

www.firhouseparish.ie 5th January 2020

2nd Sunday after the Nativity

First Friday Visits to Housebound Parishioners

Communion is brought to our ill or housebound parishioners normally on the First Friday of every month. If you know of someone, family member or neighbour, who would like a First Friday visit, please let us know by contacting the Parish Office.

MONDAY 6TH JANUARY Feast of the Epiphany

Mass at 10a.m. and 7.30p.m.

MONDAY ROSARY

Monday Rosary Continues every week at 6pm in the Parish Church. Its special intention is the return to faith of our children and grandchildren. PLEASE JOIN US!

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament each Friday for one hour at 10.30a.m.in the church. All are welcome for quiet prayer. (There will be no Adoration if there is a funeral to take place.)

CHURCH COURT YARDS

Could you spare an hour on a Monday Morning? After 10a.m. Mass? To help clean tidy and restore the Four court yards to their original Four Seasons. Many hands make light work.

CHURCH CLEANING

Could you spare an hour on a Tuesday Morning? At 10.30a.m. To help vacuum and shine the church. Many hands make light work.

STAMPS

The Carmelite Fathers collect used stamps to help raise funds for their missionary work. Please leave them in the parish office. Please leave a small margin around the stamps - torn and cut stamps are of no value

ANAM CARA

Anam Cara South Dublin, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on Monday 13th January at 7:20p.m. in the Maldron Hotel, Tallaght. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. For more information see <u>anamcara.ie</u> or call our Information Line on 085 2888 888.

Christmas Offerings

Many thanks to all for returning their Christmas offerings. Offerings may be returned to the Parish Office, Sacristy, Box in the Church or Presbytery 1.

GARDA BAND

The Garda Band will perform here in the Church on Thursday 30th January 2020. Tickets €10 each available next week from the Parish Office.

CROSSCARE APPEAL

A big THANK YOU to all who continue to donated to the Crosscare appeal. We will continue to accept, Hats, Scarf's, Gloves, and any unwanted gifts until the 6th of January.

FIRHOUSE BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Have you been bereaved by the loss of a loved one? Firhouse Bethany Bereavement Support Group is holding a series of open meetings for bereaved persons on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. Venue: Presbytery 2 Ballycullen Avenue, Firhouse. Next meeting, Tues. 21st January. 7.30p.m. to 8.45pm Enquiries: Parish Office 01 4524702 Bethany member: 087 2852647.

MEN'S SHED

The committee of the men's shed would like to wish all a Happy and prosperous New Year and to all members who are poorly at this time a speedy recovery. Our next meeting will be Tuesday 7th January 10a.m in the Scouts Den, Firhouse. New Members welcome.

> <u>New Year's Resolution</u> Get out of the Bed and into the Shed.

Mass Intentions for the Coming Week	
Bernard Wynne	(Anniv.)
Agnes Kahan	(Anniv.)
William Doyle	(1 st Anniv.)
Margaret Brady	(Anniv.)
Roy O'Toole	(Anniv.)
Sarah O'Byrne	(Anniv.)
Teresa Lennon	(Anniv.)
Brendan Keane	(Rec. Dec.)
Annie Hallinan	(Rec. Dec.)
Also her son P.J. Hallinan	(Rec. Dec.)
Anne Rushe	(Anniv.)
Bert & Mary-Kate Coen	(Anniv.)
Margaret & Patrick Brennan	(Anniv.)
Kathleen & James Moore	(Anniv.)
Denis & Josephine Scanlon	(Anniv.)
	William Doyle Margaret Brady Roy O'Toole Sarah O'Byrne Teresa Lennon Brendan Keane Annie Hallinan Also her son P.J. Hallinan Anne Rushe Bert & Mary-Kate Coen Margaret & Patrick Brennan Kathleen & James Moore

WE EXTEND OUR SYMPATHIES TO:

The Epps family on the death of Roger Epps R.I.P.

Pamela Nolan on the death of her sister Averil Egan R.I.P.