

Parish Newsletter

SUNDAY 18th February 2018



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After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: "This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel." - Mk 1:14-15



We remember

Elizabeth Tracey

&

Maura Kelly

who died recently

MAY THEY REST

IN PEACE

THANKS

Church Collections

10th/11th February

1st Priests: €815.00

2nd: €648.00

Envelopes: €1083.00

LENT

Extra Mass during Lent

7.30am

Monday to Friday in the Oratory.

PARISH LOTTO

Development Fund

There was no winner of last week's Jackpot. The winning numbers were: 4, 16, 19, 31. Congratulations to last week's winners of the three €20 Prizes.

Next week's Jackpot will be € **7100.00**

The Draw takes place on Tuesday morning after 10 a.m. Mass. Entries for the Lotto draw each week must be put into the safe in the church by 11.00a.m. on Mondays.

All are welcome to attend the draw.

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MASS TIMES: SUNDAY

Vigil, 6.30p.m., 9.00a.m.,

10.30a.m. Family Mass

& 12 noon

PASTORAL AREA SUNDAY

EVENING MASS 7pm

IN CRUMLIN.

MONDAY – SATURDAY Mass at 10.00a.m.

Confessions after 10.00a.m. Mass Saturdays or on request.

PARISH OFFICE

OPENING HOURS

Monday - Wednesday

9.15a.m. to 1.00p.m.

& 2.00p.m. to 5.00p.m.

Thursday & Friday

9.15a.m. to 1.00p.m.

(Closed both afternoons)

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THIS WEEK

Monday 19th Feb **Choir**
practice at 7.45pm in the Choir
Gallery **Tuesday 20th Feb**
Legion of Mary meeting at 2.30pm
in the Pastoral Space

Wednesday 21st Feb **Guid-**
ed Prayer Group meeting in the
Pastoral Space

Thursday 22nd Feb **Parish**
Pastoral Council meeting in the
Pastoral Space at 7.30p.m.

Friday 23rd Feb **Eucharistic**
Prayer Group in the Oratory from
2.30p.m.—3.30p.m. All welcome.

Eucharistic Adoration Monday to
Friday 10.30a.m. to 5.00p.m in the
Oratory.

