



Church of the Resurrection, Bayside, Parish Newsletter – Sunday 20th June, 2021 Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time- Volume 24 Issue 25

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Masses for the coming week

Name	Date	Time
Paul Martin (14 th A)	Monday 21 st June	10.00am
Anthony Crosse (A)	Tuesday 22 nd June	10.00am
Deceased members of the Barry & Murphy Families	Wednesday 23 rd June	10.00am
Bill Quinn (R/D)	Thursday 24 th June	10.00am
Sheila Dowd Smith (4 th A) also her father Tom Dowd (A) and her brother Thomas (A)	Friday 25 th June	10.00am
Mary McGrath (5 th A)	Saturday 26 th June	10.00am
Tommy Doyle (R/D)		7.00pm
Sean Owen (A)	Sunday 27 th June	8.00am
Mary Condon (3 rd A)		10.00am
Malachy Curley (A)		11.30am

Masses Online

The Church is now open for attendance at Masses – Masses in our Church are all on Webcam website. www.baysideparish.ie

Mass Times – Monday to Saturday 10am.

Vigil Mass on Saturday Evening at 7.00pm.

Sunday 8.00am, 10.00am and 11.30am

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

A meeting was held with all Parents/Guardians of Confirmation children and Confirmation will proceed throughout the summer.

Parish Office

The Parish Office will be open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9.00am to 1.00pm.

Wednesday 11.00am to 1.00pm

Summer Dues

A new Summer Dues Collection will be launched this weekend 20th June.



Dear Parishioner,

The last year has been a very strange one and much of what we have taken for granted in the past, has changed. One of the areas where the impact of lower numbers and ongoing months of Church closures has had an effect is on the First Collection which supports the Priests of the Parish and the sick and retired priests of the Diocese.

We have been very grateful for your support both online and by putting your offerings in the letterboxes. This, with your commitment to the Christmas and Easter Dues, has enabled the Common Fund to support the Priests here and in other Parishes.

However the Common Fund, which is made up of the First Collection, Christmas and Easter Dues, is at an all time low and we need to build it up, We are introducing a 'Summer Dues' to help with this. It will be taken in the same way as the Christmas and Easter Dues and the Parish will benefit from the tax relief scheme on this contribution.

We are very aware that everyone's situation has changed and we appreciate all your support. If you are able to support this new 'Summer Dues' we and the other priests in the Diocese would be very grateful. We hope that you get to enjoy some holiday time over the summer and meet up with family and friends.

We wish you every blessing and pray that things return to some sense of normality this year.

Fr. Peter, Fr. Joe, Fr. Kit

TROCAIRE

We would like to thank you for your very generous contributions to Trocaire. The amount collected in our parish was €1,862.78.



Reflection on Today's Gospel

Though Christ may seem to be asleep, He is with us at every moment of our lives

This week's readings reveal a God with power. As God's creatures, the forces of nature listen to and obey the voice of their Creator. Though the storms of fear and doubt may have played more significant roles in our lives during this past year, God's love continues to speak to us with words of calm, as it did to Job (**First Reading**).

It is the love of Christ, not the storm, which 'overwhelms us' (**Second Reading**).

This love is shown in the **Gospel**, when Jesus 'rebukes the wind' and the wind and waves obey. He is revealing something about his divine nature. 'Who can this be?' the disciples are led to ask as they are filled with awe. Their question is also seeking a faith response in us as well.

We may yet be experiencing storms blowing around and within us, let's listen for that strong, yet calm voice, which brings with it peace and security.

Family Offerings Envelopes may be left with the Parish Secretary. This money is used for the upkeep of the church.

The Future of Our Parish is in Our Hands!

Reminder re responses to Task Force set up by Archbishop Farrell – do not miss this opportunity to share your hopes, thoughts, recommendations, suggestions etc, to help form a plan for the Church in the Diocese of the future.

It is vital that we, as a Parish, get a varied response into the Task Force. Please address your letter to Fr. Peter Finnerty.

Please note the date has been extended to Friday 25th June.

Leaving Certificate Students

Every day since the exams began, the students are included in the prayers at Mass and personal prayers. We send you our best wishes and words of encouragement.

Service of the Healing of the Generations

The Service of the Healing of the Generations (Family Tree) will take place next Sunday, 27th June, in St. John the Evangelist Church, Kilbarrack/Foxfield led by Fr Cathal and team, commencing with Holy Mass at 7pm and concluding at 8pm. Access on the webcam for those who cannot attend.

Recently Deceased

John Downey brother of Frank Downey died in Galway. Our thoughts and prayers are with his family, friends and neighbours. May he rest in peace. Amen.

Weekly Reflection on the Scriptures

The weekly reflection continues each Monday 7.30-8.30pm. Contact Sr Phyllis at 086-890-9488 with your email address and join us on Zoom to reflect on the liturgy for the following Sunday. It is so rewarding and enhances our participation at Mass on the day.

Walking in Hope – Spiritual Journey for Families

The Archdiocese of Dublin will provide some simple and achievable ideas for families and parishes, starting in September. The 'Walking Together in Hope' initiative will be launched on **25th August at Saint Mary's Pro-Cathedral** on the third anniversary of the visit of Pope Francis'.

Pope Francis

"Although the life of a person is in a land full of thorns and weeds, there is always a space in which the good seed can grow. You have to trust God. Let us pray for peace: peace in the world and in each of our hearts. God's love calls us to move beyond fear."

Live With A Generous Spirit

Beginning this weekend, practice making yourself accessible to be a gift to someone in need. Life is so much richer when we learn to live with a generous spirit. Say a prayer each day asking God to give you the eyes to notice the people who need your smile, a helping hand or just words of encouragement. Try to offer encouragement to at least one person a day and see if it doesn't become a habit... We promise it will bring a deeper sense of joy and purpose to your life too!

Ageing Can Be A Lovely Time of Ripening

Stillness is vital to the world of the soul. If as you age you become more still, you will discover that stillness can be a great companion. The fragments of your life will have time to unify, and the places where your soul-shelter is wounded or broken will have time to knit and heal. You will be able to return to yourself. In this stillness, you will engage your soul. Many people miss out on themselves completely as they journey through life. They know others, they know places, they know skills, they know their work, but tragically, they do not know themselves at all. Aging can be a lovely time of ripening when you actually meet yourself, indeed maybe for the first time. There are beautiful lines from T S Eliot that say: 'And the end of all our exploring Will be to arrive where we started And know the place for the first time.'
JOHN O'DONOHUE
Excerpt from his book, Anam Cara.