



# Bohernabreena Parish

## St Anne's & Holy Rosary Churches

Reg. Charity No. 20016166



### Parish Bulletin

Sunday 21st June 2026 - Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time



#### DO NOT BE AFRAID

Seeing your life through the lens of the Gospel:

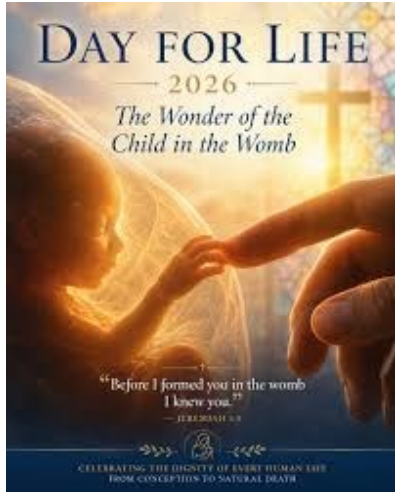
**Do not fear'** is the unifying theme in this passage which is set in the context of a mission sermon by Jesus, preparing his disciples for what lay ahead. He urges them to have courage in

speaking his message and living his message, drawing strength from their trust in the Father whose care for us exceeds his care for hundreds of sparrows. How has trust in God been a source of strength in life for you?

The body/soul terminology presupposes an anthropology in which the **soul represents one's real self and the body is the perishable shell.** For Jesus the important thing is to be true to one's real self, even if this does involve some material or physical loss or pain. When you have had that kind of courage, what was it like for you?

There is no such thing as secret discipleship. It is in declaring their allegiance to Jesus that his followers will find life. They will be the losers if they hide their discipleship. Does this resonate with your experience? (John Byrne OSA, RIP)

#### Day for Life 2026 – Sunday 21st June 2026



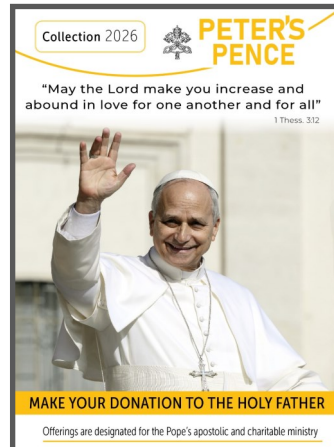
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mother Elizabeth's womb when Mary greeted her. Our Lady treasured Our Lord in her heart and womb until His birth. To read the full bishops' message visit [www.councilforlife.ie](http://www.councilforlife.ie).

#### PETER'S PENCE

The Peter's Pence collection takes place on the weekend of **June 27/28.** Donating to Peter's Pence is a concrete gesture of communion with the Holy Father and closeness to his mission of proclaiming the Gospel and bringing hope and love to every part of the world.



#### WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS



##### St Anne's Church

8.30am Mass Sunday

For parishioners intentions'

##### Holy Rosary Church

10.30am Mass Sunday

21st June Christina Sheridan, 1st Anniversary Prue Hanson, Recently Deceased

Archdiocese of Dublin

#### Summer Dues

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Thank you for supporting your priests



#### CEMETERY MASS Bohernabreena

(St. Joseph's Cemetery)

Sunday 21st June 2026 - 3pm

\*\* Cars to be parked by 2pm



Eucharistic Adoration takes place following 10am Mass in Holy Rosary Church each Monday.

## BOHERNABREENA - ST ANNE'S & HOLY ROSARY, ST MARTIN DE PORRES

### PARISH TEAM:

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### ST ANNE'S PARISH OFFICE

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Office open 10.00am-12.30pm Wed & Fri

### Mass Times St. Anne's:

Sunday 8.30am Friday 10am

### HOLY ROSARY PARISH OFFICE

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Email: holyrosary.bohernabreena@gmail.com  
Secretary: Deborah Brown  
Office open 10.30am-2.00pm Mon & Tue

### Mass Times Holy Rosary:

Sunday 10.30am  
Monday 10am (except bank holidays)

### ST MARTIN DE PORRES PARISH OFFICE

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Secretary: Ann O'Connor  
Office open 10.00am-12.30pm Mon-Thurs

### Mass Times St. Martin's:

Saturday 7.00pm (Vigil) Sunday 12.30pm  
Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri 10.00am

Website: [www.bohernabreenaparish.com](http://www.bohernabreenaparish.com)

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/bohernabreenaparish](http://www.facebook.com/bohernabreenaparish)

Twitter: [www.twitter.com/Bohernabrparish](http://www.twitter.com/Bohernabrparish)

### ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY COLLECTION

As the Peter's Pence special collection will be taken up at masses this weekend, the St Vincent de Paul collection is being moved forward and will be taken up after all masses in the parish today. Your ongoing generosity is very much appreciated.



