

Mass Intentions

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

St. Mary's 26th & 27th June

St. Mary's 6pm Saturday

Mairead Spencer (Rec Dec)

St Mary's 11am Sunday

Robert & Mary Brett (A)

Sarah Flynn (A), Sarah McDermott (A)

Both Masses viewable on webcam.

St Mochonog's Church and via Zoom at 10am

Andy Giles (MM)

(to join please phone 087 418 9338)

or email sally.phalan@gmail.com



Schedule of Masses:

Weekday Masses

St Mary's -Masses—10.15 a.m. (Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday)

Please be aware that attending weekday Masses is in lieu of attend Sunday Mass.

Prayer Services - 10.15 a.m. (Wednesday & Saturday)

Week-end Masses: St. Mary's 6.00 pm - Saturday, 11.00 am - Sunday

Mass bookings for weekend Masses may be made for St. Mary's by phoning Parish office on 01 2760030 10.00am—1.00pm Mon –Thurs and 10am—11.30am Friday.

St Mochonog's 10.00 am Sunday

Booking may be made by phoning 01 2021882 Monday-Thursday 10am-1pm.

St. Patrick's Church Curtlestown—Within the next couple of weeks, the Church will be assessed to determine if we can resume Sunday Masses within the Covid restrictions and regulations. Reopening will be subject to the approval of Archbishop's House.

St Patrick's is currently open for Prayers 11am—12 noon each Sunday.

Classic Drive-in Cinema presents "Enchanted" and "The Greatest Showman" in Enniskerry this Sunday (27th June 2021)

For one day only....Classic Drive in Cinema presents drive-in "Enchanted" and "The Greatest Showman" at Monastery House, Enniskerry this Sunday, June 27th.

Show times are as follows: **12.45pm - Enchanted**
4.00pm - Enchanted (SOLD OUT)
7.30pm - The Greatest Showman

Tickets from €27.50 + booking fee are on sale now from classicdriveincinema.ie.

Our famous cinema popcorn and nachos will be available to purchase in advance from our website. You may view the latest post at

<https://enniskerry.ie/classic-drive-in-cinema-presents-enchanted-and-the-greatest-showman-in-enniskerry-next-sunday-27th-june-2021/>

Venue hire proceeds from the event will be donated to the Enniskerry Playground Campaign, kindly supported by the Bourke family, Monastery House

Introduction to Summer Dues

Archbishop Dermot Farrell has issued an appeal to all parishioners in the diocese for their finance support this summer.).

In a letter to all parishes in early June, he said “The necessary restriction of public worship has profoundly affected the two essential Sunday Mass collections on which parish funds depend. The first collection supports clergy ministering throughout the diocese as well as sick and retired priests and priests working in other ministries throughout the diocese.

The second collection—the ‘Share’ collection—supports diocesan services to parishes especially disadvantaged parishes. In the last financial year, the clergy collection decreased by 54% and the ‘Share’ Collection decreased by 65%. This year the situation is even more grave, with a decrease of 80% and 86% respectively for the first quarter (January to March 2021). I am grateful to all who have continued to give so generously in the past 15 months, and I have now approved the proposal to hold a new Summer Dues collection to support priests of the diocese. This initiative will follow the pattern of the Christmas and Easter dues collection giving parishioners an opportunity to contribute to the income that supports priests. The Summer Offering collection was launched on 20th June. I thank you for continuing to support our parishes and the clergy who work among you. Your generosity to this new initiative of Summer Dues will provide much-needed practical and moral support for priests working quietly and effectively at the heart of every local Community of faith.”

There are copies of Archbishop Farrell's letter and Summer Dues envelopes available in the ‘Exit Porch’ of the Church if you have not received one in the post.

Signed Mass Cards are available in the Parish Office. An offering is received with gratitude and is another means of supporting your local clergy.

If you pay for a Mass Offering online using the Donate button on our website please email the office with your intention—thank you.

We also have Thank you, Exam Result Congrats, Get Well, Birthday and ‘Thinking of you’ Mass Bouquets available.

