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PLANNED GIVING: Weekly envelope collection €1651.33
 Thanks for your contributions and thanks also to the collectors.

Please Note:
Good Friday. Don't forget that Good Friday is a day of fasting and abstinence from all meat products. We do this as a gesture of solidarity with the suffering of Jesus who died on the cross on Good Friday.
 The **Trocaire** boxes can be returned to the church from Easter onwards.
 The **Holy week timetable and Easter dues** envelopes are now available at the back of the church.

The Sunshine Fund of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul is holding its annual collection outside this church and all Dublin churches this weekend. Each year, The Sunshine Fund provides much-needed holidays for approximately 1,000 of Dublin's less fortunate children. The Advocate collection is the only way the Sunshine Fund can finance these holidays. Please be as generous as you can. Thank you
 - Sunshine Fund

Advanced Notice
 A special Divine Mercy Sunday celebration (23/4/2017), will start at 3pm in St Patrick's Church Celbridge, with the blessing/ veneration of the Divine Mercy Image, followed by the recitation of the chaplet. It will conclude with Holy Mass and a blessing with St Faustina's Relic. It is hoped to have confessions available on the day. The novena leading up to this feast starts on Good Friday and leaflets are available at the back of the church.

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



Weekly Parish Lotto
 The profit from our Parish Lotto will go to developing our Parish and its outreach.
 The prize fund is now €1500 and will increase weekly until won. The lotto envelopes are available at the back of the church in St. Patricks and on the top of the safe in St. Brigid's beside the confessional.
 One line (you pick four numbers between 0-30) at just €2, 3 lines cost €5.



This weeks numbers are First Jackpot: 21, 30, 12, 6.
 Second Jackpot: 18, 17, 26, 19.
 No winners of our first or second jackpot but our 7 consolation prize winners are:

- Patsy Sloan
- Carmel Hurley
- Carmel O'Brien
- Seán Butler
- Christine Rosney
- Mary Hayden
- Elizabeth Keane

Please support our Lotto!
 Our next draw will take place every Monday evening. Please have your lotto envelopes submitted before 10.30am on the day the draw takes place.

Weekend Mass Intentions
St. Brigid's Church
Saturday 6pm: Jessica O'Hagan Murphy & James O'Hagan
Sunday 11am: Thomas Francis Burke, Patricia Lynch
St. Patrick's Church
Saturday
6.30pm: Peter Daly
Sunday
8.30am: Maura Boothman, Patrick, Mary & Paddy Bermingham
9.30am: Maura Boothman (Month's Mind)
11am: Kathleen O'Sullivan
12.30pm: Olly Maloney, Liam Hyde
7pm: Paddy Cooke

Priests Roster for the Masses Weekend
15th/16th March
St. Brigid's - Sat 9pm: Fr. Brian
Sun 11am: Fr. Paul
St. Patrick's - Sat 9pm: Fr. Paul
Sun 8.30am: Fr. Brian **9.30am:** Fr. Brian
11.00am: Fr. Jacob **12.30am:** Fr. Kevin
No Evening Mass
The Holy Week Timetable is now available at the back of the church.

Celbridge and Straffan Mother's Prayer Group
 The next meeting of the parish mother's prayer group takes place on Tuesday 11th April at 8pm in St Brigid's Church, Straffan.
 Mothers of all ages are very welcome. We will pray for our children, the children of the parish and children world-wide.
 We hope to see you there!



Weekday Mass Intentions St. Patrick's Church
Monday 10th 10am: Peter Daly
7pm: Claire O'Leary
Tuesday 11th 10am: Peter & Kathleen Sherry
7pm: Special Intention, James & Elizabeth McGarry, Christina Wallace
Wednesday 12th 10am: Mona O'Connell
7pm: Patricia Cullen, Greg McDonald
Easter vigil and Easter Sunday : Mass intentions per Easter List.

Rosters for 15th/16th April 2017
Roster for Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist
6.30pm: P. Donohoe, B. Preston, P. Rourke
8.30am: H. Boothman, B. Quinlan
9.30am: G. 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, N. Devaney

Lenten Gardening Time
 Are you wondering how you're going to get to work on your LENTEN garden? I have a few suggestions about working on a special garden - the garden of life. You might think that you are not an expert gardener, but **the** gardener, God, is there waiting, inviting, challenging **you** to do the following jobs.

FIRST LOOK AT THE WEEDS:

- Weed out wanting to be right. Weed out wanting my own way. Weed out the desire to correct others. Weed out indifference. Weed out pride. Weed out gossip.

PLANT FIVE ROWS OF PEAS:

- Patience, Peace, Promptness, Politeness, Prayer.

THEN PLANT SOME ROWS OF LETTUCE:

- Let us be Faithful, Let us be Loving, Let us be Useful, Let us be Trustful, Let us be Grateful. Let us Listen.

THEN THE RELIABLE TURNIPS:

- Turn up on Time, Turn up with a Smile, Turn up with a new Idea, Turn up with new Determination. Turn up with a blessing for others. Turn up knowing you are blessed by God. Turn up with help for those in need.

HAPPY LENTEN GARDENING
 With thanks to Sr. Mairead

