

The 500-year old Ignatian Examen is a daily prayer of review, used across many Christian denominations. The purpose is to discern the ways in which God has been present to you, the times when the Holy Spirit was drawing you towards life.



Christian churches worldwide are celebrating the Season of Creation from 1st Sept to 4th Oct (the Feast of Saint Francis of Assisi). A special 'Ecological Examen' has been developed as a tool for reflection and action to help deepen our call to care for creation and the most vulnerable.

This inspiring self-guided resource can be accessed at: www.newpilgrimpath.ie.

# WHY SUNDAY MATTERS

"As we journey together through this Jubilee Year of Hope, we, the Irish Bishops, warmly invite all Catholics to reflect on the profound gift of Sunday Mass. This special year offers a unique opportunity to rediscover the heart of our faith and, for those who have been away, to return with renewed joy to the celebration of the Eucharist."

The Irish Bishops' new pastoral message, Why Sunday Matters – An Invitation to Reflect on Sunday Mass, an introductory video and a four-part video series titled Sunday Mass – Digging Deeper can be found at catholic bishops.ie.

The Why Sunday Matters initiative launches this weekend.



# Irish Catholic Newspaper

We have been informed by the publisher of the Irish Catholic newspaper, that from the 2nd of October, the price will increase to  $\in 3.50$ .





# Our Lady of Victories

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### Carlo Acutis - A Saint for Our Times

Carlo Acutis, often called the "Cyber Apostle of the Eucharist," was an Italian teenager whose deep faith and love for technology made him a remarkable witness of holiness in modern times. Born in London in 1991 and raised in Milan, Carlo displayed from a young age a special devotion to the Eucharist and the Virgin Mary. He attended daily Mass, prayed the rosary, and dedicated himself to serving others, especially the poor and marginalized.

What made Carlo especially unique was his ability to merge faith with technology. Gifted with strong computer skills, he created a website cataloguing Eucharistic miracles from around the world. His aim was to help people grow in their love and reverence for the Blessed Sacrament, which he often described as his "highway to heaven." Despite being a normal teenager who enjoyed soccer, video games, and time with friends, Carlo placed Christ at the centre of everything he did.

At the age of fifteen, Carlo was diagnosed with an aggressive form of leukemia. He offered his suffering for the Pope and the Church, showing remarkable maturity and trust in God. On October 12, 2006, he passed away, leaving behind a legacy that continues to inspire countless people.

In 2020, Pope Francis beatified Carlo Acutis in Assisi, where he is buried. His life is a powerful reminder that holiness is possible for everyone, even in the digital age. Carlo's example challenges young people to use technology responsibly, in ways that spread truth, beauty, and love.

#### **PARISH STAFF:**

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## **Mass Times & Intentions**

Sun 9.00 Kay Ruddock + rec dec Carmel Hughes + anniv Katie Malone + annivs Tony Finn + months mind 11.00 Rita Doyle + 1st anniv Kitty Sheanon + anniv Deceased members of the Martin family Ian & Julie on their wedding anniv. Mon 9.00 Angela Hickey + rec dec

Dave Collins birthday (liv) 6.30 Special Intention Joan O'Grady birthday (liv)

Stefi & Diarmuid on the wedding

Tue 9.00 Sean Patton + rec dec Pat & Val Hayes 56th wedding anniv Caitriona & Richard Hallam 25th anniv

Colm McKenna + rec dec Wed 9.00 Nellie Connellan bereaved Collette Prendergast for healing Those travelling to Medugorje today Thurs 9.00 Ollie Larkin + birthday remembrance

> Willie Connor for healing Robert John Parsons + anniv

Maureen Vella Whelan + anniv Sun 9.00 Cian O'Donnell birthday (liv)

Kay Campbell + rec dec

Breasal Ó Caollaí get well Kay Campbell + rec dec John Murphy + 1st anniv

Michael Richardson + 1st anniv Also remember Nancy, Ted & Thomas Peter & Hannah Flannery + annivs Mary, John, Liamo & Paddio Knight + annivs

# **Our Dear Departed**

Recently deceased

Fr Cathal Price

Sat 9.00

11.00

**Anniversaries** 

Carmel Hughes, Katie Malone, Tony Finn, Rita Doyle, Robert John Parsons, Maureen Vella Whelan, Kitty Sheanon.

Please remember them in your prayers

#### **MASS TIMES:**

Sunday 9.00am, 11.00am, Monday 9am, 6.30pm. Tuesday - Thursday 9am Saturday - 9am only

#### **CONFESSIONS:**

Saturdays 10 -11am Also available on request

#### ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

(for those who are unwell. preparing for surgery or in danger of dying)

#### **BAPTISMS:**

Contact the Parish Office to arrange for the Sacrament of Baptism.

#### **Eucharistic Adoration:**

Daily after 9am Mass in the Church until 6pm.

Miraculous Medal Novena is prayed at all Masses on Monday.

### **Holy Hour**

After Monday 6.30pm Mass.

Saint Vincent de Paul: 086 063 7874

### **CSTV/Live Streaming**

The Parish now has a webcam service for Masses & funerals please see porch notice for more information.

### LOST PROPERTY

Please call to the sacristy after any morning Mass to claim mislaid items.



# Our condolences to the family and friends of



Kay Campbell, Glenageary Avenue. Lorraine Moloney, Park Road. John Keogh, O'Rourke Park.

Kay, Lorraine, John, their families and friends are remembered in our prayers

### FEASTDAYS this week

Monday 8th: The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Tuesday 9th: St Ciaran, abbot.

Saturday 13th: St John Chrysostom, bishop.

# **Next Weekend's** Readings



First Reading: Num 21:4-9

Psalm: Ps 77

Second Reading: Phil 2:6-11

Gospel: Jn 3:13-17

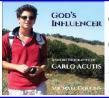
# Pray for the Sick

Please remember in your prayers the sick of the Parish. The list is displayed beside St Anne's Shrine. To add a name contact the parish office.

### WOMEN'S BREAKFAST



Ladies you are invited to come and share breakfast on Saturday **September 20th** after the 9 o'clock Mass and Rosary at the Parish meeting room. Please register your intention to attend by contacting Bridie McCarthy on 086 6038823. Registration is important for the organisers, it makes sure that enough places are set and that there is no food waste. Guest speaker.



God's There are still 2 copies of this short biography of Carlo Acutis available to purchase from the Parish office at a cost of €10.