### 2024 INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT:

The parish finance report for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> December 2024 is now available in the church. The Diocesan Secretariat in Archbishop's House has audited this report and our finance committee have signed off on it.

As we look ahead, we plan to have Holy Rosary church repainted internally while there is work on the gutters needed in St Anne's church. Donation envelopes are available in both churches to help with these essential works. With this in mind we wish to remind you that **the main source of income for the day to day running of our parish is through your family offering, namely Envelope Collection and Standing Orders. These remain our primary sources of income** as both collections taken up at weekend Masses are sent directly to the diocese. We acknowledge and thank those who regularly contribute to the parish funds. Your continuing generosity and support are vital for the survival of our parish.

### MARINO INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION

Are you looking for food for the mind and oxygen for the soul in the company of fellow seekers? Join the Adult Education Certificate in Spirituality and Human Development Programme.

It is open for applications now. For more information, please see the following website [www.mie.ie/spirituality](http://www.mie.ie/spirituality). If you are interested, please contact Mary at [mary.gao@mie.ie](mailto:mary.gao@mie.ie) or phone 087 450 8549.

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## YOUNG ADULT GLEN DALOUGH RETREAT DAY

27<sup>TH</sup> JUNE, 2026

Meeting at the Visitor Centre at 10am

BYO Lunch/purchase on site

For more information email:  
[natalie.doherty@dublindiocese.ie](mailto:natalie.doherty@dublindiocese.ie)

**REGISTER NOW**

### HOLY ROSARY CHURCH SHOP

You may notice that we have some new items available to purchase from the cabinet at the back of our Church. We have added some new holy water fonts, crucifixes and a couple of other items. These are all available either from the parish office or the Sacristy after mass.

## NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS PILGRIMAGE - 26 JULY 2026 KNOCK SHRINE

### CELEBRATING WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS & THE ELDERLY

'I will never forget you' (Isaiah 49:15)



- Chief Celebrant Archbishop Eamon Martin, Primate of all Ireland
  - Director of Music Una Nolan & Choirs
  - Special Guest Dana Rosemary Scallan
  - Anointing of the Sick in the Basilica - 2:30pm
  - Holy Sacrifice of the Mass - 3:00pm
  - Rosary Procession after Mass (weather permitting)
  - Children's Prayer Appeal for Grandparents, send or bring prayers to the CGA office at Knock Shrine
  - Plenary indulgence granted for the occasion
- \*\* Please organise transport with your local parish.

THOSE UNABLE TO JOIN US IN PERSON CAN TAKE PART ONLINE AT [WWW.KNOCKSHRINE.IE/WATCH](http://WWW.KNOCKSHRINE.IE/WATCH)  
www.knockshrine.ie - Telephone: +353 (0) 94 938 8100

**PLANNED GIVING / FAMILY CONTRIBUTIONS** - The new year for the Planned Giving scheme in our parish starts in March 2026. In advance of that we appeal to any parishioners who may not have contributed to the planned giving in the past, but who may now be in a position to do so to consider a small regular donation to the Planned Giving. A donation of €5 per week equates to approximately €250 per year—this enables us to also avail of a tax refund on any Charitable Donations over €250 directly from Revenue, with no additional cost to the parishioners.

This weekly or monthly contribution is the ONLY income which stays in the parish to cover the cost of the day to day running of our Churches—maintenance and repairs of buildings, insurance, altar supplies, office supplies, candles, printing, salaries and the general operational costs of running the parish. The two collections taken up during mass, as well as any Dues envelopes, are paid directly to the Dublin Diocese and do not remain in the parish.

**If you would like to contribute by weekly envelope, or by monthly standing order, please contact our parish offices for more information.**