

The Parish Team

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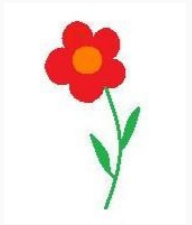
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PLANNED GIVING: Weekly envelope collection €1861.63
 Thanks for your contributions and thanks also to the collectors.

A Weekly Hour of Prayer for Life from 7.30pm-8.30pm.

We live in a world where there are many threats and dangers to human life and wellbeing. 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.




It is Jesus who says it:
 "Come away by yourselves and rest a while"

Hope
Love
Healing
Peace
Rest

Saint Raphael's Chapel
 Next Friday (17th)
 8 pm — 9 pm

Gentle Prayer and Music and Story by Candlelight

What is it? It is Prayer for the Soul



Parish Mission will be happening from Mon 20th to 23rd March.

A floor safe has been placed in both of our churches. In St. Patrick's church the safe is located on the floor immediately to the right of the inner door facing the statue of St. Therese of Lisieux. In St. Brigid's Straffan the safe is on the floor just beside the entrance door for the confessional. Any envelopes for family offerings etc. can be dropped in these safes if the office or the sacristy is closed. Many thanks.

The side gate and side door entrance into St. Patrick's church will be locked after morning Mass until evening Mass time excluding funerals, weddings etc. This is for health and safety reasons.

The annual collection to support the work of ACCORD with marriage preparation and counselling replaces the shared collection at all Masses next Sunday the 18th/19th



Neven Maguire is giving a cookery demonstration in the Salesian College next Wednesday evening, February 15th. The event is a fundraiser for the school.

Wellsprings Centre Upcoming Events
 Bookings now being taken for:

- Reflection Day 11th March 10.30 am – 4.30pm Led by Fr Brian McKittrick, cost 20€
- Icon Course with Mihai Cucu 29th May – 3rd June see brochure for more details

February Events
 Paper Craft Club: Thursday 16th February, 7.30 – 9.45 pm
 Art of Sieger Koder: Tuesday 21st February, 7.30 – 8.30pm
 Taize Prayer: Friday 24th February 8.00 – 9.00pm

Weekend Mass Intentions

St. Brigid's Church

Saturday 6pm: Special Intention
Sunday 11am: Special Intention

St. Patrick's Church

Saturday

6.30pm: Fidelma Concannon, Joseph Thornton
Sunday

8.30am: Agnes Holohan
9.30am: Kathleen O'Sullivan, Elizabeth & James Mulrooney, Geraldine Scally
11am: Special Intention
12.30pm: Sean O'Connor, Michael & Anne Murphy
7pm: Eamonn O'Ceallaigh, Kathleen Kelly, Kitty & Mick

Weekday Mass Intentions St. Patrick's Church

Monday 13th 10am: Patrick, Brigid & Julia White
7pm: John & Kathleen Murphy, Simon McNulty

Tuesday 14th 10am: Mary, Michael and Declan Martin
7pm: Special Intention

Wednesday 15th 10am: Harry Pedreschi
7pm: Jack and Juita Tallon

Thursday 16th 10am: Daniel Meehan, Brian Murphy
7pm: Special Intention

Friday 17th 10am: Special Intention
7pm: Geraldine White (Month's Mind), Betty (Jane) Heart

Saturday 18th 10am: David & Josephine O'Sullivan

Rosters for 18th / 19th February 2017

Ministers of the Word (Readers)

6.30pm: M. Donovan	8.30am: M. Brannelly	9.30am: M. Lebech
11am: L. Maher	12.30pm: J. Rogers	7pm: J. Bermingham

Roster for Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

6.30pm: P. Donohoe, B. Preston	8.30am: H. Boothman, B. Quinlan
9.30am: McLoughlin, D. McDonnell, M. Watters	
11.00am: J. Murphy, I. Murray, A. O'Connell	
12.30pm: L. White, A. Condell, D. Harkness, M. O'Shea	
7pm: C. Barry	

Priests Roster for the Masses Weekend 18th/19th February

St. Brigid's - Sat 6pm: Fr. Brian
Sun 11am: Fr. Jacob

St. Patrick's - Sat 6.30pm: Fr. Kevin
Sun 8.30am: Fr. Paul **9.30am:** Fr. Brian
11.00am: Fr. Paul **12.30am:** Fr. Kevin
7pm: Fr. Kevin

Celbridge and Straffan Mother's Prayer Group The next meeting of the parish mother's prayer group takes place on Tuesday 14th Feb at 8pm in St Brigid's Church, Straffan. Mothers of all ages are very welcome. We hope to see you there!

26th Divine Mercy Conference

24th, 25th & 26th February 2017

"Have Mercy on Us and on the Whole World" (Chaplet of Mercy)

Main Hall, RDS, Ballsbridge, Dublin 4
 Tickets: Saturday €30, Sunday €20, Weekend €35
 Available online by Paypal and at the door
 For group bookings or enquiries phone: 086 066 9203
 Email: divinemercyconference@gmail.com
 Conference Hours: Saturday 9am-9pm, Sunday 9am-5pm

The Conference opens with Confessions, Mass and Adoration on Friday 24th February from 7pm - open to all, no ticket required for the vigil, doors open from 6:30pm

Live webcast throughout the weekend - see www.divinemercyconference.com

Thank you for your prayer and support for this great annual event!

Recently deceased - Tom McAuley

Sadly missed by his wife Kay, two sons Mark and Ryan and Marks wife Gail, his sisters Joan and Trish and brother Paul. Tom had a great interest in horses and worked as a veterinary supplier. Among the symbols brought up to celebrate his life was his riding hat and hunting horn. Also brought up was a book representing his love of reading and his school rugby jersey. Finally a symbol of rosary beads which represented his faith which was very strong in this life. The music chosen for the funeral represented his great love for church music and he was fond of joining in with the choir at Sunday Mass. He was a dedicated husband and father. May he rest in peace.

Prayer for Life

O Mary, bright dawn of the new world,
 Mother of the living, to you do we entrust
 the cause of life. Look down, O Mother,
 upon the vast numbers of babies not allowed to be born.

Grant that we may listen with open
 and generous hearts to every word which
 proceeds from the mouth of God.

Thus we shall learn not to kill human life,
 but also to revere life, to love it,
 and to foster it. Amen
 Pope Saint John Paul II