Hannah Flannery + anniv Dick O'Driscoll + anniv

<u>5.30</u>

Mon 9.00 Anthony Cervi + rec dec

Patrick Power + anniv

Ian Whyte + anniv

6.30 Betty Carey + birthday

Kay Cooney + anniv

Tues 9.00 Peter & Phil Dunn + and Family

Wed 9.00 Mrs Saul + rec dec

Thurs 9.00 Cecilia O'Sullivan + anniv

Aidan Fennell + anniv

Fri 9.00 Peggy Kavanagh Birthday (liv)

Sat 9.00

Vigil 6.30 Eddie McCabe + anniv

Elizabeth Jones + rec dec

<u>Sun</u>

8.30 For parishioners 10.00 Ben Redahan + anniv

11.30 Demitria Johnston + months mind

Susan Bustillo + anniv

Charles Tinsley & Paul McConnell +

annivs

5.30



Holy Child Community School Open Night: Visit the school on Monday 16th October in the evening from 6-7.30 pm all are

welcome. For further info please phone 2855334.

Our Dear Departed

Anniversaries:

Patrick Murray, Joan Gleeson, Dolores Fitzgerald, Ian Whyte, Hannah Flannery, Dick O'Driscoll, Patrick Power, Cecilia O'Sullivan, Aidan Fennell, Eddie McCabe

Birthday remembrance:

Billy Murray, Betty Carey.

Please remember them in your prayers



Our condolences to the families and friends of



Thomas (Tom) Lawlor

Tom, his family and friends are remembered in our prayers



Advance notice of World Mission Sunday Collection: On Sunday, 22nd October 2017, Pope Francis invites all Catholics to contribute to a special collection, the Mission Sunday collection. World Missions Ireland is the Holy Father's official charity for overseas mission and is responsible for coordinating Mission Sunday in Ireland. Please note the Mass will be televised on Sunday, 22nd October: Mission Sunday on RTÉ on behalf of World Missions Ireland, 11.00am.

New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week.

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Saturday 7th October Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary (Victories)

In honour of Our Lady we will say the Rosary after all Masses on the weekend 7th/8th except the 11.30 Mass when the Rosary will be said before Mass at 11.15. After the 11.30 Mass we will have a 'Tea and Cake' in celebration of our Feast Day.



In January of this year we appealed to you to pray for Fr. Tom Uzhunnalil a Salesian priest who was kidnapped in March of 2016 from a home for the aged and disabled run by the Missionaries of Charity in Aden, Yemen. On that day four Missionaries of Charity and 12 others were murdered and Fr. Tom was kidnapped.

We are happy to report that Fr. Tom was released on September 12th last. On the day after his release the pope welcomed Father Uzhunnalil at his residence, the Domus Sanctae Marthae. Recalling his time in captivity, Fr Tom told the pope that although he was unable to celebrate Mass, "every day, I would repeat to myself, in my heart, all the words of the celebration."

Father Uzhunnalil said he continues to pray for all those who have been spiritually close to him, particularly for the four nuns and 12 people murdered when he was abducted. He said also that he 'knew that the whole Church was there, the world was worried for me. So I am grateful'.



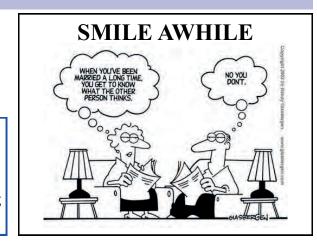
Check the website for information regarding volunteering and information on tickets.

Healing Service with Eddie Stones (Emmanuel House of Providence)

From 2 p.m. on Saturday 14th of October. Throughout the afternoon there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Priests will be available for Confessions. Prayer of Healing and Laying on of Hands.

We will conclude with Mass at 6.30pm

For your information: beginning this weekend and over the following two weekends members of our Parish Pastoral Council will be taking a count of Mass attendance at all the Sunday Masses. This count is taken every year at this time by the request of the Archdiocese.



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