



EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tuesday night Eucharistic Adoration is taking a summer break and it will resume in September.

Rosary weekdays at 9.40am St. Mary's



FIRST FRIDAY ST.MARY'S 2ND SEPTEMBER 10AM

All those whose names are on the **Altar List Of The Dead** will be remembered

CHURCH UPKEEP PLEASE PICK UP ROTA IN ST.MARY PORCH

MASS CARDS, MASS BOUQUETS AND CARDS FOR SPECIAL INTENTIONS AVAILABLE FROM SACRISTANS & PARISH OFFICE. €10 EACH



SANDYFORD PARISH NEWSLETTER

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BAPTISED RECENTLY

We welcome the following children who were baptised last weekend in the Parish.

Ciara Martha and Eabha Jennifer



We are delighted to welcome them into our Parish Faith Community.

POPE'S INTENTION FOR AUGUST

"We pray for small and medium sized businesses; in the midst of economic and social crisis, may they find ways to continue operating, and serving their communities."

LEGION OF MARY CENTENARY CONCERT

To mark the 100th year anniversary of the Legion of Mary, a concert will take place in the historical surroundings of St Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin, on Saturday, September 3rd. Special guests include award winning soprano Celine Byrne, the Dublin Concert Band, Lorraine Mathews. Book at Eventbrite. Tickets are €30 (premium – seating in reserved area) and €20 (general admission).

NATIONAL NOVENA AT KNOCK

The National Novena to Our Lady of Knock will take place from **Sunday, August 14, to Monday, August 22**, offering nine days of reflection and prayer and a chance to connect with your faith in the unique and sacred space of Knock Shrine. This year's theme is 'A Journey in Hope'. For more information and the programme of events, visit knockshrine.ie.



Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK ST. MARY'S
Saturday 13th August 6pm
Get well May & Shane
William O'Connor, Recently Deceased

Sunday 14th August 9am
Mary McGowan, Recently Deceased
Noel Connolly, Recently Deceased

Sunday 14th August 11am
Thelma Walsh, 2nd Anniversary.
Thanksgiving.

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION AND PARISH FEAST DAY – MONDAY 15TH
10am Mass for Sick

Siobhan Torpie, Recently Deceased
Brendan O'Leary, Recently Deceased
Jean Henry, Recently Deceased
John Colton, Recently Deceased

Monday 15th August 7.30pm
Special Intention Carmel
Barbara Weldon, Recently Deceased
Val Kemp, Recently Deceased

Tuesday 16th August 10am
John & Gregory Sexton, Anniversary
Noel Connolly, Recently Deceased
Wednesday 17th August 10am
Siobhan Torpie, Recently Deceased
David Scanlan, Recently Deceased

Thursday 18th August, 10am
Birthday Blessings, Sr Dominic

Friday 19th August, 10am
Sr Carmel Recently Deceased

ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, GLENCULLEN

Sunday 14th August, 10am
Birthday Intention
George & Catherine Fox Anniversary

OUR LADY OF THE WAYSIDE, KILTERNAN

Sunday 14th August 12 Noon
John Keenan, Months mind
Baby Francisco Elhart Madden 1st Anniversary.
Danny Aitchison, healing
Bridget & William Mullen, Anniversary



PARISH FEAST DAY – MONDAY 15TH AUGUST

Monday 15th of August is the Solemnity of the Assumption of Our Lady and the feast day of our Parish! Masses will be celebrated in St Mary's at 10am and 7.30pm.

The Great Feast of the "Assumption of our Lady" is a feast of great hope, for where Mary has gone, we hope to follow. For many years, St Mary's Church, Sandyford bore the title "Our Lady of the Assumption" and retains its feast day on the Solemnity of the Assumption.

We remember on this day especially our serving priests, our former parish priests and all who have gone to God who have been a part of the life of this parish throughout the years.

PARISH BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP SUMMER TIMES

If you are bereaved or experiencing loss of any kind and would appreciate talking to trained listeners in a supportive, confidential setting, you would be very welcome to attend.

There is no bereavement support for the month of August. Evening meetings return on 7th September.

Usual Meetings starting back on Thursday 1st September, and the first Wednesday 7th September.

All support sessions are free & completely confidential.

ORGANIST FOR THE BLUE CHURCH

We are looking for someone to volunteer to play hymns on the organ at the 12 Mass in Kiltarnan once a month. If you are interested in offering your gifts and talents in this way, please contact Canon John Delany



ST VINCENT DE PAUL

MONTHLY COLLECTION WILL TAKE PLACE AFTER ALL MASSES ON THE LAST WEEKEND OF EVERY MONTH
Donations to the local St Vincent de Paul can be left at any time into the Parish Office or post box at St Mary's. You can also now lodge to Sandyford Vincent de Paul online or through the bank: **IE37 AIBK 9331 2016 0050 16.**

PETER MCVERRY TRUST WEXFORD CYCLE 2022

The annual Peter McVerry Trust Wexford Cycle 2022 will take place on Saturday 17th September. The cycle raises vital funds for the housing and homeless charity founded by Fr Peter McVerry. The event is open to all abilities and is a great day out. To find out more visit www.pmvtrust.ie/cycle or call 01 823 0776.



Temporary Suspension of Sandyford Lotto

We are currently unable to run the weekly lotto as, unfortunately, the annual licence for the Sandyford Parish Lotto has expired.

The renewal application is being processed and we are awaiting granting of the new licence, which we have been told will be a matter of weeks, so regrettably, the Parish weekly Lotto has been temporarily suspended. We wish to reassure you that the current entries will be rolled over and honoured when the Draw resumes.

We wish to apologise for any inconvenience and we will notify you as soon as we are able to continue with this very vital source of fundraising for the Parish. Thank you for your ongoing support of the Parish.

DONATIONS TO THE PARISH DURING JULY 2022

Family Offering Envelopes Total: €1,471

Standing Order Total: € 5,306

Online Donations Total: €266

Tap & Go device in St Mary's Porch: €701

Donations to all the above go entirely to our own Parish for upkeep and running of our three Churches. The parish is very grateful for your contribution to the Parish. With your consent, the Parish can claim back 31% of every total annual donation in excess of €250.

DONATIONS TO THE COLLECTIONS DURING JULY 2022

Online Donations to Collections: €408

Tap & Go devices in St Mary's Church: €1,140

This will be divided between the Diocesan First Collection and the Share Collection. Contributions to the Collections can also continue to be made in the envelopes provided in the Church Porches.

COLLECTIONS SUNDAY 7TH AUGUST

First Collection €911

Goes to the Diocese for distribution towards the livelihood of all its Priests.

Second Collection € 450

Goes to the Diocese to fund Diocesan, Administration, Pastoral Workers & upkeep of Church Properties.

Please note that the collection taken up at the Masses is ONE collection only which is divided 60/40 in favour of the first collection and the Share or any special collection.

(The 60/40 divide is applicable also with the tap/go machine in St Mary's)