



Newsletter for Christmas Day



We wish everyone a very Happy Christmas and a big word of thanks to all who contributed to our Christmas celebrations, especially the music groups, church cleaners, flower ladies, readers, special ministers, altar servers, collectors, stewards, the children who took part in the nativity play, Mr. King and the parents and children from Scoil na Mainistreach who took part in the nativity play and the choir, our sacristians Myles in St. Patrick's and Josie in St. Brigid's, our parish secretary Bernadette, and parish pastoral worker Christina.

A special word of thanks to the children taking part today in the television Mass on RTE. Heartfelt thanks to Grainne and Eimear for their work with the choir and Evelyn at the piano.



St Patrick's Church



St Stephens Day Mass 11am.

Tuesday 27th Mass 11am.

Month's Mind Mass for Nancy Murray 12 noon.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday Mass at 10am & 7.30pm.



Confirmation 2012

Candidates for confirmation who missed out on the enrollment ceremony recently are reminded that they can enrol at the ceremony on January 5th at 6.30pm in St Patrick's Church

MERRY CHRISTMAS

St Brigid's Church

St Stephen's Day Mass 10am

Tuesday 27th 10am

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday
9.15am

Blessing for the children baptised in 2011

Important Notice

Next **Sunday the 1st January** and the following Sunday the **8th January** RTE are broadcasting the radio Mass from Celbridge.

Mass will be at 10am

No 9.30am Mass

The 11am Mass will be at **11.15am** to allow the car park to clear.

St Vincent de Paul

Thank you for your support and generous contributions which will make a big difference to the people in need locally at this difficult time for many.



Gifts of time and love are surely the basic ingredients of a truly **Merry Christmas.**



The parish office will be closed from the 24th December until the 4th January 2012. If necessary please contact one of the priests of the parish

Christmas Dues

Christmas dues offering envelopes are available at the back of the Church. The contributions made by the parishioners for the support of the priests of the parish is deeply appreciated.

THANK YOU.



Play & Pray

Our parish pastoral worker Christina has recently established the pray and pray group. The volunteer leaders take the young children for a child centered reflection on the word of God in the sacristy during the mass. If you would like to volunteer to be part of the team your help would be welcome, Please contact Christina on 085