Thought for the Day: Hospitality is deeply embedded in human nature and to say someone is hospitable is a welcome compliment. It is no accident that Jesus made use of table fellowship to give people a concrete experience of the indiscriminate love and universal compassion of God. When we celebrate the Lord’s Supper we experience again that proclamation of the Kingdom. We join our prayer with the prayer of Jesus and the great events of salvation are made present in our time and place. Welcomed as we have been, it is our calling then to show the same love and compassion in our daily lives.

God of welcome and compassion: we thank you the Holy Eucharist, in which we know again your love and compassion. Help us to become what we have received—Amen.

Curtlestown Cemetery Maintenance

Curtlestown Cemetery grass cutting continues on Wednesday from 7:00pm to 8:30pm and will continue each Wednesdays as required. Please encourage some younger family members to help. Please bring trimmers, rakes and big bags for cutting, collecting and disposing of the grass.

Covid-19 social distances to be maintained.

BAPTISMS—received from Archbishop's House recently

In the light of the most recent government health advice - operative for months of May and June, the celebration of the Sacrament of Baptism should only take place in exceptional circumstances. The ordinary celebration of the Sacrament, as well as the other Sacraments of Initiation, should not be organised until further notice.

.Sign Up As A Volunteer for the Church Re-Opening

If you're interested in getting involved to help out in the Parish we would be delighted to have you on board. Volunteers are always needed on our Parish teams and in churches to assist and to help out at Public Masses. The more volunteers we have means the demand on volunteers' time will be less, also. If you have not signed up as a volunteer yet, please sign up via the form on the home -page of the website www.enniskerryparish.ie or contact the parish office and a member of the parish team will be in touch. Thanks to our new recruits; we are delighted to welcome you on board. A BIG thank you to all who continue to partake of Parish Life so generously and freely.

Helplines during Covid 19

AA: 087 255 1361 ALONE = 818 222 024. AL ALON: (01) 8783624
AMEN: (01) 554 3811 ACTION AID 01) 878 7911 FIVE LOAVES: (01) 2040960.

KILMACANOGUE & ENNISKERRY COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP FOR COVID
19 KILMACANOGUE; 086 380 5627—ENNISKERRY: 083 364 2439

LGBTQ: 1890 929 539, LOCAL MEALS ON WHEELS: 086 832 2466
PURPLE HOUSE CANCER SUPPORT: (01) 204 0960 SAMARATINS= 115123
SIMON COMMUNITY: (01) 671 5551 ST VINCENT DE PAUL (01) 8550022
WOMEN'S REFUGE (01) 867 0701

The Meals on Wheels service operates in Enniskerry and Kilmacanogue and delivers hot meals every Tuesday and Thursday to older people in their homes. It's an opportunity to connect with the community and provide a hot meal and social contact call to older people in the area. We are looking for volunteer drivers who can give up 2 or 3 hours twice a month to facilitate this much needed service.

Interested volunteers may contact Maoiliosa Kelly on 086 832 2466 for further information.

Contributions

We thank all parishioners who continue to contribute and help keep parish finance healthy. Your generosity is very much appreciated. The parish has now set up **QR Scan Codes** for various collections which are available in our Churches.

By using the **QR Scan Code** on this newsletter your donation will go directly to parish offerings which will assist in the upkeep of the four churches in the parish.

It is simple - for newer phones all you have to do is hold your phone camera over the code and the Payzone page will automatically open. Then simply “tap”, enter the amount you wish to donate and press “proceed”, add your card details and press “pay now”. For older smart phone just download a free QR scanner from the App Store.



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You may also donate to the Parish in the following ways:-

1. Online by using “Donate” feature on the parish website www.enniskerryparish.ie
2. Donate by scanning your credit card on Payzone Tap and Go in the porch in St. Mary’s
3. Standing Orders
4. Dropping Green and Pink envelopes into Parish Office during 10am-1pm Mon-Frid.
5. You may leave your envelopes for Parish and Common Fund into the ‘Donation Box’ at the Porch in St. Mary’s.

Envelopes for 1st and 2nd collections are available at the entrance of the Church.

