



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

**ignite**  
ireland  
Conference



with Scott Hahn



Maura Murphy



Fr Patrick Cahill



Fr Conor McDonough O.P.



Michelle Ward

"An Ignite Ireland day conference, with special guest speaker Scott Hahn, will take place in Dublin on Saturday, 23rd of May. Scott Hahn is a well known writer and broadcaster, and is a much sought after speaker. It is an event not to be missed. For information and to book your ticket, go to: [www.dominicans.ie](http://www.dominicans.ie) "

### Shanganagh Cemetery Sunday

**Mass of Remembrance** takes place in [St Anne's Church](#), 31st May at 2pm. Followed by blessing of the Graves at 3pm in [Shanganagh Cemetery](#).



## Confirmation

Congratulations to all the young people who were confirmed here last Wednesday. Many thanks to their teachers who prepared them so well. Thanks also to Bishop Donal Roche who presided and to all the people who worked to make the day a memorable one.

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## Our Lady of Victories

Sallynoggin / Glenageary

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## The Ascension of the Lord

Matthew's Gospel presents Jesus commissioning His disciples before ascending into heaven. At first glance, the Ascension may seem like a moment of separation, but it is actually a moment of transformation. Jesus does not abandon His followers; instead, He entrusts them with continuing His work in the world.

The words "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations" challenge every Christian to live with purpose and courage. Faith is not meant to remain private or comfortable. The disciples were ordinary people who still struggled with doubt, yet Jesus still chose them. This reminds us that God does not wait for perfection before calling us to serve.

The Ascension also gives hope. Christ returns to the Father, opening the way for humanity to share in eternal life. His promise, "I am with you always," assures us that even when God feels distant, His presence remains constant through prayer, Scripture, and the Eucharist.

As we celebrate this feast, we are invited to lift our hearts toward heaven while remaining committed to bringing Christ's love, justice, and peace into our daily lives.

### PARISH STAFF:

Fr Robert Colclough, Administrator.

Rachel Higgins, Parish Secretary Tel: 01 2854667

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

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

RCN: 20016166



## Mass Times & Intentions

Sun 9.00 Anthony Kavanagh & Christina Doran+ a  
Daphne Bailey + anniv  
Maureen Vella-Whelan + b/day rem  
Una Murray +

11.00 Tommy & Kathleen McDermott + annivs  
Molly & Frank Vernon + annivs  
Andrew Higgins + anniv  
Cathal Fleming + anniv  
Ina McEvoy + anniv  
Billy Breathnach + anniv  
Gerard Sweeney + anniv

Mon 9.00 Con & Molly Ryan & Olga Geary +anniv  
Pat Lawlor + rec dec  
Jim Shakespeare + rec dec

Tue 9.00 Lil & Henry Fennell + annivs  
Annie Galgallon + rec dec  
Giuseppe Tagliarino + rec dec

Wed 9.00 Heaslip Family intentions  
Special Intention  
Catriona Lynch thank you

Thurs 9.00 Rebecca Ableman + rec dec  
Mary Ryan + rec dec  
Dermot Cruise + rec dec  
Jack Tiernan + anniv

Sat 9.00 Therese McDonagh +  
Helena McKeon + rec dec  
Jim Shakespeare + rec dec

Sun 9.00 Special Intention  
Rosemary Swords thank you  
Stephen Walsh + anniv  
Sheila Mullen + anniv

11.00 Pat Crowley + anniv  
Mary Mooney + anniv  
Maureen Roberts + anniv  
Sr Eileen Byrne + anniv  
Denis & Mary Ryan + anniv  
Emelia Castelino + rec dec

### MASS TIMES:

Sunday 9.00am, 11.00am,  
Monday - 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  
Adoration Chapel until 6pm.

### Miraculous Medal Novena

is prayed at all Masses on  
Monday.

### Saint Vincent de Paul:

086 063 7874  
[https://www.svp.ie/  
sallynogginglenagearyappeal25](https://www.svp.ie/sallynogginglenagearyappeal25)

### CSTV/Live Streaming

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

## Next Weekend's Readings

First Reading: Acts2:1-11

Psalm: 103

Second Reading: 1 Cor 12:3-7, 12-13

Gospel: Jn 20:19-23



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## Novena to the Holy Spirit 17th – 25th May 2026



for the renewal of the Church in the  
Archdiocese of Dublin. You are warmly  
invited to join once again with every parish in  
the diocese in a Novena to the Holy Spirit – our  
dedicated period of prayer, reflection and  
planning for the renewal of the Church in the  
Archdiocese of Dublin. The Novena will take  
place in the nine days from 17th – 25th May  
beginning on the Feast of the Ascension of the  
Lord, through Pentecost and continuing to the  
Feast of Mary, Mother of the Church.

### Prayer cards available in Church

### Our Dear Departed

#### Anniversaries:

Bridie Carey, Anthony Kavanagh, Christina Doran, Daphne Bailey,  
Tommy & Kathleen McDermott, Molly & Frank Vernon, Andrew Higgins,  
Cathal Fleming, Ina McEvoy, Billy Breathnach, Gerard Sweeney, Olga Geary,  
Con & Molly Ryan, Lil & Henry Fennell, Jack Tiernan.

Please remember them in your prayers



## Women's Breakfast



The next Women's Breakfast will be on  
**Saturday 6th of June** in the parish  
meeting room after the 9am Mass.  
Please contact Bridie McCarthy  
086 6038823 to register (even if you  
regularly attend). This helps to prevent  
food waste and ensures a place is set for  
everyone.

## LOST PROPERTY



There is a huge accumulation of  
lost property in the sacristy.  
There are multiple pairs of glasses  
and sunglasses. Various hats,  
gloves, umbrellas and scarves.  
If you are missing items perhaps  
we have them!! Call to the  
sacristy after any morning Mass  
to claim mislaid items.