



### The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of Heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, Our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into Hell; on the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into Heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God, the Father almighty; from there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and life everlasting. Amen.

### Official Family Prayer for World Meeting of Families 2018

God, Our Father, we are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son, One family, in the Spirit of your love. Bless us with the joy of love. Make us patient and kind, gentle and generous, welcoming to those in need. Help us to live your forgiveness and peace. Protect all families with your loving care, Especially those for whom we now pray: *[We pause and remember family members and others by name]* Increase our faith, Strengthen our hope, Keep us safe in your love, Make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share. This we ask, through Christ our Lord. Amen

**Planned Giving** - this weeks weekly envelope collection was €1053.30 Standing Orders for May: €4932 June: €4621  
Thanks to all who contributed and to the collectors

**CROSSCARE**- Social Support Agency of the Catholic Archdiocese of Dublin- Annual Collection for Community & Homeless Services will take place at all Masses **THIS weekend** Saturday / Sunday 15th / 16th September 2018

#### It will replace the normal SHARE Collection

Inspired by the example and teachings of Jesus Christ, Crosscare has: A VISION of a society where all people have the opportunity to fulfil their potential. A MISSION to provide innovation and relevant services to those most in need.

My Dear People,

This weekend the Annual Collection to support the work of Crosscare with vulnerable adults takes place and replaces the Share Collection at all Masses. Crosscare is the social support agency of the Archdiocese of Dublin and sets out to address the harsh consequences of poverty and disadvantage. For more than 75 years now Crosscare has mirrored the loving kindness of Jesus Christ by providing food, accommodation, information, education and support to those who are most in need. We are all aware of the crisis of homelessness and poverty that persists across our Diocese. This time last year, Crosscare had just opened its new family service in the former Mater Dei premises. In addition to offering dignified temporary accommodation for homeless families, since its doors opened the new service has sourced over 80 families with more permanent accommodation suitable to their needs. This is a great example of how your support helps

Crosscare achieve real results for vulnerable adults, children and families. Your continued generosity enables Crosscare develop new ways of working with vulnerable adults and provide support services across our parishes that will help build a better future for all. On behalf of the staff, volunteers and vulnerable adults in Crosscare, I would like to thank you for your generous support over the years. I know that all who work at Crosscare take their work and responsibility very seriously and I urge you to support them once again in this appeal.

Yours sincerely

+ Diarmuid Martin, Archbishop of Dublin.

**Harvest Dues:** The Harvest dues are a way of expressing appreciation to the priests of our parish for the work they do. As you know your Priests depend totally on the generosity and support of the People of God. The Harvest, Christmas and Easter dues offerings are vital in supporting the Priest's salary.

Harvest dues envelopes are available at the back of the Church and please place your envelope in the box marked Harvest dues in the middle of the Church or in the collection bags. Thank you.

### Weekday Mass Intentions St. Patrick's Church

**Mon 17th 10am:** Hugh Harte

**Tue 18th 10am:** Nellie & Richard Dorgan,  
Andy Byrne

**Wed 19th 10am:** Thomas Downey

**Thur 20th 10am:** Maureen Wood

**Fri 21st 10am:** Special intention

### Weekend Mass Intentions

#### St. Brigid's Church

**Saturday 6pm:** Neill & Tom Morrissey

**Sunday 11am:** Special intention

#### St. Patrick's Church

**Saturday: 6.30pm:** Philomena Cribbin, Phyllis & Anne Greene

**Sunday: 8.30am:** Mary & Peter Lynch

**9.30am:** Louise Maher

**11am:** Una Miller

**12.30pm:** Jim McGauran, Mons James Mulcahy, Creina Curran

**7pm:** Special intention

### Fundraising Concert

Island Of Ireland Peace Choir

with soloist

Kathryn Smith

On Saturday 6th October 2018

in

Celbridge Manor Hotel

All proceeds go to Lucan Disability Action  
and local charities

Doors open 6.30pm

Tickets €20 available in the sacristy or  
the parish office Spot prizes galore.

**Weekly Hour of Prayer for Life** will resume in October. It will take place every Thursday from 7pm - 8pm in St. Patrick's Church. (note change in time)

This weekly hour of prayer in front of the Blessed Sacrament invites us to pray for an end to all violence, injustice and neglect which threaten human flourishing. After 45mins of silent prayer we will pray the Night Prayer of the Church and finish with Benediction.

### WELLSPRINGS CENTRE

Wellsprings Centre will reopen on Mon 24th Sept

Monday 24th Art Class 10.00 am - 12.00 pm

### BRINGING THE BIBLE TO LIFE

An introduction to the Old Testament This Course will run every second Thursday from Oct to December. Starting Thursday - 4th October - 10.45 - 12.00 pm

See brochure for all the dates.

Booking essential: Please bring a Bible

### Mass Times: St. Patrick's Church, Celbridge

Saturday (Vigil) 6.30 pm,

Sunday: 8.30am, 9.30am, 11am, 12.30pm & 7pm.

**Weekday Mass:** 10am

**Holy Days:** Vigil 7pm & 10am, **Bank Holidays:** 10am.

### Mass Times: St Brigid's Church, Straffan

Saturday (Vigil) 6pm. Sunday 11am

**Weekday Mass** 9.15am

**Holy Days & Bank Holidays: 9.15am**

**Confessions:** Saturday after 6pm Mass

### Celbridge Christian Meditation Group

Meditation is a universal spiritual wisdom and a practice found at the core of all the great religious traditions. Christian Meditation is a way of prayer marked by silence stillness and simplicity -- prayer of the heart. In this prayer of silence, we go beyond words, thoughts and images into the presence of the loving God who dwells within each one of us. We use a short prayer or phase called a mantra.

Christian Meditation Ireland is part of the World Community for Christian Meditation which continues the work initiated 40 years ago by the Benedictine monk, John Main, to renew and share the ancient and simple Christian path of meditation.

We meet weekly on Wednesday at 7.30 p.m. in St John of Gods Oratory Clane Road Parking available on the left after the Mill. Entrance to the Oratory is through the 2nd Gate on the left-hand side after the carpark.

New members are welcome. No previous experience of meditation is necessary. Contact Lucy : 0872394734 or Jean : 0863923166 for information or just drop in.



### Weekly Parish Lotto

The profit from our Parish Lotto goes to developing our Parish and its outreach. The prize fund is now at its max **€10,500**.

The lotto envelopes can be placed in the safe at the back of the Church in St. Patricks and St. Brigid's and the collection bags at the week-end Masses.

**You pick four numbers between 1 -30** One line at just €2, 3 lines cost €5.

**This weeks numbers are First Jackpot: 24,17,22,27 Second Jackpot: 12,22,27,30**

No winners of 1st or 2nd Jackpot but our 3 consolation prize winners:

Bill Sheils, Dominic Cotter, Pat Hennessey

**Prizes can be collected in the Sacristy during weekend Mass times. Prizes have to be collected within 30 days of the draw.**

Our next draw will take place on Monday evening.

Please have your lotto envelopes submitted before 10.30am on Mondays

### The Parish Team

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Parish Office: Office hours Mon - Fri 9am - 1pm. (Closed Wednesday)

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