



### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

PARISH ADORATION AT ST MARY'S

Resumes this Tuesday 10th January at 8pm.

### PARISH OFFICE OPENING TIMES

9.30am to 1pm Monday to Friday

### EUCCHARIST MINISTERS & READERS

January Rota available in Porch

### CHURCH UPKEEP

Monday 9th January TEAM A

New Rota available in Porch

### IRISH CATHOLIC PAPER

Fresh copies available in St Mary's. Offering can be made to shrines or Parish office.

### ST VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION

You can continue to lodge to Sandyford Vincent de Paul through the bank: IE37 AIBK 9331 2016 0050 16 Or use the QR Code below to donate.

Open the built-in camera app on your phone. Point the camera at the QR code. Tap the yellow banner that appears on your Android phone or tablet - easypaymentsplus.com.

Follow the instructions on the screen to make the donation.



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# SANDYFORD PARISH NEWSLETTER

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### Sunday Morning Coffee

Sunday 8th and 22nd January

after the 11am Mass in St Mary's Coffee Dock, Sandyford Parish Pastoral Centre. Join us for a half hour after the 11am Mass for a cup of Tea/Coffee in a warm and welcoming atmosphere!

### Next Sandyford Parish Social

THIS Wednesday 11th January 2.30pm to 4.30pm

Come along and enjoy a cuppa and sing along. All very welcome!!

Please spread the word if you know anyone who might be interested in attending.

If transport is required please email office@sandyfordparish.org or phone 01 2956414.

### Defibrillators installed in Our Lady of the Wayside and St. Patrick's Churches

We are happy to inform you that there now are Defibrillators in each of our three Churches and we would like to thank all those who contributed so generously to the purchase of these.

### PARISH BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

087 2983591

CONTACT DIRECTLY OR DROP IN THURSDAYS 11AM-12.30PM OR 7.30PM FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH.

If you are bereaved or experiencing loss of any kind and would appreciate talking to trained listeners in a supportive, confidential setting. Join us for a cup of tea/coffee and a chat in our Parish Pastoral Centre, Sandyford Village.

### The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord

The feast of the Baptism of the Lord both closes Christmas and opens up Ordinary Time. The baptism of Christ is a baptism received from John the Baptist for the forgiveness of sins. Jesus' baptism is, as the late Pope Benedict has said, "an act of solidarity with sinners", for Christ who is without sin makes holy the waters of baptism for all who seek a new way of life.



### ST. MARY'S, SANDYFORD

Saturday 7th January 6pm

Special Intention for Amy, Stephanie, Clare, Sean and Ian.

James Gill, 2nd Anniversary.

Frank Duffy, 9th Anniversary

Sunday 8th January 9am

Patricia & Eddie Valentine, Anniversary

Nora Conway, Anniversary

Mary Kelly, Anniversary

Fr Myles Nolan OP, Anniversary

Sunday 8th January 11am

Christopher O'Neill, 24th Anniv

### ST. PATRICK'S, GLENCULLEN

Sunday 8th January 10am

James O'Neill, Anniversary  
Mary, Robbie & Michael O'Connor, Anniversary

### OUR LADY OF THE WAYSIDE,

Sunday 8th January 12 Noon

Evelyn O'Toole, Month's Mind

Thomas Spain, Anniversary

Julia O'Grady, Anniversary

### Monday 9th January 10am

Funeral Mass for Matthew Murray

Tuesday 10th January 10am

Jo Drew, Recently Deceased

Margot McEaney, Recently Deceased

Betty Nolan, Recently Deceased

Wednesday 11th January 10am

Evelyn O'Toole, Recently Deceased

Sean O'Seachnasaí, Recently Deceased

Thursday 12th January 10am

Kitty Patterson, Recently Deceased

Denis McLaughlin, Recently Deceased

Bridie Gilligan, Recently Deceased

Friday 13th January

Christina McDermott, Recently Deceased

Health Intention for Rahul



### REST IN PEACE

We extend our sympathy to the families and friends of **Mary McMahan, Denis Messitt and Matthew Murray** Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and may perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in the peace of Christ.



### RETURN OF BABYTALK THIS WEDNESDAY 11TH JANUARY 9.30—12noon



Sandyford Parish are delighted to announce the return of the Parish Mother & Toddler group Babytalk.

Every Wednesday starting

11th January 9.30am - 12 noon in the Parish Pastoral Centre Sandyford.

No need to book to attend, please just turn up.

All very welcome. Contact us at the Parish

Office 2956414 for more information.

(€3 Voluntary contribution appreciated.)

Babytalk is a playgroup for all parents and carers of babies right from birth through to the toddler years. Enjoy a cuppa and chat with parents/carers from the area. Arrive any Wednesday for a warm welcome.

### SANDYFORD BRIDGE CLUB RESUMES MONDAY 9TH JANUARY AT THE EARLIER TIME OF 1.30PM

Dublin's friendliest Bridge Club is looking for new members! Ideal for beginners!

Phone Freda: 087 6525859

### IRISH CATHOLIC NEWSPAPER

A special edition of the Irish Catholic is available in the porches in St Mary's. This special edition marks the passing of the late Pope, Benedict XVI and pays tribute to his service to the Church.



### THE WORK OF CHRISTMAS

When the song of the angels is stilled, when the star in the sky is gone, when the kings and princes are home, when the shepherds are back with their flocks, the work of Christmas begins: to find the lost, to heal the broken, to feed the hungry, to release the prisoner, to rebuild the nations, to bring peace among the people, to make music in the heart.

The poem "The Work of Christmas" is from Howard Thurman's The Mood of Christmas

### FAMILY OFFERING ENVELOPES

For anyone who contributes to the parish using the Family Offering envelopes and have not yet received this year's boxes, they can now be collected from the Parish Office or sacristy in St Mary's.



There was no winner of the jackpot this week, with the numbers drawn as follows: 9, 10, 12, 28.

The next draw will take place on Thursday the 12th of January, when the jackpot will be €4,200.

Winners of the Lucky Dip prize of €50 this week are Liz Roche and Niamh Bonar.

If there is no winner the prize will increase weekly by €100. For more information on how to sign up, play and support the parish, visit our dedicated lotto page at www.sandyfordparish.org. Tickets cost €2 each with a minimum spend of €10. Tickets can be bought from the Parish Office, Church sacristans and through the Parish Website. Thank you for supporting our Parish

### DONATIONS TO THE PARISH DURING DECEMBER 2022

Family Offering Envelopes Total: €3,915

Standing Order Total: € 4,525

Online Donations Total: €1,031

Tap & Go device in St Mary's Porch: €1,347

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 DEC 2022

Online Donations to Collections: €425

Tap & Go devices in St Mary's Church: €1,114

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 1ST JAN 2023

First Collection €1,051

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

Share Collection € 1,040

Goes to the Diocese for distribution to fund Diocesan, Administration, Pastoral Workers and upkeep of Church Properties.

### CHRISTMAS DUES



The Christmas Dues envelopes continue to be available at the Church doors.

The Christmas Dues together

with the First Collection provides the

monthly remuneration of all Dublin diocesan priests. 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.

Thank you to all who have already contributed.