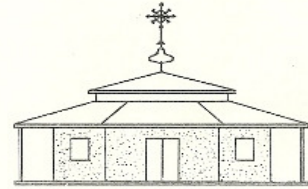


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THE WORD OF GOD IS AN INEXHAUSTIBLE FOUNTAIN LORD, WHO CAN GRASP ALL THE WEALTH OF JUST ONE OF YOUR WORDS? WHAT WE UNDERSTAND IS MUCH LESS THAN WHAT WE LEAVE BEHIND, LIKE THIRSTY PEOPLE WHO DRINK FROM A FOUNTAIN. FOR YOUR WORD, LORD, HAS MANY SHADES OF MEANING JUST AS THOSE WHO STUDY IT HAVE MANY DIFFERENT POINTS OF VIEW. THE LORD HAS COLOURED HIS WORDS WITH MANY HUES SO THAT EACH PERSON WHO STUDIES IT CAN SEE IN IT IN WHAT HE LOVES. HE HAS HIDDEN MANY TREASURERS IN HIS WORD SO THAT EACH OF US IS ENRICHED AS WE MEDITATE ON IT. HE WHO COMES INTO CONTACT WITH SOME SHARE OF ITS TREASURE SHOULD NOT THINK THAT THE ONLY THING CONTAINED IN THE WORD IS WHAT HE HIMSELF HAS FOUND. HE SHOULD REALISE HE HAS ONLY BEEN ABLE TO FIND THAT ONE THING FROM AMONG MANY OTHERS. BE GRATEFUL FOR WHAT YOU HAVE RECEIVED AND DO NOT GRUMBLE ABOUT THE ABUNDANCE LEFT BEHIND. WHAT YOU HAVE RECEIVED AND WHAT YOU HAVE REACHED IS YOUR SHARE, WHAT REMAINS IS YOUR HERITAGE.

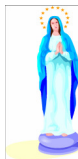
St. Ephrem (306—73)

The Lord is compassion and love, slow to anger and rich in mercy. He does not treat us according to our sins nor repay us according to our faults. As far as the east is from the west so far does he remove our sins. As a father has compassion on his sons, the Lord has pity on those who fear him.

Resp. Psalm

LOURDES

It is hoped to organise a Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes later this year. In order to make this viable we would need a minimum of 20 pilgrims to travel. If you are interested, please leave your name and contact number in the Parish Office (8323083) or contact Clodagh at 086 4013509



ACCORD

The ANNUAL COLLECTION for ACCORD, the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, will take place at all Masses this weekend, 18th/19th February. It will replace the normal SHARE collection.

ACCORD Dublin throughout the Diocese offers:

- Marriage Preparation Courses
- Counselling for couples & individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships.
- A Relationship & Sexuality Programme in Schools.

LENTEN TALKS IN THE PARISH OF ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST

The following talks will take place in the Parish Centre of St. John the Evangelist Church, Kilbarrack, during Lent.
Praying and exploring the Lenten Gospels -
The Woman at the Well 15th March:
The Raising of Lazarus, 29th March :
The Story of Jesus' Death, according to Matthew, 5th April.

The talks will be followed by discussion.
Presenter - Fr. Kieran O'Mahony, OSA
The evenings will start with a cuppa @ 7.30p.m. and the talks begin at 8p.m.
All welcome !!!!
Donation accepted.

DO THIS IN MEMORY

This Sunday, 19th February, the "DO THIS IN MEMORY" Programme for children making their First Holy Communion will take place at the 10a.m. Mass.

MASS TIMES:

Lent commences on Wednesday, 1st March. During the period of Lent there will be Mass each week day at 10a.m. and 7p.m.



WATCH & PRAY

For anyone who is ill or housebound, daily Mass can be viewed by going on line to "churchservices.tv."

ARE YOU IN YOUR 40s. The Dublin 40somethings organise spiritual and social events for people in their 40s in and around Dublin who have a Catholic ethos. We invite you to come along and get involved. Our next monthly gathering is at the Trinity City Hotel, Pearse Street, Dublin 2 at 8.30p.m. on Friday, 3rd March. Then we have an evening Lenten Retreat at the Sacred Hearts, 66 Inchicore Road, Dublin 8 at 5p.m. on Saturday, 11th March. Come along or contact us on dublin40something@gmail.com or 087 7608268 for information on these and other events we organise.
The 40somethings come from parishes around the Diocese. They meet up regularly in an informal way for meals, concerts, cinema, weekends away, etc.

BABEL ACADEMY OF ENGLISH
HOST FAMILIES NEEDED

Babel Academy of English are looking for Host Families in this area for short term School Groups coming to Ireland to study English this Spring/Summer. If you would like to be considered as a host family please contact us at accommodationbabel@gmail.com or by phone on 085 2029277.
Babel Academy of English (Ireland) is a world class English Language School located in the heart of Dublin City centre. From our base in Kildare St. we run adult courses on a year round basis. In the Summer months we run a Camp for teenage students in Manor House School, Raheny, 5 minutes walk from Raheny DART station

PRIESTS OF THE PARISH

Fr. Peter Finnerty, ADM Tel: 8323150
Fr. Joe Kelly, C.C. Tel: 8322305
Fr. Kit Sheridan, C.C. Tel: 8322964

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

	<u>1st Collection</u>	<u>2nd Collection</u>
Sunday: 12th Feb.	€1127	€966

Your support for the collections is greatly appreciated

ANNIVERSARIES : Billy Brady, Ann Walsh, Dan Traynor, Tom & Eileen Carragher, James Farrelly, Harry Brooks, Jim & Eileen Wade, Masey & Sean McKenna, John Ring, Rob Moore, Kathleen Henry, James & Eamonn Kelly.

Make-A-Wish Ireland Annual Wish Day – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Make-A-Wish® Ireland has one simple aim – we grant the wishes of children aged between 3 and 17 years living with life-threatening medical conditions to enrich the human experience with hope, strength and joy and create extraordinary memories for them and their families. Volunteer are needed for WISH DAY, our annual fundraising day, on Friday 31st March 2017.

There are a number of ways you could get involved and support us:

- * select a location nearby and volunteer to sell our badges there for the day
- * hold a coffee morning or bake sale in aid of Make-A-Wish
- * hold a Jersey Day or a similar themed day in aid of Make-A-Wish

Money raised on the day goes to continuing to grant wishes to our brave wish children.

If you can commit to the full day or even a few hours selling our bands, contact Emma Horgan or call 012052012 for further information.

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

Scripture Group meet every Wednesday in the Committee Room at the rear of the Church from 7.30 to 8.30p.m.
All most welcome!!

Mass Intentions week-end 25th/26th February 2017
SATURDAY:

10am. Helen Grennan (A)
7pm. Denis O'Connor (A)

SUNDAY.

8am. Jim O'Donovan (A)
10am. John & Kathleen Barnwall (A)
11.30am. Mary, Patrick & Tony Reilly (A)

MONDAY	10A.M.	Special Intention	7P.M.	Kathleen Reddin (A)
TUESDAY	10A.M.	Kathleen Hinchy R/D	7P.M.	NO EVENING MASS
WEDNESDAY	10A.M.	Patrick & Mary Callaly & deceased family members	7P.M.	Special Intention
THURSDAY	10A.M.	Special Intention	7P.M.	NO EVENING MASS
FRIDAY	10A.M.	Special Intention	7P.M.	Rita Griffin R/D