If you wish to activate a Standing Order for these collections please take a form as you exit. □

St Mochonog’s Parish Office new opening times:

Monday—9am—2pm, Tuesday (by phone) 10am-1pm, Wednesday 10am—2pm

Thursday (by phone) 10am—1pm. Closed on Friday.



Thursday Evening Course for Adults
Venue: DCU St. Patrick's Campus, (MDCCE), Drumcondra, Dublin, 9.

PATHWAYS

Exploring Faith as an Adult

The *Pathways Programme* is geared towards those who wish to explore issues and questions of: faith; ministry; the Church today and the nature of belief, in an environment appropriate to Adult Learning and Adult Faith Development.

About the Course

The programme is run by the Archdiocese of Dublin, over two years, from late September to late May each year. From September 2021, *Pathways* will take place on Thursday evenings from 7.00 p.m. - 9.30 p.m. in DCU St. Patrick's Campus, (MDCCE), Drumcondra, Dublin, 9. There are three optional Saturday sessions each year. The next starting date for the programme will be on Thursday 30th. September 2021 (Covid permitting). Applications are now open. See contact details below. Early application is advisable as places will be limited.

Who is the Course for?

This course is suitable for men and women of all ages and from all walks of life who are looking for an opportunity to consider questions about belief and Church today.

Course Aims

The course values the life experience which the participants bring and, accordingly, group sharing is an integral part of the learning process each year. The course also offers the spiritual and theological formation which will enable participants to explore their faith with greater confidence. It also helps assist people to prepare themselves to respond to the needs of the Church and community and to work in partnerships and parish teams. Participants have an opportunity to take part in various liturgies, retreats and times of Directed Prayer during the year.

Course Entry Requirements

The main requirements are: a desire to explore faith; openness to participation; a willingness to listen and an interest in new ideas and approaches to ministry. No academic qualifications and no previous study in theology or spirituality are necessary. There is no required written work and there are no exams. There is a short application form in the programme brochure. Copies of the brochure are available from the Programme Director (contact details below).

Course Cost

Fees are €400 each year. Fees may be paid in full at the beginning of the year or in instalments throughout the year. Part or full sponsorship may be available from some parishes.

Course Content

First Year – In the first year the emphasis is on the personal experiences and the faith journeys of the participants. **Subjects include:** How Adult Learn; Stages of Faith; Images of God; What Happened at Vatican II?; Introduction to Scripture; Celebrating the Church's Year; the Person of Christ; Personal Journey; Sacraments; the Moral Life; Spirituality and Prayer.

Second Year – The focus of the second year is on Christian living, the Gospel call and how we respond to it. **Subjects include:** Visions and Models of Church; Teachings of Pope Francis; Approaches to Ministry; Bereavement and Loss; Family; Pastoral Issues Today; Justice and Peace, Ecumenism; Ecology; Caring for Yourself.

For further information please contact:

Eileen Houlahan, CHF, PhD, Director, Pathways Programme,

Be a Witness of Charity



PLEASE SUPPORT THE WORKS OF THE HOLY
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Peter's Pence Collection

JULY 3RD/4TH

Archdiocese of Dublin

The annual Peter's Pence collection takes place on the Sunday nearest to the Feast of SS Peter and Paul. This year it will be held on **Saturday, 3rd and Sunday 4th July**. The Peter's Pence Collection provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world.

You are aware of the growing needs, especially in mission countries, and the requests for aid that come from peoples, individuals and families in precarious conditions. Many expect Pope Francis to give them the support they often fail to find elsewhere. In this perspective, the Peter's Pence Collection is a true and proper participation in the work of spreading the Good News, especially if one considers the meaning and importance of concretely sharing in the concerns of the universal Church.

The gesture has not only a practical value, but also a strong symbolic one, as a sign of communion with the Holy Father and attention to the needs of one's sisters and brothers on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters.

I ask for your generosity in supporting the charities of Pope Francis. This year's Peter's Pence collection will replace the second collection for Share.

I wish to thank you for the many ways you show charity and solidarity with those most in need in our common home.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Dermot Farrell,

Archbishop of Dublin