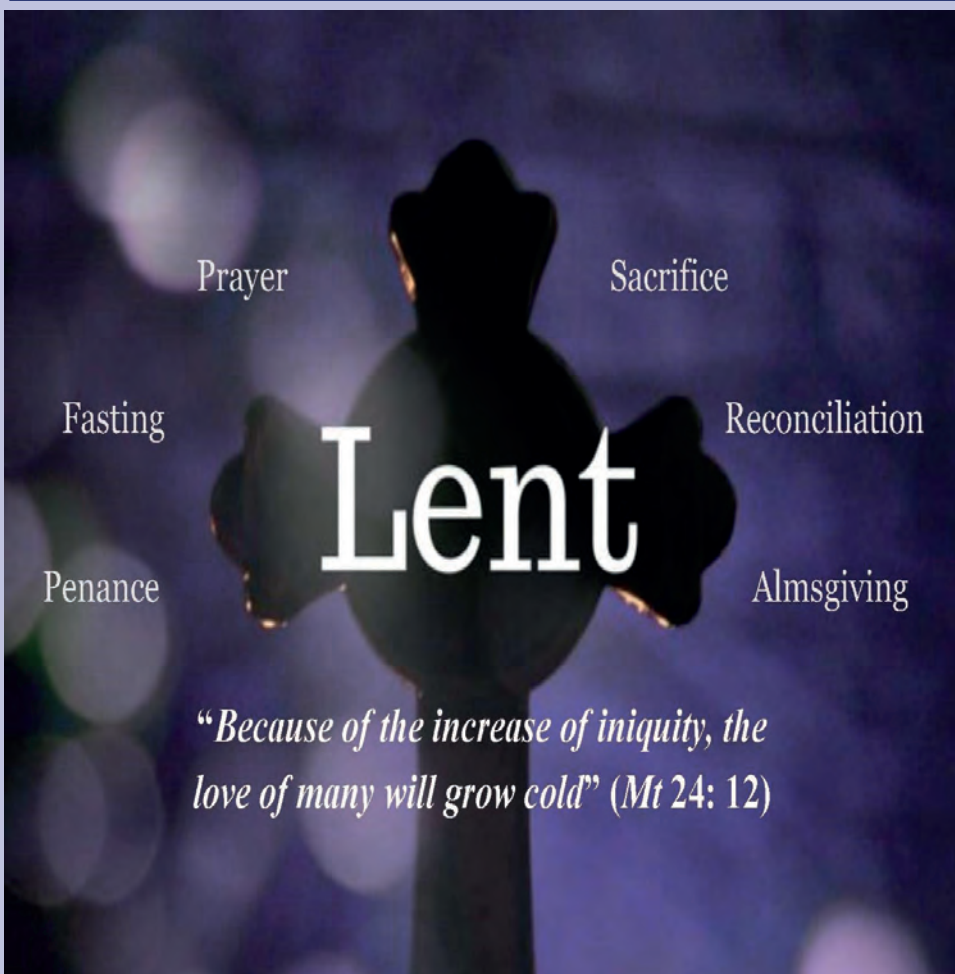


Pope Francis' Mes- sage for Lent 2018

The theme of Pope Francis' message for Lent 2018 is "*Because of the increase of iniquity, the love of many will grow cold*" (Mt 24: 12). In his mes-

sage Pope Francis says, "Above all, I urge the members of the Church to take up the Lenten journey with enthusiasm, sustained by almsgiving, fasting and prayer. If, at times, the flame of charity seems to die in our own hearts, know that this is never the case in the heart of God! He constantly gives us a chance to begin loving anew."

The annual Trócaire Lenten Campaign, Ireland's largest fundraiser began on Ash Wednesday, 14 February. This year, funds raised by Trócaire will be used to support over two million of the world poorest and most vulnerable people. Featured on this year's Trócaire box is seven-year-old Kumba, from Sierra Leone. This week marks the six month anniversary of the devastating mudslide that destroyed her home and killed over 1,000 people in the area of Freetown where she lives. Only one fifth of Kumba's community survived the mudslide. Launching the Lenten campaign, Eamonn Meehan, Trócaire's executive Director warned that growing numbers of people are being trapped in humanitarian crises. "At the age of just seven, Kumba has already survived an Ebola outbreak that killed 4,000 people and a mudslide that killed 1,000 people," he said. "Her young life has been spent in an almost constant state of crisis. Tragically, she is far from alone. A seven-year-old in Syria has never known peace; a seven-year-old in Gaza has survived two separate wars; a seven-year-old in South Sudan has experienced both famine and civil war in their short life. "The Lenten campaign comes at a time when conflict in many parts of the world has left millions of people at risk of famine and disease." "The work Trócaire does promoting human rights, women's empowerment and access to resources such as land and water is key to building strong and peaceful societies. That work is powered by our annual Lenten appeal. We will use donations to our campaign to support over two million of the poorest and most vulnerable people around the world this year." "We are incredibly grateful for the support we receive from parishes, schools and families all over Ireland, without whom this work would not be possible" said Eamonn Meehan. For more information about Trócaire's 2018 Lenten campaign, please visit www.trocaire.org.



The Christian ideal, especially in families, is a love that never gives up.
- Pope Francis



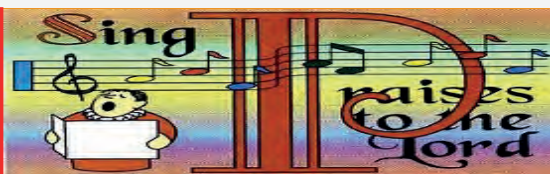
#WMOF2018

Amoris Laetitia

National Collection for the World Meeting of Families 2018

Please support the third National Collection for WMOF2018 which will be taken up in our parish next weekend - 24/25 February.

