

HOLY FAMILY PARISH

12 February 2017 6th Sunday of the Year
Readings: Sunday A Psalter: Week 2



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PARISH MASSES TIMES & ADORATION

Holy Family Church

Mon-Fri: 9.15am, Sat Vigil: 6.30pm, Sun 10 & 12
Confessions: Sat 5.45pm – 6.15pm
Adoration: Mon 10am – 4pm

St Thérèse Church

Mon-Sat: 10am, Sat Vigil: 6pm, Sun 10.30 & 12
Confessions: Sat 5.15pm – 5.45pm
Holy Mass in the Extraordinary Form 3rd Tues & 2nd
Sun of the month
Perpetual Adoration: Sun 1pm – Sat 5.45pm

REST IN PEACE

Recently deceased: Mary Goldsmith, nee Ferguson (Warrenpoint); Una McMahon; Fergus Manning

Month's Mind

Anniversaries: John and Molly Martin; Eileen Bell; Marie Malone; Gerry Devine & The Devine Family; George & Cassie McCullough; Abraham Pothen; Kathleen Ferguson; Angela Faherty; Gerald McMahon; James McMahon

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM O LORD

COLLECTIONS

The **weekly collection** on Sunday 05 February came to £3251.73. Many thanks for your continued support.

100 CLUB BUILDING FUND – WEEK 41

£200 – **Angela Mullan**, Victoria Gdns & **Angela Mullan**, Cavehill Road

£100 – **M Sheppard**, Glanworth Drive & **Betty Sowney**, Glebe Villas

Promoter's Prize – **Mary Begley**

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WINNERS!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Today-Sunday 12th February at 3pm in Holy Family Church - Mass with Anointing of the Sick and Blessing of Carers. Refreshments will be served afterwards.

-GIFT 2 Programme for Year 9 young people (see notice at the bottom of the page).

GROUPS AT PARISH CENTRE, CAVEHILL RD

Resurrection Nursery & Playgroup Monday - Friday
Geoff's Yoga Classes Tuesdays (6.30pm), Wednesdays (10am, 11.30am, 6.30pm and 8pm) and Thursdays (9.30am and 11am). £20 for 5 weeks. 07759266713.

Parent & Toddlers Mondays and Tuesdays (10am)

Beavers Mondays (7pm)

FitSteps Mondays (8.15pm). Susan -
suspirefitness@gmail.com

Karate Tuesdays (7pm)

Spred Every 2nd Tuesday (7pm)

Adult Irish Dancing Tuesdays (8.30pm) See below.

Crafts/Sewing Wednesdays (10am)

Cubs and Scouts Wednesdays (7pm)

Whist Wednesdays (7.30pm)

Bridge Wednesdays (7.30pm) & Sundays (7pm)

Irish Dancing Thursdays (5pm)

Indoor Bowls Thursdays (7pm)

APOSTOLIC WORK

A Coffee Morning will be held in 110 Somerton Road on Saturday 18th February 2017 after 10.00am Massopposite St Therese Church. All proceeds in aid of our Missions.

POPE SAINT JOHN PAUL II AWARDS

Congratulations to the following Year 14 parishioners who received their Pope Saint John Paul II Awards on Thursday evening - Niall Armstrong, Aoife Bannon, Caitlin Brown, Amy Clarke, Leontia Commander, Catriona Duffy, Catherine Fitzsimons, Julie Greer, Kevin Joy, Tara McCullough, Megan McGrath, Emma McLaughlin, Michael McNamee, Caitlin McTasney, Shauna Molloy, Anna Mulholland, Ciaran Murray, Natasha O'Prey, Ciara O'Rawe, Amber Rossi, Shaina Salan, Eamon Sheridan, John Smye, Shauna Tully, Wiktoria Zborowska.

During the last 18 months they have undertaken a range of liturgical and social commitments e.g. hospitality, welcoming, Children's Liturgy, helping with the delivery of the GIFT Programme. The parish community appreciates the time and commitment of the young people and wishes them well as they prepare to take their examinations

GIFT [GROWING IN FAITH TOGETHER] 2 - CALLING ALL YEAR 9 YOUNG PEOPLE

The wait is nearly over - our GIFT 2 programme will start on Wednesday 22nd February, 7 - 9pm in Holy Family Gathering Space and continue on Wednesday 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th March and conclude on Saturday 1st April at the 6.30pm Vigil Mass. Registration: 6.45pm on Wednesday 22nd February. Have fun, learn more about your faith, make new friends, learn new crafts, enjoy music and song. Come along and bring your friends - we look forward to seeing you.

LEGION OF MARY (LOM)

The local praesidium needs members. If you can spare approx. 2 hours per week, please consider prayerfully becoming a LOM worker. This invaluable apostolate reaches those who might not usually attend Church. It brings the Catholic Faith message to the heart of homes. The local praesidium meets on Monday evenings at 7.30pm in the Gate Lodge, in the grounds of Holy Family Church.

