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Partnered with the Parishes of Bohernabreena / Ballycragh & Aylesbury / Old Bawn in the Tallaght Deanery
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5th May 2024

6th Sunday of Easter

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.)

A PowerPoint presentation of the Sunday Gospel reading is available on the Parish Website.

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SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION 2024

Congratulations to all the children who received The Sacrament of Confirmation this week.

Thank you to all who did so many tasks to make it such a wonderful celebration.

The Parish First Holy Communions for 2024 will take place 18th & 25th May at 11 am.

Because of this, there will be no 10 am Mass on those days.

PUBLIC ROSARY IN FIRHOUSE;

Please join us for our annual public rosary on **SATURDAY MAY 11th at 4pm** in Firhouse Village Park (the green space beside the church.) We will join with thousands of others around Ireland in praying the rosary for the re-conversion of Ireland.

NEW MASS BY PATRICK CASSIDY:

The Irish premiere of a new mass by the famous Mayo film composer, Patrick Cassidy, will be performed in Mt. Argus church on Sun. May 12th at 7.30. Tickets are available through Ray Ryan (087-9195012 or leave your name in the parish office). Adults €15, concessions €12, with a further discount for group booking through Ray.

BUILDING HOPE – PRAY, REFLECT, PLAN

You are warmly invited to join in a Novena to the Holy Spirit – a period of prayer, reflection and planning for the renewal of the Church in the Archdiocese of Dublin.

The Novena will take place in the nine days from **12th to 20th May** beginning on the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, through Pentecost and continuing to the Feast of Mary, Mother of the Church. Further content available on the Parish website www.firhouseparish.ie

Novena Prayer cards will be available on the tables around the Church next weekend.

WALK AT DAWN, FIRHOUSE

Saturday 11th May at 5a.m. in aid of Pieta

This walk will start from the Tree of Hope beside the Church. All donations for Pieta may be left in the Parish Office.

ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY

The All Ireland Rosary Rally is back this year on Saturday, June 1st in Knock. The day begins with a Marian Conference at 9.30 a.m. in St John's Centre. For more information and to see a list of buses going from around Ireland please visit www.AllIrelandRosaryRally.com

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.

COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION

A selection of First Holy Communion and Confirmation keepsakes are available to buy at the back of the Church, also cards are available from the Parish Office.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Sat. 4 th May 6p.m.	Frank Doyle	(Remb.)
	Ann, Benjamin & Bernard White	(Remb.)
Sun. 5 th May 9.30a.m.	Michael Byrne	(Rec. Dec.)
	James Kennedy	(Rec. Dec.)
	Brenda Feeney	(Rec. Dec.)
Sun. 5 th May 11.30a.m.	Frank McCann	(Rec. Dec.)
Mon. 6 th May.	Nell Donohoe	(Anniv.)
Wed. 8 th May.	Mass for the Quinn family on their recent bereavement.	
Fri. 10 th May.	Ciaran Finn	(Rec. Dec.)
Sat. 11 th May. 6p.m.	Michael Byrne	(Months Mind.)
Sun. 12 th May. 9.30a.m.	Kathleen Flanagan	(Rec. Dec.)
Sun. 12 th May. 11.30a.m.	Brenda Feeney	(Months Mind.)
	Eddie Magee	(Rec. Dec.)

CANS FOR CHARITY.

Please continue to drop used aluminium cans and all kinds of tin containers (e.g. fruit and veg. tins, biscuit tins, lids of jam jars, etc.,etc.) to 66 Monalea Wood.

If you can't deliver them, just give Ray a call on 087-9195012 to arrange collection.

The money raised currently goes to Concern. Obviously, the new recycling arrangements will affect the number of aluminium cans available, so please compensate by sending as many tin containers as possible. The recycling company (Glassco) pays by weight, so tin is even more welcome than aluminium.

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SENIORLINE

Would like someone to talk to? SeniorLine is Ireland's national telephone service for older people open every day of the year 10am-10pm, Freephone 1800 80 45 91. Callers may feel isolated, alone, wish to discuss a problem in confidence, or for company during their day. SeniorLine's older volunteers are trained to listen, to support, to discuss options and to refer caller to other helpful services if necessary.

So don't be alone if sharing a problem would help. Phone SeniorLine 1800 80 45 91, open every day of the year 10am-10pm.