

Bohernabreena Parish

St Anne's & Holy Rosary Churches

Reg. Charity No. 20016166



Parish Bulletin

Sunday 22nd November 2026 - Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe



Christ the King Sunday

The **first reading**, taken from the Prophet Ezekiel, introduces God as the Good Shepherd, reminding us of Christ's claim to be the Good-Shepherd-King, leading, feeding and protecting his sheep.

In today's **Responsorial Psalm** (Ps 23), we rejoice in Jesus, who is our Good Shepherd.

In the **second reading**, St. Paul presents Christ as the all-powerful Ruler-King Who raises the dead and to Whom every form of power and authority must eventually give way.

Today's **Gospel** describes Christ the King coming in Heavenly glory to judge us, based on how we have shared our love and blessings with others through genuine acts of charity in our lives. Jesus is present to us now, not only as our Good Shepherd leading, feeding, and healing his sheep, but also as dwelling in those for whom we care. In the parable of the separation of the sheep from the goats at the Last Judgment, every person to whom we give ourselves, *"whether hungry, thirsty or a stranger, naked, sick or in prison,"* is revealed to us as having been the risen Jesus. Our reward or punishment depends on how we have recognized and treated this risen Jesus in the needy. (ftonyshomilies.com)

VOCATIONS - We are delighted to share some very encouraging news from the Vocations Team: there are now **six people studying for the Archdiocese of Dublin in 2026** — four in Maynooth, studying Philosophy and Theology, and two beginning their Propaedeutic Year in Valladolid, Spain. We give heartfelt thanks to their families, friends and, especially, to the parishes and communities who have supported and encouraged these young men throughout their journey of discernment and continue to accompany them as they prepare for priesthood.

We ask all our parishes and communities to continue to **pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life,** and if you know someone who may be considering a vocation, please encourage them to get in touch with the Vocations Team. Fr Seamus McEntee or Fr Bill O'Shaughnessy would be delighted to meet with them, listen to their story and accompany them on their journey of discernment. **You can contact us at vocations@dublindiocese.ie or bill.oshaughnessy@dublindiocese.ie.**

PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR CHRISTMAS

- Find true peace this Christmas.
- Step away from the hustle and bustle of everyday.
- Reconnect with what truly matters.



Saturday12th December

Holy Rosary Church Ballycullen Tallaght, D24 A2C5

11am to 4pm

If you would like to make a voluntary donation towards covering the cost at the end of the day, it would be gratefully appreciated.

Hosted by parish cells

For More Information:
Holy Rosary Parish Office, 01.4141 838
St. Anne's Parish Office 01 4626 893
St Martins Parish Office: 01 451 0160
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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS



St Anne's Church

8.30am Mass, Sunday 22nd Nov

Orla Byrne, 5th Anniversary

Mary Carass, 5th Anniversary

Claire Dooley, Birthday Remembrance

We also pray for Brendan Crowley and Gary Burch, recently deceased.

Holy Rosary Church

10.30am Sunday 22nd Nov

Noel & Marie Furlong (Marie's 4th Anniversary)



CHRISTMAS CARDS & GIFTS

Signed Christmas Mass cards are available in both of our Churches, either from the Sacristy after mass or from the Parish Offices. A selection of Christmas decorations, cribs, Christmas cards and other gifts are available from the Parish Office at Holy Rosary Church, or from the Sacristy after masses.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The monthly collection for the St Vincent de Paul Society will be taken up after mases in the parish next Sunday, 29th November. Your generosity and support is greatly appreciated.

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

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WYD2027 Application now Open

Applications to join the Dublin Diocese group for WYD Seoul 2027 is now open. The group will travel to Seoul from July 26th to August 12th and applications will be accepted until November 20th.

The cost per pilgrim to go on the trip is €1750, which includes flights, accommodation, meals, program, pilgrim packs, group tshirt, preparation program etc. WYD Seoul form can be accessed at https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/L68e1Ly2k5

#YML 2027 - Registration is now open for the next intake of the **Diocesan Certificate in Young Adult Ministry – #YML**. Running over 10 Saturdays, the aim of this Diocesan Certificate is to build up the capacity of Youth Ministry and Youth Ministry Leadership throughout the Archdiocese of Dublin. It is a highly practical course where participants are given new experiences and key resources, including gaining vital skills to put into practice in their local context, while also being grounded in key church documents such as Christus Vivit. Registration is open and can be accessed at https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/dyH3SLLVnZ





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.