

WEEK DIARY – 21st Aug/28th Aug 2010

Sat. 21 Aug:

- **6.30p.m. Mass** – for Rose O’Sullivan, recently deceased

Sun. 22 Aug:

- **9.00a.m. Mass** – for Séan Cannon, recently deceased
- **10.30a.m. Family Mass** – anniversaries of Charles Smith and Gemma Smith
- **12.00 Noon Mass** — for all parishioners and those attending Mass in St. Fintan’s
- **6.30p.m. Mass** – anniversaries of Cyril and Peg Pendred and their son Finbar Pendred

Note: No 7.30a.m. Mass 1st July to 3rd Sept. (incl.)

Mon. 23 Aug: St. Eugene, Bishop

- **10.00a.m. Mass** – anniversaries of Frank and Josephine Ward

Tues. 24 Aug: St. Bartholomew, Apostle

- **10.00a.m. Mass** – for Sara Ann Conlon, recently deceased

Wed. 25 Aug:

- **10.00a.m. Mass** – anniversaries of John and Ellen Ennis

Thurs. 26 Aug:

- **10.00a.m. Mass** – anniversary of Kathleen Coleman

Fri. 27 Aug: St. Monica

- **10.00a.m. Mass** – for Colm Parsons, recently deceased

Sat. 28 Aug: St. Augustine

- **10.00a.m. Mass** – for Robert Day, recently deceased

WE ALSO PRAYERFULLY REMEMBER:

- + Dermot Guinan, whose anniversary occurs at this time.

BRIDGE CLASSES FOR BEGINNERS

Classes commence, with a qualified teacher, in **Sutton Lawn Tennis Club** on **Thursday 23rd September at 7.30 p.m. for 10 weeks.** For bookings, phone Mary on **087 6523245.**

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO MEDUGORJE

The Parish pilgrimage to Medugorje will depart from Dublin on **Saturday 16th Oct 2010.** Price €569, fully inclusive for 7 nights.

Spiritual Director: Fr. Liam Lawton.

For further details contact **Maureen Maher,**

Tel: **01 8324063/087 2073406**

CHURCH READERS - WEEKDAY MASSES:

The following are listed to read at
10.00a.m. Masses – 23rd August/28th August:

Monday: Tom Keane
Tuesday: Brian McMahon
Wednesday: Brendan Lannon
Thursday: Paddy Flanagan
Friday: Ray Walsh
Saturday: Bart O’Brien

WEEKEND MASSES: Sat./Sun. 28th/29th August :

Saturday 6.30p.m: G. Allmann
Sunday 9.00a.m: Máire Uí Bhuachalla
Sunday 10.30a.m: M. Mulhall
Sunday 12 noon: R. Doherty
Sunday 6.30p.m: T. Keane

SERVICE FOR HEALING OF THE GENERATIONS – DIVINE MERCY APOSTOLATE

This service, concluding with Holy Mass, will be held on **Sunday 29th August, 2010 at 7.00 p.m.** in St. John The Evangelist Church, Greendale Road, Kilbarrack, Dublin 5. The service will be led by Fr. Cathal Price and team. **All are welcome.**

FAMILY FUN DAY IN AID OF BARRETSTOWN

You are invited to join in this family fun day, with our local emergency services which takes place in Superquinn Car Park, Sutton on **Saturday 28th August** from 12 noon until 2.00 p.m.

The Superquinn Sutton boat push, from Clontarf to Howth takes place on **Sunday 29th August** from 11.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m.

Both events are being run in aid of Barretstown and your support is welcome.

