



### 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 C 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.



**Fionn Seán  
Nahla Nikita  
Dylan Michael  
Ellie Carmel  
Katie Leigh**

**Indie Angela  
Johnny James  
Victoria**

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

#### POPE'S INTENTION FOR AUGUST

"In the one People of God, therefore, let us journey together, in order to experience a Church that receives and lives this gift of unity, and is open to the voice of the Spirit,"

#### 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).

#### WELCOME SHINE - CARER'S SUPPORT GROUP

The Blackrock/South Dublin Carers support group of Shine meets on the first Monday of each month @ 8pm (except for public holidays when it's the second Monday). Founded in 1976 this carer's group led to the formation of what is now SHINE.

Meetings are for all carers dealing with a loved one experiencing Mental Illness. They are an opportunity to discuss -share problems - support each other privately & in confidence. We maintain close links with the Mental Health Services to keep ourselves informed.



**Mass Intentions  
FOR THE WEEK  
ST. MARY'S**  
**Saturday 6th August 6pm**  
Rita Pyrke—1st Anniversary  
Special Intention for  
Amy, Claire, Séan & Steph.  
Birthday Blessings Ailish Collins & Family.

**Sunday 7th August 9am**  
Eileen Boland, Recently Deceased

**Sunday 7th August 11am**  
Kieran Devery, Month's Mind  
Mary Loughran, Anniversary  
Fintan Walsh, Anniversary  
Catherine & Dympna Sherry, Anniversary  
Patrick Downes, 4th Anniversary  
Birthday Blessings for Gay

**Monday 8th August 10am  
Mass for Sick**  
Eileen Boland, Recently Deceased  
Joan Neal, Recently Deceased  
Birthday Blessings Peg  
Birthday Blessings Nell  
Birthday Blessings Betty

**Tuesday 9th August 10am**  
David Jones, Recently Deceased

**Wednesday 10th August 10am**  
Miriam Evans Anniversary  
Health Intention

#### OUR LADY OF THE WAYSIDE, KILTERNAN

**Sunday 7th August 12 Noon**  
Charlie Fell, 7th Anniversary  
Joe Walsh, 2nd Anniversary  
Kathleen Spain, Anniversary

**Anam Cara** South Dublin, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding it's monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Monday 12th September at 7:15pm in the Maldron Hotel, Whitestown Way, Tallaght. 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.



#### 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 PP.



#### 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](http://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 31ST JULY

**First Collection €797**  
Goes to the Diocese for distribution towards the livelihood of all its Priests.  
**Second Collection € 460**  
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)