



**St Colmcille Partnership of Parishes**  
**Sallynoggin-Glenageary, Johnstown-Killiney, Cabinteely,**  
**Ballybrack-Killiney, Loughlinstown, Shankill.**

### New Pilgrim Path

If New Pilgrim Path has a favourite website from our almost seven years of trawling for uplifting websites to share, it is Pray As You Go, a daily online audio guided prayer session provided by the English Jesuits. Its offering for each day of Lent is the most valuable we have encountered to date. It includes a mix of music, a scripture reading, and short reflective questions based on Ignatian spirituality. Between 10 and 13 minutes in duration, Pray As You Go is designed to help you pray whenever you find time. For mobile devices, simply download the "Pray As You Go" app. It is used 30 million times a year. [www.newpilgrimpath.ie](http://www.newpilgrimpath.ie)



Anointing  
of the Sick

### Mass & Anointing of the Sick

#### Sunday 18th February 3pm.

We are pleased to welcome the priests and parishioners of St Colmcille's Parish Partnership to join us for Mass and Anointing of the Sick on Sunday 18th February at 3 p.m. Families and carers are asked to bring their elderly or housebound. Should anyone require transport please contact the parish office and we will do our best to arrange it.

Refreshments will be provided in the Church after Mass.

### Adult Faith Formation

#### Church of the Apostles Ballybrack

**28th Feb at 7.30 pm:**

Miriam (sister of Moses)

**20th March at 7.30 pm:**

Naomi (from Ruth story)

**17th April at 7.30 pm:**

The Syrophenician woman

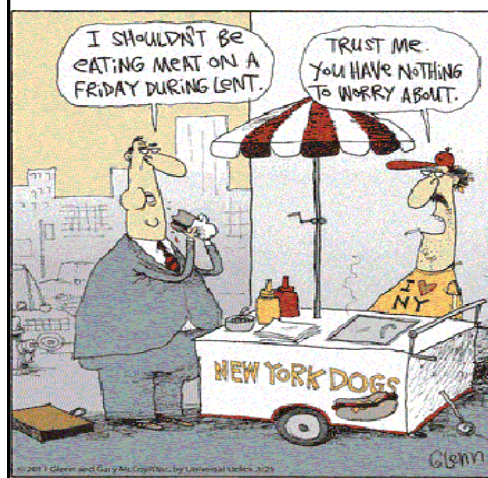
**15th May at 7.30 pm:**

Mary Magdalene

talks given by Dr. Jesse Rogers,  
 lecturer/Dean of Theology at St. Patrick's  
 Pontifical University, Maynooth.

All welcome

### SMILE AWHILE



## Our Lady of Victories

Sallynoggin / Glenageary

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### The Struggle Against Temptation

The temptations of Jesus were no mere play-acting. They were real, but not necessarily outward experiences. Most likely the battle was fought in the mind and heart of Jesus. But that doesn't make them any less serious. The most subtle and dangerous attacks are the ones that originate inside us. They are also the most difficult to deal with because they involve self denial, something that is never easy.

Some might ask: can a good person be tempted like the rest of us? The answer is a resounding 'yes'. The good person who resists temptation knows more about its power than the weakling who submits at the very onset of temptation. So if you want to know what victory over temptation costs, don't ask a sinner; ask a saint.

Now, since Jesus and the saints were tempted, we can't hope to escape. But temptation is not necessarily a bad thing. Virtue would be meaningless if there was no evil, no struggle. Virtue involves a choice between good and evil. Every time we overcome a temptation makes us stronger. Each right choice makes next right choice more likely and easier.

But we might still say, 'It was easy for Jesus!' It wasn't. He too had to struggle to do the will of God. His victory was achieved through prayer, fasting and obedience to the word of God. The Holy Spirit was with Jesus during his struggle. And the Holy Spirit will be with us too in ours.

