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Partnered with the Parishes of Bohernabreena / Ballycragh
& Aylesbury / Old Bawn in the Tallaght Deanery

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7th January 2024

The Baptism of the Lord.

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.

Webcam : www.firhouseparish.ie or
www.churchservices.tv/firhouse

All devices, phones, laptops, iPads are now compatible with the Parish webcam.

MASS TIMES

Weekday Mass 10 a.m. (Prayer Service on Tuesdays)

Vigil Mass Saturdays at 6 p.m.

Sunday Masses 9.30 a.m. & 11.30 a.m.

(Eucharistic Adoration Friday after 10a.m Mass until 11.30a.m.)

MONDAY ROSARY:

Monday Rosary continues every week at 6pm in the Parish Church. Its main intention is to pray for the return to faith of our children and grandchildren.

All are welcome.

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:** Resource Room Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church (Main Entrance). Next meeting, Tuesday 16th January 7.30p.m. to 8.45p.m. Enquiries: Parish Office 01 4524702 Bethany member: 087 2852647.

CHURCH CLEANING

Thank You to all who help Vacuum and Shine the Church each week. If You could spare an hour on a Tuesday Morning At 10.30a.m. to help, it would be much appreciated. Many hands make light work.

FIRHOUSE MENS SHED

Wish everyone a happy & healthy New Year. Why not join us in the Scout's Den on Tuesday mornings at 10a.m. Meeting back 9th January. Get out of the bed and into the shed.

CHRISTMAS DUES / OFFERINGS

Many thanks to all for returning their Christmas Dues / Offerings. Offerings may be returned to the Parish Office, Sacristy, the Collection boxes around the Church. the Donate button on the Parish website or Presbytery 1.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY 2024

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity will be from Thursday 18th - Thursday 25th January, with this year's theme being: 'You shall love the Lord your God ... and your neighbour as yourself' (Lk 10:27). We will pray for Christian Unity within the Masses and Prayer Service within the Prayer of Intercession during that week.

There will also be an Interchurch Ecumenical Prayer Service on Monday 22nd January here in Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, at 7.30 pm, and ALL ARE WELCOME.

SAFEGUARDING

The Dublin Archdiocese in general, and Firhouse Parish in particular, has a new Child Safeguarding Policy. This was launched in recent weeks at a meeting of Parish Safeguarding Representatives which took place in Kimmage Manor. There are new framed posters in the Church entrance area and beside the Parish Office in relation to this. Copies of the policy are available on request from the Parish Office.

Oíche Eolais / Information Night

Oíche Eolais / Information Night for those who want to improve their Irish in 2024. Thursday 11th January 8.30pm If you would like to find out how to go about learning Irish or improving your Irish in 2024, come along to an information night in the club on Thursday 11 January at 8.30pm. The information night will be in English. all are welcome. Fáilte roimh chách.

For further details email gailge@ballyboden.ie

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Sat. 6th Jan. 6p.m	Bernard Wynne	(Anniv.)
	Agnes Kahan	(Anniv.)
	Norin Debus	(Anniv.)
	Philip, Jimmy & Stephen O'Driscoll	(Anniv.)
Christopher, Lilian & Brendan Behan		(Christmas Remb.)
	Tony Sheerin	(Christmas Remb.)
	Terry Kavanagh	(Christmas Remb.)
Sun. 7th Jan. 9.30a.m.	Roy O'Toole	(Anniv.)
	Tommy & Mary-Jo Mahon	(Christmas Remb.)
Sun 7th Jan. 11.30a.m.	Sarah O'Byrne	(Anniv.)
	Theresa Lennon.	(Anniv.)
	Catherine Keohan	(Christmas Remb.)
	Aidan Magee	(Rec. Dec.)
	Maggie Timmins	(Anniv.)
	Michael & Tom Timmins	(Anniv.)
Sat. 13th Jan. 6p.m.	Maura Reddy	(Rec. Dec.)
Sun. 14th Jan. 9.30a.m.	Eddie & Nora Browne	(Anniv.)
	Deceased members of the Brown & Sheedy Families	(Remb.)
Sun. 14th Jan. 11.30a.m.	James & Maureen Bagnell	(Anniv.)
	James Maher	(Rec. Dec.)

WE EXTEND OUR SYMPATHY TO:

The Carmelite Community and the Family of
Sr. Breda McInerney R.I.P.
(Formerly of the Carmelite Covent, Firhouse Road.)