Emmanuel 2018 70 schools from different parts of the Diocese will take part in our biggest Emmanuel concerts to date – taking place on four nights (26/27/28 February and 1 March). 2400 students (600 per night) are participating in a massed choir, accompanied by a full orchestra. Tickets €12 at www.helix.ie or 01-700 7000. Please support your local school - full list of participating schools on litmus.dublindiocese.ie



Entrance: From heaven You came, helpless babe
Entered our world, Your glory veiled
Not to be served but to serve,
And give Your life that we might live
***This is our God, the Servant King
He calls us now to follow Him
To bring our lives as a daily offering
Of worship to the Servant King***

There in the garden of tears
My heavy load He chose to bear
His heart with sorrow was torn
'Yet not my will but yours,' He said
Come, see His hands and His feet
The scars that speak of sacrifice
Hands that flung stars into space
To cruel nails surrendered.

Recessional: Amazing grace how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me
I once was lost, but now I'm found
Was blind, but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear
And grace my fears relieved
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed

The lord has promised good to me
His word my hope secures
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures

THE ANNUAL COLLECTION FOR ACCORD THE DIOCESAN AGENCY FOR MARRIAGE AND THE FAMILY, WILL BE TAKEN UP AT ALL MASSES THIS WEEKEND, **FEBRUARY 17TH & 18TH**. THE COLLECTION FOR ACCORD WILL REPLACE THE USUAL SHARE COLLECTION. ACCORD DUBLIN NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT: PLEASE GIVE GENEROUSLY. **READINGS OF LENT FOR PRAYER AND PREACHING** FOR SIX WEDNESDAYS OF LENT, STARTING ON ASH WEDNESDAY IN ST MARY'S PRO-CATHEDRAL FROM 11.15AM TO 12.30PM. MASS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT 10.30AM AND 12.45PM. PRESENTER: KIERAN O'MAHONY, OSA. **MENTAL HEALTH AND HEALING** WITH JOAN FREEMAN SATURDAY 24TH FEBRUARY, 10AM-1.15PM IN ST MARTIN DE PORRES PARISH, OLD BAWN. IN 2006 JOAN FREEMAN FOUNDED PIETA HOUSE, A CHARITY THAT HELPS MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN WHO EXPERIENCE SUICIDAL DISTRESS OR WHO ENGAGE IN SELF-HARM. JOAN IS NOW DEVELOPING A SOMEWHAT SIMILAR SERVICE IN THE USA CALLED SOLACE HOUSE. THIS TALK WILL ALSO FEATURE A NUMBER OF PERSONAL STORIES OF FINDING HELP THROUGH TIMES OF EMOTIONAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL DESPAIR. INTENDED FOR ALL WHO WISH TO SECURE AND PROTECT THEIR OWN WELL-BEING AND WHO WISH TO ASSIST THOSE AROUND THEM. IT IS FREE TO ALL. ENQUIRIES: (01) 451 0160 **WORLD MEETING HOST A FAMILY** DO YOU HAVE A SPARE ROOM IN YOUR HOME AND WANT TO HELP? THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE WILL BE TRAVELLING FROM VERY DISTANT PLACES TO PARTICIPATE IN WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018 (DUBLIN, 21-26 AUGUST 2018). MANY WOULD BE UNABLE TO COME IF THEY ALSO HAD TO COVER THE COST OF ACCOMMODATION. DO YOU HAVE A SPARE ROOM? WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO HOST A PERSON, A COUPLE OR A FAMILY NEXT AUGUST? LEARN MORE AT WWW.WORLDMEETING2018.IE/HOSTAFAMILY Email us at hosting-team@worldmeeting2018.ie or call us on 01 567 6800. **The Encounter** Friday 23rd February in St. Paul's Church, Arran Quay at 8pm. A young adults [20's & 30's] event with live acoustic music, reflective prayer in adoration, and guest speakers st.pauls@dublindiocese.ie

PUBLIC MEETING
RE: REINSTATING OUR
PRIMARY CARE CENTRE

WED FEB 28TH @ 8:00 PM

OUR LADY'S HALL

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