#### PARISH STAFF:

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## Mass Times & Intentions

<u>Sun 9.00</u>	Máire NiChoincheanainn + anniv & Coinceanainn family + Michael O'Neill + rec dec
<u>11.00</u>	Donal Begley + 1st anniv Margaret & Denis Twomey + annivs Margaret & Eugene Crowley + annivs Anthony Carroll + rec dec Maria Foy birthday (living)
<u>1.00</u>	James Kellett + anniv Special intention for health Mark Cummins intentions Donnacha O'Sullivan for healing
<u>Mon 9.00</u>	Roisín O'Donnell birthday (liv) McGarry family intentions Anja Somers get well
<u>6.30</u>	Holy Souls Mass in thanksgiving
<u>Tue 9.00</u>	Bridie Curran + rec dec Ken Cunningham + rec dec
<u>Wed 9.00</u>	Margaret Fitzpatrick Mullan + rec dec Fr Conor Harper + rec dec
<u>Thurs 9.00</u>	Diarmuid Mundow + rec dec Shane Clancy + birthday remembrance
<u>Fri 9.00</u>	Peter Moore + rec dec Hornshaw family intentions
<u>Sat 9.00</u>	Mandy Elliott (living) Marie & Robbie Frayne intentions
<u>Sun 9.00</u>	Ian Bailey + rec dec Mamie, John & Noel Leneghan + annivs
<u>11.00</u>	Frances Curran + months mind Lily Neary & Pat Moore + annivs Richard & Kathleen Hayes + annivs Fred Hick + anniv
<u>1.00</u>	Jimmy, Lizzie, Patrick & James Carry + Terry Reynolds + anniv Vera Daly + anniv & Eddie + MaryJo Smith + anniv

### Next Weekend's Readings

First Reading: Gn 22:1-2, 9-13, 15-8.  
Psalm: Ps 115.  
Second Reading: Rm 8:31-34.  
Gospel: Mk 9:2-10



**MASS TIMES:**  
Sunday 9.00am, 11.00am,  
1.00pm.  
Monday 9am, 6.30pm.  
Tuesday - Friday 9am  
Saturday—9am **only**

**CONFESSIONS:**  
Saturday  
10.30am - 11.30am  
Unless there is a funeral  
4.30pm - 5.30pm

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:**  
(for those who are unwell,  
preparing for surgery or in  
danger of dying) Contact  
Fr. Padraig or the parish office  
to make arrangements.

**BAPTISMS:**  
Contact the Parish Office to  
arrange for the Sacrament of  
Baptism.

**Eucharistic Adoration:**  
Daily after 9am Mass in the  
Church until 6pm.

**Charismatic Prayer**  
First Friday of the month 8pm

**Miraculous Medal Novena**  
is prayed at all Masses on  
Monday.

**Holy Hour**  
After Monday 6.30pm Mass.

**Saint Vincent de Paul:**  
086 063 7874  
To donate go to: [www.svp.ie/  
sallynogginglengear23](http://www.svp.ie/sallynogginglengear23)

**CSTV/Live Streaming**  
The Parish now has a webcam  
service for Masses & funerals  
please see porch notice for more  
information.



Our condolences to the family and friends of  
**Martin (Dolly) Dalton, formerly Pearse Park**



**Martin, his family and friends are  
remembered in our prayers**

### Our Dear Departed

**Anniversaries:**

James Kellett, Jack Crowe, Pat Turner, Kathleen Lowe, James Kellett,  
Margaret & Denis Twomey, Maire NiChoincheanainn, Donal Begley,  
Margaret & Eugene Crowley, Tony Ball.

**Please remember them in your prayers**

### SPECIAL COLLECTION



The annual collection for  
ACCORD will be made at all  
Masses this weekend. It will take  
the place of SHARE.



**Fridays in Lent  
Adoration until  
7pm followed by  
Guided Stations  
of the Cross.**

### What can I do for Lent?

- Half an hour of Adoration each week
- Join the Rosary after Mass
- Attend the Thursday night talks
- Attend Mass during the week
- Go to Confession
- Do a 'media fast'
- Take the missalette home and reread the Scripture

*The  
Season  
of  
Lent*



### Fri 8th & 9th March - 24 Hour Adoration

**Beginning after 6.30 Mass and concluding on Saturday  
evening with Mass. Please sign up to pledge an hour.**

