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PLANNED GIVING: Weekly Envelope Collection: €2243.33. We sincerely appreciate your generosity to the Planned Giving Collection which is the only collection used for the maintenance of the parish. Thanks also to the collectors.

Dates for your Diary:

This Sunday 1st November 2015 - at 3pm The Blessing of the Graves in Donacomper. The blessing of the Graves in Straffan will take place on the same day at 12noon. Our Parish Funeral Ministry Team will be assisting the Priest in the blessing of the individual graves on All Saints Day. In sprinkling Holy Water we are reminded of our Baptism as brothers and sisters of Christ and promised eternal life. The committee will be holding a cemetery gate collection on the day for the upkeep and maintenance of the Cemetery. Thank you all in anticipation for your support.

Wednesday 4th November 2015 - 7pm The Annual Mass for parishioners who died during the year. As a parish community we gather on that evening with family members of those who died to remember them in our prayers and to support their loved ones in this time of loss. The parish Bethany Group is helping to organise the Mass and the Folk Group will lead the music.

November 2nd - All Soul's Day.

A day of special remembrance and prayer for the dead.

Norms for Indulgences at the Commemoration of All Souls.

1. From 12 o'clock noon on the 1st of November until midnight on the 2nd November, all who have confessed, received Holy Communion, and prayed for the Pope's intentions (one Our Father and Hail Mary, or any other prayer of one's choice) can gain one plenary indulgence by visiting a Church or Oratory, and there reciting one Our Father and the Apostle's Creed.

This indulgence is applicable only to the souls of the departed. Holy Communion may be received on any day from 1st to 8th November.

2. The faithful who visit a Cemetery and pray for the dead may gain a plenary indulgence applicable only to the Holy Souls on the usual conditions once per day from 1st to 8th November. The conditions mentioned above apply also for this.

What are Indulgences? Indulgences are the remission before God of the temporal punishment due to sins whose guilt has already been forgiven. The faithful Christian who is duly disposed gains the indulgence under prescribed conditions for either himself or the departed. Indulgences are granted through the ministry of the Church which, as the dispenser of the grace of redemption, distributes the treasury of the merits of Christ and the Saints.

Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church, 3 12 (published by Veritas, 2006). See CCC, 1471-9, 1498.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated after the 10am Mass next Saturday morning 7th November (first Saturday). This Sacrament will be offered to those who are suffering from illness.

Child Protection Training

Anybody involved in interacting and caring with children in anyway within our parish for example our Confirmation programme, Play and Pray on Sunday mornings, Altar Servers, First Holy Communion programme, Baptism Team, Funeral Ministry Team must complete the Child protection programme of the Diocese.

The parish has organised two sessions to complete this requirement. They will take place on Monday the 2nd and 9th November in the school hall at Scoil Brid from 7pm sharp until 9.30pm. Both sessions have to be attended in order to complete the process. Any parishioners who are interested in being qualified in the Child Protection Training are welcome to attend as well.

Another two sessions have been organised for those who cannot attend the Monday nights -Wednesday 11th and 18th November. Details later

The Parish Pastoral Council

The present Parish Pastoral Council is coming to the end of its term of office. We thank them for their good work they have been doing in coordinating parish initiatives. The PPC is a very important asset for the development and nurturing of parish life.

If you would like to nominate somebody for the PPC, just ask them first and then put forward their name to the Parish Priest. We hope to have an election within the next 8 weeks. The PPC meet nine times a year.

Weekend Mass Intentions:

St. Brigid' Church

6pm Edward, Mary & Bernadette Coyne

11am Bill O' Neill

St. Patrick's Church:

Saturday

6.30pm: June Curtis

Sunday

8.30am: Mary (Mae) Simpson

9.30am: Jaimé Eude

11am: Mary (Norris) Carroll

12.30pm: Bridget Maloney

7pm: Rita Russell (1st Anniversary)
James Rubotham Snr

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Lord God, whose days are without end and whose mercies beyond counting, keep us mindful that life is short and the hour of death unknown. Let your Spirit guide our days on earth in the ways of holiness and justice, that we may serve you in union with the whole Church, sure in faith, strong in hope, perfect in love. And when our earthly journey is ended, lead us rejoicing into your kingdom, where you live for ever and ever. Amen.

Mass Times

St. Patrick's Church, Celbridge

Saturday (Vigil) 6.30 pm

Sunday 8.30am, 9.30am, 11am, 12.30pm

Weekday Mass: 10am & 7pm

Holy Days: 7pm (vigil), 8am, 10am, 7pm.

Bank Holidays: 11am.

Confessions: Saturday after 10am Mass

Mass Times

St Brigid's Church

Saturday (Vigil) 6pm.

Sunday 11am.

Weekday Mass 9.15am.

Holy Days 10am.

Confessions: Saturday after 6pm Mass

Weekday Mass Intentions

Mon 2nd 10am: Philomena McGinty **7pm** Patrick & Alice, Kay Cornally Sr. Camillus

Tues 3rd 10am: Tom & Esther Dignam **7pm:** Kay Reilly, Pat and Alice Cornally

Wed 4th 10am: Shane Clyne. Kathleen Condron
7pm: Annual Mass for parishioners who died during the year

Thur 5th 10am: Catherine Campion **7pm:** Anna McGarrisle

Fri 6th 10am: Altar list of the dead **7pm:** Altar list of the dead

Sat 7th 10am: Frank Duff

Priests Roster for the Masses Weekend 7th / 8th November

St. Patrick's. - Vigil **6.30pm:** Fr. Kevin **Sunday: 8.30am:** Fr. Kevin
9.30am: Fr. Douglas **11am:** Fr. Kevin **12.30pm:** Fr. Paul **7pm:** Fr. Paul
St. Brigid's. - **Saturday 6pm:** Fr. Douglas **Sunday 11am:** Fr. Douglas

Rosters for 7th/ 8th November 2015

Ministers of the Word (Readers)

6.30pm: C. Ramos

9.30am: R. Kavanagh

12.30pm: M. Macapaz

8.30am: J. Murphy

11am: D. Jackson

7pm: C. Anderson

Eucharistic Ministers

6.30pm: W. Lynch, C. Wynne, J. Wynne

8.30am: H. Boothman, B. Quinlan

9.30am: A. Byrne, A. Melinn, R. Melvin

11am: I. Murray, A. O' Connell, P. Sexton

12.30pm: M. O'Shea, B. Ryan, L. White, A. Condell

7pm: C. Barry, C. Walsh, R. Gajkowski

St Vincent de Paul Society: This weekend the St Vincent de Paul Society will be holding their usual monthly collection after all Masses. Your support, ever appreciated, helps us to alleviate to some extent the needs of the less fortunate among us. Thank you for your support.

November Altar List of the Dead: The November Altar List of the Dead envelopes are available at the back of the Church. Throughout the year all the Masses on the first Friday's of the month are offered for the happy repose of the souls of those named in the November list donation envelopes. Please place your completed envelopes in the box located at the offertory table midway down the Church.

For the attention of the members of the Baptism Team:

The Baptism preparation meetings on Tuesday evenings are changing from 8pm to 7.30pm from 3rd November 2015.

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.

Baptisms

St Patrick's Church: Sunday 2pm

St Brigid's Church: Last Sunday of the month at 12pm

Pre- Baptism meetings: To book contact 0858662255