HOWTH PENINSULA HERITAGE SOCIETY

In conjunction with the World Etchells Sailing Championships, being held in Howth Yacht Club, **23rd – 28th August**, the Society is presenting a lecture for the visitors and other interested parties. This will take place on **Tuesday 24th August at 8.00 p.m.** in the **Howth Angling Centre.** Diarmuid O Cathasaigh will speak on **“Aspects of Howth”.** **All are welcome.**

DUBLIN DIOCEASON PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

This pilgrimage takes place from **7th to 12th September.** There are places available for sick people who may wish to travel. If you know of anyone who would like to partake in this pilgrimage, please leave details in the **Parish Office – 8392001: Mon.-Fri. 9.30 to 12.30.**

HOWTH PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

The parish of Howth are arranging a Pilgrimage to Lourdes from **17th Sept to 21st Sept.** Accommodation in the Hotel Gallia Londres (close to Grotto area). Price €789 per person sharing, taxes included. If interested contact **Barbara, in Howth Parish Office, Tel: 01 8397398**

NO 7.30A.M. MASS 1ST JULY - 3RD SEPTEMBER

Please note that there will be **no 7.30a.m.** Mass from 1st July until 3rd September, both dates inclusive.

FAREWELL CELEBRATION FOR FR. KEVIN

We congratulate Fr. Kevin on his new appointment as Administrator in Clonskeagh which he is due to take up on 1st September. We thank Fr. Kevin for his warm and dedicated ministry in St. Fintan’s parish over the past four years. All parishioners are invited to his farewell Mass, followed by a celebration in the Parish Centre – date to be announced.

In appreciation of his work, you might like to make a contribution to his farewell presentation. Contributions can be handed in to the Parish Office, Mon-Fri, 9.30a.m – 12.30p.m. Contributions will also be accepted in the sacristy after all week-end Masses. For more information please contact the Parish Office 8392001 or any member of the following organising group: Gemma O’Hanlon, Colette Hughes, Isobel Murray, Gráinne O’Driscoll, Mary McLoughlin, John Farrell, Ray Collier, and James Daly.

Weekend Church Collections

Weekend 14th Aug/15th Aug

First Collection: €1,404 (down 19% on previous week)

Share Collection: €1,260 (up 1.3% on previous week)

We thank everybody for their continued support and generosity especially in these recessionary times.

PAKISTAN DISASTER - SPECIAL DIOCESAN COLLECTION

Archbishop Diarmuid Martin has written to advise that there will be a special collection at all Masses this weekend, **Saturday 21st/Sunday 22nd August** to contribute to the relief assistance and reconstruction efforts in Pakistan. This will replace the usual **SHARE** collection.

ST. V. DE PAUL COLLECTION

The monthly collection for the St. Vincent de Paul Society will take place after all Masses next weekend – **28th/29th August.**

SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT de PAUL – ANNUAL CLOTHING APPEAL

The Society of St Vincent de Paul Annual Clothing Appeal takes place this weekend.

The collection of bags takes place this **Sunday 22nd August - after morning Masses only.**



YEAR OF EVANGELISATION

– ST LUKE

LOOKING AHEAD TO THE TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (29th August)

Luke 14:1,7-14. (Page 42-43 Special Edition of The Gospel of Luke)

Humility is opposed to a pride that shows no respect for others, but tends to dominate, to exercise power for its own sake, to be unconcerned for the rights of others. It is a virtue which sees service of others as the meaning of authority.

Seeing your life through the lens of the gospels

1 The parable brings out two contrasting experiences, but each in its own way can be a moment of grace, a moment of truth, a moment of growth. You may be able to recall such experiences in your life. In the first (verses 8,9) we discover that we had claimed a place that is too high for us; we are not as selfless, generous or compassionate as we thought we were. In the second (v. 10) when others point out goodness in ourselves that we may not have acknowledged to ourselves. How have you grown through such experiences?

2 In verses 12-14 Jesus warns us against the danger of ulterior motives in doing good. We can do good things partly because of the benefit we will get from what we do. That is natural but can lead to disappointment and resentment when our expectations are not met. When the good deed in itself is our reward we have a greater freedom. Feedback will be a bonus but is not necessary.

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Bon Voyage!



BON VOYAGE TO OUR

YOUNG PARISHIONERS!

We wish our young parishioners, Alex Davey, Lora-Jo Minogue and Henry Howard a safe and happy trip as they head off on the *Exploring Rome for Young Adults* project this coming Wednesday. This project, organised by the Parish of Larkhill/Whitehall/Santry and the Whitehall Youth Council, was open to all young people in our Pastoral Area. We pray that the young people taking part in this trip will return with a renewed sense of energy and faith.