

# SANDYFORD PARISH NEWSLETTER

Fr Andrew, Fr. Paul, Fr Aaron & Gráinne

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Happy  
New Year!

EXPOSITION  
OF THE  
BLESSED  
SACRAMENT  
in St Mary's Church.

Mondays at 8pm  
All day Tuesday with  
Guided Holy Hour  
at 8pm.

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Benediction  
Thursdays  
after 10am Mass.

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Morning Prayer of  
the Church:  
Weekdays 9.25am  
Rosary : Weekdays  
at 9.40am St. Mary's

ST. MARY'S CHURCH  
Catholic Papers in  
Church.  
Cleaning Rota D

Rosters for Baptism  
Team, Eucharistic  
Ministers and  
Readers, please  
collect from St.  
Mary's Porches.

MASS CARDS,  
MASS BOUQUETS AND  
CARDS FOR  
SPECIAL INTENTIONS  
AVAILABLE FROM  
SACRISTANS &  
PARISH OFFICE.  
€10 EACH AND ALL MASSES  
SAID IN THE PARISH.

## ADORATION RETURNS THIS WEEK !

**Adoration** all day Tuesdays in St Mary's

**Parish Holy Hour** - Tuesdays @ 8pm in St Mary's - all welcome!

**Youth Holy Hour** Mondays @ 8pm in St Mary's - all welcome!



### ST. MARY'S CHURCH MASS FOR THE SICK Mondays 10am

**Saturday 5th Jan 6pm**

John Duncan - Anniv  
Martin Curran - Anniv

**Sunday 6th January**

Feast of The Epiphany of The Lord

**Sunday 6th Jan 9am**

Nora Conway - Anniv  
Peter Cunningham - Anniv

**Sunday 6th Jan 11am**

Christopher O'Neill - Anniv  
Mary Kelly - Anniv

### ST PATRICK'S GLENCULLEN

**Sunday 6th Jan 10am**

Bridget Boylan 1st Anniv.  
James Boylan Dec'd  
Sylvester Costello. Isobella Costello.  
Dermot Costello. Patricia Hollis Costello.  
Matt & Kate Donnelly Anniv.

### OUR LADY OF THE WAYSIDE

**Sunday 6th Jan 12 Noon**

Kit O'Connor, Birthday Rem  
Mary & Denis McAuliffe - Anniv  
Norah & Edward Kennedy - Anniv  
Leonard Hughes - Anniv  
Owen & Michael Durnin - Anniv  
Thomas Spain - Anniv  
Williams Family



### REST IN PEACE



We extend our sympathy to  
the families and friends of

**Catherine (Bubbles) Lawless and  
Breda Kinsella**

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and  
may perpetual light shine upon them.  
May they rest in the peace of Christ.

Sandyford PARISH lotto

Happy 2 Birthday

### SANDYFORD PARISH LOTTO!!

The Parish Lotto is starting into it's  
third year of operation!

Many thanks to those who have supported  
the Lotto in it's second year and  
congratulations to our THREE jackpot  
winners and all our  
weekly lucky dip winners!

For those who bought annual tickets this time  
last year, don't forget to sign up to play for  
another year. Also, reminding those who  
signed up online for the annual ticket at the  
launch of the lotto and may not have ticked  
the 'automatically renew' button, that it's  
time to enter the draw for another year.

**Any queries, please contact the  
Parish Office.**

Please support our community fundraising  
initiative by purchasing a ticket and by  
spreading the news of our Parish Lotto to  
friends and family.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THIS  
WEEK'S LUCKY DIP WINNERS  
WHO EACH WIN €50:**

### Angela McDonald and Denis Ryan

For more information on how to sign up, play  
and support the parish, visit our dedicated  
lotto page at [www.sandyfordparish.org](http://www.sandyfordparish.org).

**This week's winning numbers:**

**9, 10, 18, 22**

(No winner this week) NEXT WEEK'S

**JACKPOT €2,600!**

Tickets cost €2.00 each with a minimum  
spend of €10. Why not buy an annual  
ticket for €100 and be in the draw  
every week for 52 weeks?

**Somebody's going to win,  
it might as well be you!**

## Dear Parishioners,

It was wonderful to see so many people attending our Christmas liturgies and a pleasure to welcome all who returned home for Christmas. Our Pastoral Centre came into its own as it acted as a side chapel on Christmas Eve to cater for the huge congregations. A special word of thanks to our Ministers of Word and Eucharist, Choirs, Cantors, Organists, Sacristans, Collectors, those who arranged the Flowers, Cribbs and helped in making our Churches so beautiful and making Christmas a very special and memorable time.

Our Parish continues to grow from strength to strength and I invite everyone to take an active role in Parish life by doing something new that involves putting one's faith in Christ into practical action in the here and now. It's lovely to hear so many people comment on the wonderful atmosphere in our Churches and many people have remarked on how great it is to see so many young families being involved. I hope that people of all ages and opinions will always feel welcome in our Parish Churches.

On behalf of the Parish team I wish you all a very Happy and Holy New year, and I assure you of our prayers and I ask you to keep us in your prayers also.

**With every good wish for 2019, Fr Andrew**

## Welcome Back

### Children's Liturgy of the Word

Will resume on Sunday 13th January  
after the Christmas break.

### Babytalk



We look forward to meeting all our friends again on this coming Wednesday, 9th of January from 9.30am to 11.30am in the Pastoral Centre.

New members most welcome.

### Youth 2000

Monday night Youth 2000 holy hour / prayer group will resume our weekly meeting on this Monday the January 7th at our normal time of 8pm with refreshments afterwards in the parish centre.

### CHURCH COLLECTIONS 30/12/2018

#### First Collection € 1,486

Goes to the Diocese for distribution towards the livelihood of all its Priests including those sick or retired.

#### Share Collection : € 1,147

Goes to Diocese to fund Diocesan, Administration, Pastoral Workers and the upkeep of Church Property.

### Christmas Dues

**Thank you to all who have already returned their Christmas Dues. Envelopes are available at the church doors for all who have yet to do so.**

Offerings to the Christmas Dues can be included in the total of annual donations from parishioners for Tax Reclaim purposes. If the total donations are in excess of €250 and subject to the parishioner's agreement, the Parish can then process a Tax Claim on that donation.

We thank you in advance for your generosity.



### Sandyford Parish Bereavement Support Group Sandyford Parish Pastoral Centre.

Next meeting this Wednesday the 9th of January 2019.

Next weekly morning meeting on this Thursday the 10th of January from 11am to 12.30pm.

All support sessions are free and completely confidential. Phone 087 2983591 to contact direct.

**Anam Cara South Dublin**, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on Monday 14th of January at 7:20pm in the Maldron Hotel, Tallaght, Dublin 24. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. Contact 01 4045378

Email Address [c.dingle@anamcara.ie](mailto:c.dingle@anamcara.ie)

Web Address [www.anamcara.ie](http://www.anamcara.ie)

### Kiltiernan Adult Education

Enrolment - Spring 2019

Sat. 12th Jan - 10 a.m. to 12 noon

Mon. Tues. Wed. 14th 15th 16th Jan - 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. Brochures in Church Porch.

Enquiries - 01-2952050

### New Year Resolutions!

There are many ways to get involved in your parish! Volunteers are always needed to assist as Counters, Collectors, Readers, Singers, Musicians, Choir Members, Hospitality, Cleaners, Visitors to Senior Parishioners, Baptism Team, Flower Team, Children's Liturgy Team and much more....

If you're interested in getting involved in 2019 leave your name with any of the priests or with the Sacristans.

A big thank you to all who continue to partake of Parish life so generously and freely!!