RANG DAMHSA SEIT

(Set dance class in Irish). 3pm – 4.30pm starting today Sunday 12 February, Aras Mhic Reachtain, 283-289 Antrim Road.

LAGANSIDE SINFONIA

Thanks to all those who came along and supported our 'American Classics' concert on 29th December 2016 at Girdwood Community Hub. The amount raised for the Welcome Organisation was £2178.30! For information about future concerts please visit www.lagansidesinfonia.co.uk

REMINDERS

Cuppa & craic in the Gate Lodge every Wednesday at 9.15am.

Please register/update your details with the Parish Office.

Visit the Parish website www.holy-familyparish.com to view the bulletin, visit our facebook page or find out what's happening in the Parish. Not forgetting the webcam, which broadcasts all Masses and ceremonies in Holy Family Church.

MASSES IN THE COMING WEEK

HOLY FAMILY

Sat 18th (6.30pm) **Susan O'Hara**

Sun 19th (10am) **Christopher Matthews MM**

Sun 19th (12 noon) **James Feighan**

ST THÉRÈSE

Thurs 16th (10am) **Abraham Pothen**

Sun 19th (12 noon) **Bernie Cunningham & The Cunningham Family**

DIOCESAN CENTENARY PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA

Led by the Most Reverend Noel Treanor DD. 25 July - 03 Aug (£709) or 27 July – 03 Aug (£659). Contact Joe Catney on 90714001 or 07776425631.

LIVING YOUTH PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK 2017

3rd – 6th July (£250).

Also....some places left on the Living Youth Habitat for Humanity Global Village trip to Ethiopia 10 -22 July 2017. For more information contact info@livingyouthni.org.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

Full board in 3* hotel.. 7 nights (10-17 July) for £675 or 5 nights (11-16 July) for £590. Full board for sick or infirm pilgrims with medical and nursing care in Accueil Notre-Dame: 5 nights (11-16 July) for £490. Youth Team (08-17 July) £550. Application forms now available from the Parish Office. Pilgrimage Office 90646040 or lourdes:downandconnor.org.

FRIENDS OF ST THÉRÈSE PILGRIMAGES

To Divine Mercy Shrine in Krakow and Medjugorje. Contact 07514908666/daniel.morgan5@btconnect.com

MEDJOGORJE PILGRIMAGES 2017

Contact 0035314434510 or email reservations@medirishcentre.com

DIOCESAN VOCATION WEEKEND

Drumalis Retreat Centre, Friday 17 – Sunday 19 February 2017. Contact: Fr Kevin McGuckien on 90614567 or email: k.mcguckien@downandconnor.org.

CAN YOU HELP?

The Chernobyl Children Appeal urgently require families to host children for a three week health break this summer. The short time the children spend with us greatly improves their health and boosts their immune system. Please contact Mairead on 07752399393 (after 7pm).

INTERDENOMINATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

For the upcoming elections. Sat 18th Feb, 10am – 5pm in Lisburn Cathedral. Contact 92602400 or 90311532.

PRO-LIFE INFORMATION MEETING

Precious Life will be hosting an information evening regarding the upcoming elections with advice on candidates and their stance on abortion. Thurs 16th Feb @7:30pm in St Bernard's Parish Centre, Glengormley. All welcome. Contact Precious Life on 02890278484 or email info@preciouslife.com

POPE FRANCIS INVITES US TO CELEBRATE ST. VALENTINE'S DAY!

In his document on The Joy of Love (Amoris Laetitia), Pope Francis refers directly to Saint Valentine's Day as an opportunity to make the most of traditional religious practices, invite couples to grow in love and help their children to prepare for their future married life. This is why, as part of the preparations for World Meeting of Families in Ireland in August 2018, we invite you to mark this St. Valentine's Day in a special way. The WMOF2018 office has prepared flyers with ideas on how to mark this special day and gift tokens that you can give to your loved ones this 14th February. These are available in each Cathedral across Ireland, Veritas Shops and Accord centres and can also be downloaded from the WMOF2018 website: www.worldmeeting2018.ie. We also invite you to subscribe to the WMOF2018 newsletter to receive the latest updates on preparations for World Meeting of Families 2018 by email <http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie/contact> and follow us on social media: Facebook www.facebook.com/wmof2018 and Twitter [www.twitter.com/wmof2018](https://twitter.com/wmof2018)

NEXT WEEK'S BULLETIN

Please note that items for next weekend's bulletin must be with the Parish Office by 12 noon on Tuesday 14th. Anything sent after that date will not be included.

CHILDREN'S CORNER

Q: What did one boat say to the other?

A: Are you up for a little row-mance?

Q: What did the guy with the broken leg say to his nurse?

A: I've got a crutch on you.

Boy: Do you have a date for Valentine's Day?

Girl: Yes, February 14th!

Happy St. Valentine's Day.