



# SANDYFORD PARISH NEWSLETTER

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There was no winner of the jackpot this week, with the numbers drawn as follows: 1, 6, 14 & 17.

The next draw will take place on Thursday the 9th of March, when the jackpot will be €5100.

Winners of the Lucky Dip prize of €50 this week are Pauline Conlon and Deirdre McDonnell

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). 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**

**ST. MARY'S, SANDYFORD**  
**Saturday 11th March 6pm**  
Niall Cormican, Months Mind  
Angela O'Neill, 10th Anniversary  
Mrs O'Connor, Recently Deceased  
Michael Byrne, Anniversary

**Sunday 12th March 9am**  
Kevin Hallahan, Recently Deceased  
Ellen & Christy Goulding, RIP  
Barbara Murtagh Recently Deceased

**Sunday 12th March 11am**  
Anna Fitzpatrick, Anniversary  
Dara Fitzpatrick Anniversary and her Colleagues  
Mark, Ciarán & Paul  
The Crew from Rescue 116  
Noel, Mary & Brenda Leonard, Anniversary  
Gerard White, Recently Deceased  
Tony Boyle, First Anniversary.  
Mary Murphy-Fair, Birthday Blessings

**Monday 13th March 10am**  
Get Well Lily  
Brian Covery, Recently Deceased  
Sr Phyllis Bennett, RIP

**Tuesday 14th March 10am**  
Anna Fitzpatrick, Anniversary  
Dara Fitzpatrick Anniversary and her Colleagues  
Mark, Ciarán & Paul  
The Crew from Rescue 116  
Dolores Lennon

**Wednesday 15th March 10am**  
Chacko Mathew 7th Anniversary  
Barbara Murtagh Recently Deceased

**Thursday 16th March**  
Elaine Bardy, 11th Anniversary  
Denise Butler Recently Deceased

**ST. PATRICK'S GLENCULLEN**  
**Sunday 12th March 10am**  
Anna Fitzpatrick, Anniversary.  
Dara Fitzpatrick Anniversary and her Colleagues  
Mark, Ciarán & Paul  
The Crew from Rescue 116  
Michael O'Connor 5th Anniversary  
Baby Chloe McNamara, Anniversary

**OUR LADY OF THE WAYSIDE**  
**Sunday 12h March 12 Noon**  
Anna Fitzpatrick, Anniversary  
Dara Fitzpatrick Anniversary and her Colleagues  
Mark, Ciarán & Paul  
The Crew from Rescue 116.  
Vincent Barnett, 1st Anniv.  
Francis Palmer, Anniv. Kitt O'Haire, Anniv.  
Mary Hall, Anniversary Joseph Hall, Anniversary  
Philomena Hall, Anniversary

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**  
**HOLY HOUR ST MARY'S**  
Tuesdays at 8pm.

**EUCHARIST MINISTERS & READERS**  
March Rota available in Porch.

**CHURCH UPKEEP**  
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 DONATIONS**  
LAST WEEKEND OF THE MONTH

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

**Stepaside St Patrick's Day Parade Returns**

The Stepside St Patrick's Day Parade 2023 takes place **Friday March 17th at 1:30pm.** The Parade will commence at Belarmine Roundabout and proceed to the Village along the Enniskerry Road. If you would like to participate in the Parade then please contact the organisers at [StepasideParade@gmail.com](mailto:StepasideParade@gmail.com) There will be a Fun Fair in the Village Car Park, Food Trucks, Entertainment, Live Music and much much more.. Hosted by: Stepside Business Association in partnership with Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council and Sponsors.

**ST PATRICK'S DAY**  
ST MARY'S 9am and 11am  
ST PATRICK'S 10am  
OUR LADY OF THE WAYSIDE 12 noon

**HAPPY ST PATRICK'S DAY CARD IN OFFICE €5 INCLUDING SHARED MASS**

**PARISH SOCIAL**  
**WEDNESDAY 15TH MARCH—FROM 2.30pm**  
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](mailto:office@sandyfordparish.org) or phone 01 2956414

**NEXT SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE 19TH MARCH**  
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!

**PARISH BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP 087 2983591**  
CONTACT DIRECTLY OR DROP IN.  
**THURSDAYS 11AM-12.30PM OR 7.30PM FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH.**  
In our Parish Pastoral Centre, Sandyford Village.

**SANDYFORD PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK**  
Joining the Diocesan Pilgrimage with Fr Paul April 29th 2023  
More Details to follow...



**ST MARY'S CHURCH BATHROOM IS CLOSED.**  
Please avail of the 5 bathrooms in the Pastoral centre. Thank you.

**PARISH LENTEN PROGRAMME**



**ST MARY'S CHURCH**

**Mon– Fri– Holy Mass @ 10am**  
**Tuesdays @ 8pm – Holy Hour**  
**Fridays @ 7pm – Stations of the Cross & Confessions (except St Patrick's Day)**

**PARISH PASTORAL CENTRE**  
**Tuesdays @ 7.30pm – Christ & the Sacraments**  
An exciting lecture exploring what is a sacrament!

-Part of the Reasons to Believe Series—  
**Thursdays @ 7.30pm – Lectio Divina**

**TROCAIRE BOXES MAY BE RETURNED ANYTIME FROM APRIL 6TH**

**ANNUNCIATION OF OUR LORD**  
Fr John will celebrate Mass at 10am on Saturday March 25th for the Feast of the Annunciation. All are welcome to attend. (The Parish does not normally have a public Mass on a Saturday Morning)

**Lectio Divina**  
Praying with the Gospel—Thursdays @ 7.30pm in the Parish Centre! We are looking for people to commit to this weekly prayer meeting for the rest of Lent! Highly Recommended!

**"KOINS FOR KIDS IRELAND"**  
This is a voluntary charity putting all their efforts into the funding of lifesaving equipment (a Pediatric MRI Scanner for the new children's hospital) . "Koins for Kids Ireland" has a home for every coin or banknote on this planet. No donation is too small and your donation can be left into the Parish Office.

**DONATIONS TO THE PARISH JANUARY 2023**

**Family Offering Envelopes Total: €1,469**  
**Standing Order Total: € 4,129**  
**Online Donations Total: €356**  
**Tap & Go device in St Mary's Porch: €1,060**  
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.

**COLLECTIONS SUNDAY 26TH FEBRUARY 2023**  
**First Collection €1,336**  
Goes to the Diocese for distribution towards the livelihood of all its Priests.  
**Special collect for Turkey & Syria Earthquake €5,485**

**OTHER DONATIONS TO THE COLLECTIONS JAN 2023**  
**Online Donations to Collections: €230**  
**Tap & Go devices in St Mary's Church: €874**  
Contributions to the Collections can also continue to be made in the envelopes provided in the Church Porches.

**PARISH INCOME & EXPENDITURE**

<b>Income to the Parish</b>	<b>Parish Expenditure</b>
Standing Orders	Parish Liturgies
Family Offering Envelopes	Parish Activities
Once Off Donations	Parish Office
Lotto Income	Salaries
Online Donations	Utility Bills
Tap & Go in St Mary's Porch	Altar Supplies
Tax Refund on Donations	Sacramental Programmes
Shrine Income	Repairs & Upkeep of the Churches
Offerings for Baptisms, Weddings and Funerals	Insurances
Offerings in relation to the administration of Sacramental Programmes	Bank Charges

**REST IN PEACE**  
We extend our sympathy to the families and friends of Barbara Murtagh, Patrick Connor and Eileen Murphy. Eternal Rest Grant unto them O Lord and let Perpetual light shine upon them.