



**Planned Giving** - weekly envelope collection amount was €1058.70.  
Thanks to all who contributed through the standing orders and the Planned Giving. Thanks also to the collectors and counters.

### The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of Heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, Our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended into Hell; on the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into Heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God, the Father almighty; from there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and life everlasting.

Amen.

### Please Support our Weekly Parish Lotto

The profit from our Lotto goes to developing our Parish. The prize fund is now at €2700. The lotto envelopes can be placed in the safe at the back of the Church in St. Patricks & St. Brigid's & the collection bags at the Masses.

**You pick four numbers between 1 -30**

**One line just €2, 3 lines €5.**

This week the numbers were:

**1st draw:** 15,22,2,25. **2nd draw:** 10, 6, 25, 3

3 consolation prize winners :

Kath McIntyre, Trish Birmingham, Pat Molloy.

Prizes can be collected in the Sacristy during weekend Mass times. Prizes have to be collected within 30 days of the draw.

Our next draw will take place on Monday afternoon.

Envelopes must be submitted before 10.30am on Mondays



### Message from Fr. Paul P.P.

After nearly 12 years in the parish, including 9 years as P.P. the archbishop has appointed Fr. Paul Taylor as P.P. of Rathgar in Dublin.

The new P.P. will be Fr. Joe McDonald who has been P.P. in St. Matthews, Ballyfermot for the past 8 years.

Fr. Brian McKittrick is appointed to be Co-P.P. in Avoca, Co. Wicklow.

Both Fr. Paul and Fr. Brian have been very happy working in the large Parish of Celbridge & Straffan and greatly inspired by the faith, talents and commitment of so many of our parish community.

In a wide range of ministries and service hundreds of parishioners have been involved in building up and caring for one another as sisters and brothers of Jesus Christ in our Catholic Parish.

The Priest is the servant of the faith community. He seeks through sharing the good news of Jesus Christ and celebrating the sacraments which unite us all more deeply in Jesus Christ and help us to become more effectively what we became in our baptism; children of God and sisters and brothers of Jesus.

The work of welcome, care and encouragement is a joint task of Priest's and People. Let us all resolve to continue to make the "light of Christ" shine in our parish.

As your priest's prepare to move on, they carry many happy memories and find light and inspiration as they reflect on the faith, courage and love so many of you show.

Fr. Paul Taylor P.P. tel 6275874

Fr. Brian McKittrick 6288827

Fr. Jacob Shanet 6012303

**Parish Office hours Mon - Fri 9am - 1pm. (Closed Wednesday)**

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### Our Parish Mission Statement:

"As Believers in Jesus Christ and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we seek to live and share the joy of His Gospel message".

### Weekend Mass Intentions

#### St. Brigid's Church

**Saturday 6pm:** Carmel Doran, Margaret McLoughlin

**Sunday 11am:** Thomas & Frances Burke, Daniel Denner

#### St. Patrick's Church

**Sat: 6.30pm:** Shane Fleming, Breda Farrell

**Sun: 8.30am:** Special intention

**9.30am:** Ned Fitzgerald, Brendan McWey

**11am:** Special intention, Catherine Rogan

**12.30pm:** Lorraine Flynn, Christy Wallace, Maureen Woods

**7pm:** Martin Bergin

### Weekday Mass Intentions St. Patrick's Church

**Mon 22nd 10am:** Special intention, Mae Flanagan

**Tue 23rd 10am:** David & Josephine O' Sullivan, Special intention

**Wed 24th 10am:** Philomena Fay, special intention

**Thur 25th 10am:** Jim Campion

**Fri 26th 10am:** Julia o' Connor, Jim Campion

**Sat 27th 10am:** James Maher

### LEGION OF MARY

Meet every Monday night at 7pm in the St. Eustace Centre (Parochial House) Main St. Celbridge. New members urgently needed. Further information from Marion 087 219 0429.

### WHERE YOUR MONEY GOES

#### COLLECTION 1

This money the 1st Collection whether you put it in the envelope or directly in the collection bags goes to the Common Fund of the Diocese to support the Priests of the Diocese including sick and retired Priests.

#### COLLECTION 2

This money the 2nd collection (SHARE) goes to the Diocese to pay for Diocesan Development & Services and contributes to initiatives of the Irish Bishops' Conference.

#### ENVELOPES / STANDING ORDERS

PLANNED GIVING: This money is the MAIN source of income for the Parish covering: Parish Operational Costs, Sacramental Programme's, Parish Maintenance and Development.

### ST. FRANCIS'S PRAYER BEFORE THIS CRUCIFIX



All-highest, glorious God, cast your light into the darkness of my heart.

Give me right faith, firm hope, perfect charity and profound humility, with wisdom and perception, O Lord, so that I may do what is truly your holy will.

Amen.

The Crucifix which spoke to St. Francis

### Mass Times St Brigid's Church, Straffan

Saturday (Vigil) 6pm. Sunday 11am

Weekday Mass 9.15am

Confession before Mass Saturday at 6pm

Adoration Friday Mornings after Mass for an hour.

**Mass Times: St. Patrick's Church, Celbridge:** Saturday (Vigil) 6.30 pm, Sunday: 8.30am, 9.30am, 11am, 12.30pm & 7pm.

**Weekday Mass: 10am Holy Days: 10am, 7pm.**

**Bank Holidays: 10am. Confessions: Saturday after 10am Mass**