



TRINITY WEEKLY

Holy Trinity Parish Weekly News

12th January 2020

The Baptism of the Lord/A

Parish Mission Statement

We, as members of Holy Trinity Parish, strive to be a community united in our Catholic Faith, and strengthened by prayer, worship and service. We accept our call to live out the Gospel of Jesus Christ, working to serve all with justice, peace and love, in the name of one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Pastor's Desk 12th January 2020 - The Baptism of the Lord/A

The Feast of the Lords Baptism marks a significant time in Jesus Life. He leaves his private life behind in Nazareth to begin his public ministry. Joining the queue of sinners, he waits to be baptised by John in the Jordan. John is reluctant to baptise him, as he was the sinless one but eventually gives in to Jesus request.

We are told that as Jesus is leaving the water something truly amazing happens. The heavens opened and God the Fathers voice echoes from above confirming 'This is my Son, the Beloved, my favour rests on him.' That favour is echoed in every Christian Baptism always.

Today's feast is also a powerful reminder of the significance of the gift of Baptism that most of us received as infants. It was the beginning of our journey in faith with God and other members of the Christian family. Now it challenges us to make a mature commitment as adults to respond, profess our faith anew and live Spirit filled lives guided by God alone. It reminds us that we have responsibility to respect, love and care for our fellow humanity and the world in which we live.

The New year also give us the opportunity to review our commitment to God in our lives and reflect on how that fits into the wider Christian family.

Fr. Gerry. C.



Mass Intentions for the Coming Week

Date	Time	Name
Saturday 11th (Vigil Mass)	6.30pm	Anthony O'Connor (B/R), Nuala McNamara
Sunday 12th	9.30am	Pat Mulvenny
	11.30am	Gerard Roddy, Theresa O'Dowd & Husband Tom, Paddy Ward, Charlie Bohan
Monday 13th	10.00am	-
Tuesday 14th	10.00am	-
Wednesday 15th	10.00am	Service of the Word
Thursday 16th	10.00am	Kathleen O'Dea
Friday 17th	10.00am	-
Pray Also:		-



The Bethany Bereavement Group for St Benedict's & St Monica's Parishes meet the 1st Tuesday of every month from 7 to 8pm in the Assembly Room at the entrance to St Monica's Church. We are also having a drop in morning in **KLEAR in Kilbarrack on the 1st Tuesday** of every month

11.30am to 12.30pm. If you are in need of support and would like to meet others who are grieving the loss of a loved one **please come join us** or alternatively we can visit you at a place of your choice. **Bethany phone no. is 085/2076606.** All are welcome and we are also looking for volunteers to administer to the bereaved. Please contact us if you feel you could help.

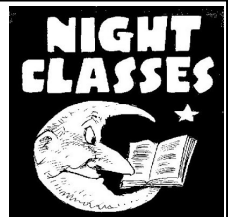
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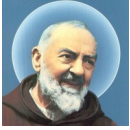
A great selection of courses at affordable prices. Online enrolments now available on our website

www.donahiesadulthood.ie. Walk-in enrolments start **Tues.**

14th Jan. 2020. Classes starting from **Mon. 27th Jan.** Brochure available on website also from libraries & school.

Contact us at **01-8482217** or email donahiesadulthood@gmail.com





ST. (PADRE) PIO PRAYER GROUP MASS

After Mass Blessing of the Oil - First Class Relic

1st Fridays - 12.30pm Artane Oratory of the Resurrection, Artane

1st Thursdays - 10am Church of the Holy Trinity, Donaghmede

1st Mondays * - 7.30pm St. Peter & Pauls Church, Main Street, Baldoyle

**or 2nd Monday after a bank holiday (Closest bus route 29A)*

The Encounter Join other young adults (20's & 30's) for a night of live acoustic music, reflective prayer in adoration, on life, faith and purpose - there will be food and refreshments afterwards on **Friday 24th January at 8.00pm in St. Paul's, Arran Quay, D.1.** For more information email: st.pauls@dublindiocese.ie



Blood Donors Needed in Kilbarrack - The Irish Blood Transfusion Service Board mobile unit will be at Gaelscoil Mide, Greendale Road, Kilbarrack on Thursday 23rd Jan from 5pm to 8.30pm. Blood donors are urgently needed!



If you have an item for the newsletter please call **Tamine or Noreen** in the Parish Office on **01 8479822** between 9.30am - 12.30pm or leave a message and we will contact you. Alternatively you can email us on holytrinityparish.ie Items must be received by Wednesday for the following weekend newsletter.

The closing date for **Junior Infant applications** for Scoil



Bhríde and the other parish schools is **Monday 13th January 2020.** Please contact the school for any other information.

The monthly church gate collection for the **Society of St. Vincent de Paul** will take place



after all Masses **this** weekend . Your generosity is much appreciated. ALL donations go directly to individuals and families who request their help.

The Parish Team

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Social Media Why not keep up to date with developments in the parish by finding us and following us on your smart phone or tablet.



Confessions: *Saturday evening before Mass: from 5.50pm—6.20pm.*

Baptisms: 2nd & 4th Saturday of each month at 12noon. At the time of booking, a **Civil copy of the child's Birth Certificate** must be presented, and a Letter of Permission where relevant.

Marriages: By Appointment with the Local Clergy.

Cert Requests: Minimum 24hr notice required. Request form available online from parish website: www.holytrinityparish.ie

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Father God, we lift up all those who are facing illness today. We ask that You would bring healing, comfort and peace to their bodies. Calm their fears and let them experience the healing power of Your love. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Weekly Mass Times

Weekdays:	10.00a.m.
Wednesdays:	<i>Service of the Word</i>
Saturday Vigil:	6.30p.m.
(Choir)	
Sunday:	9.30a.m. 11.30a.m.

Family Offering 2019

If you would like to contribute to the Family Offering Collection, either by a weekly/monthly **Family Offering Envelope** or by a **Standing Order**, please contact the Parish Office on 8479822 or download the Form from our website

