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PLANNED GIVING (Weekly Envelope Collection): €1,773. Standing Orders for August amounted to €4,286 (from 173 contributors). Your continued support is very much appreciated. Thanks to those who recently completed Standing Order forms. Thanks also to the collectors.

WELCOMING SERVICE

We are delighted to celebrate the first "Welcoming Service" in Straffan on this Sunday the 16th September. We will celebrate the "Welcoming Service" once a month (mostly 2nd Sunday of the month). During the "Welcoming Service" families will "present" their babies/children who are for baptism to the parish community.

Wellsprings Centre.

ART GROUP
 MONDAYS 10.00—12.00 NOON
 Resumes 17th September
 except Bank Holiday 29th October
 New members welcome

CENTERING PRAYER
 WEDNESDAYS 10.45—11.30
 Quiet reflective time, time spent alone with God in prayer.
 All Welcome
 Resumes 19th September
 Cuppa included

TAIZE PRAYER
 PRAYER AROUND THE CROSS
 Will take place in Wellsprings on September 21st



HAVE A LOOK

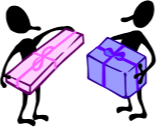
.... at the gifts we have

PARISH EXPO 2012

30th September, 9 - 1.30, Scoil Brid

A Celebration of Parish Gifts

A Celebration of Parish Life



The Annual Collection for **CROSSCARE** - the Social Care Agency of the Dublin Diocese
 Will be at all Masses
 Next weekend 22nd/ 23rd September
It will replace the normal SHARE Collection
 CROSSCARE is involved in a variety of social projects in Archdiocese of Dublin. CROSSCARE has continued to seek to redress poverty and social exclusion. In reaching out to those most in need, it operates 11 programmes throughout the Diocese.

Mass Times
St. Patrick's Church, Celbridge
 Saturday (Vigil) 6.30 pm
 Sunday: 8.30am, 9.30am, 11am (Family Mass)
 12.30pm & 7pm.
Weekday Mass: 10am & 7pm
Holy Days: 7pm (vigil), 8am, 10am, 12noon, 7pm.
Bank Holidays: 11am.
Confessions: Saturday after 10am Mass

Times
St Brigid's Church, Straffan
 Saturday (Vigil) 6pm.
 Sunday 11am.
Weekday Mass 9.15am.
Holy Days 10am.
Bank Holidays: 10am.
Confessions: Saturday after 6pm Mass

Baptisms:
St Patrick's Church: Sunday 2pm
St Brigid's Church: Last Sunday of the month at 12pm
Pre- Baptism meetings: To book contact the parish baptismal team 085 8519110.
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament :
St Patrick's Church: Friday morning before 10am Mass 9am - 9.50am).
St. Brigid's Church Friday morning after 9.15am Mass.

Weekend Mass Intentions

St. Brigid's Church

Sunday
 11am Bridge, Joe and Mina
St. Patrick's Church:
Saturday
 6.30pm: Jacinta Cotter
Sunday:
 8.30am Niall Power & Power, Lynch & Greene deceased family
 9.30am Louis Maher
 11am Nicholas & Catherine O'Hanlon
 12.30pm Annie Cummins, Nora O'Malley
 7pm Vincent, Edie & Noel McGee

Weekday Mass Intentions St. Patrick's Church

Monday 17th 10am Patrick McConnell **7pm** Mgr James Mulcahy
Tuesday 18th 10am Deceased Breslin & McKenna family **7pm** Joseph O'Flaherty
Wednesday 19th 10am Peter Curran, **7pm** Thomas & Anna Kennedy
Thursday 20th 10am Patricia King **7pm** Francis & Patricia Lee & deceased family
Friday 21st 10am John Lee **7pm** John Fitzsimons Snr. & Jnr.
Saturday 22nd 10am Sean Cotter.

We welcome into our faith community
 Amber Worth Kenny, AAliyah Worth Kenny,
 Isabelle Crean, Leah O'Daly Kearns
 & Ross Vennard.
 who was baptised recently



COME & SEE

Parish Cell Movement

Following the very successful Come & See programme in May, our parish held two 'Parish Cell Group' meetings over the Summer. These gave a glimpse, for those who came, into what Pope Benedict has called the power of the Holy Spirit sweeping the Church today – the Basic Christian Community (BCC). The International Parish Cell Movement is one of these BCCs. Located in countries the world over, and in a growing number of parishes in Ireland, the Cell Movement has two main objectives:

- To allow small groups of believers share together their faith and life journey
- To help others, through them, find the life that is found only in Jesus Christ

We are now at our next stage – the forming of new cell groups in our parish. We will contact soon, with the latest news, all those who have expressed an interest in exploring the life of the Cell group experience. Alternatively, if this is new to you, and you feel you would like to explore some of this potential yourself, please contact Maura (087 4141706) or Carmel (087 6521047) for information.

Important reminder

No literature is be placed in the Church without the expressed permission of the Parish Priest Fr. Paul Taylor.

This Sunday 16th August: Exposition & Benediction of Blessed Sacrament from 4pm to 5.30pm, concluding with evening prayer of the Church and Benediction at 5.15pm.
Wednesday 19th August: St Joseph's Young Priests Society meeting, directly after the evening Mass at 7pm in the meeting room beside the Sacristy, new members welcome

"Happy in the Presence" choir is looking for members to sing at the 11 am Family Mass on Sundays.
 Choir is open to boys and girls from 3rd class upwards. Those who have moved to second level may continue to sing with the choir - we would love to have them. If you play a musical instrument bring it along. Attend one of our practices and fill in the membership form to join. No fee. Make friends, have fun, learn to read music.
Where? Church - entrance gate on right leading to room adjoining sacristy at rear.
When? We practice on Thursdays 6.30 to 7.00pm.
Contact? Grainne 0876206845 Expo on September 30th - see you there!
Adults who would be interested in assisting choir or playing instrument alongside us are also most welcome.

