

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Baptisms

Sunday August 7th 1:15

Saturday September 17th at 12:15

www.goodshepherdchurchtown.ie

NB. Please bring booking form & birth cert when booking baptism



Please pray for
those who died recently

Annie Feighery

May she rest in peace

Parish Legion of Mary Recruiting

The local branch of the Legion of Mary will be inviting Parishioners to consider becoming **members of the Legion after Masses on Sunday 23/24th July.**

The Legion has had a presence in the Parish for the past 14 years.

If you feel you would like to support the Church in this apostolate please talk to one of the Legionaries who will be outside the Church doors after the Masses.

Mount Carmel Community Hospital

Over the past couple of months some of our Ministers of the Eucharist have been visiting the hospital and bring Holy Communion to those who are resident there. This has been very much appreciated by both the staff and patients and we thank those from our parish who have been visiting the hospital since the beginning of this year. We are about to prepare the roster from August to December. If any Minister of the Eucharist would like to volunteer, it would be very much appreciated. The commitment involved is for 1 hour 11am-12noon on a Tuesday or Wednesday for 1 month between August and December. If you would be willing to help in this important ministry, please leave your name with Niamh in the Parish Office. Thank You.

Shop

Open before and after all weekend Masses and after the 10am Mass on weekdays. Items include:

- Holy Water Fonts
- Mass Cards and Cards for other occasions. Price €1
- Hand Made Cards €3
- Religious Publications
- Rosary Beads, Prayer cards



Please support **Our Lady's Hospice & Care Services** volunteers 23rd & 24th July.

The Hospice provides palliative and end-of-life care to patients and supports families.

Palliative admissions have increased by 38% while state funding has fallen by 25% since 2009 so we depend on the community for ongoing support.

Car Parking

It has been brought to our attention over recent weeks that at weekend Masses, some cars are parked in a manner that may be dangerous to cyclists and other motorists, on Nutgrove Avenue / Oakdown Road. We invite you when parking your car either inside or outside the church grounds, to do so with regard to other motorists and cyclists, and not to park in a manner that block any exits in case of an emergency. Your cooperation in this matter is very much appreciated.

Fr. John Lule Appeal for st Marys school

We will have our outdoor appeal for donations to complete our new school this weekend after all masses.

Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes

The Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from Friday Sept 2nd to Wednesday Sept 7th inclusive. The cost is €749 per person sharing (single room supplement €35 per night) which includes the following: Return flight Dublin/Tarbes/Dublin Accommodation for 5 nights on a full board basis (Hotel Moderne) Full religious programme operated by Marian Pilgrimages Coach transfers while in France Services of a Marian Pilgrimages guide throughout All airport taxes and Travel insurance Spiritual Director: Fr. Brian Edwards Marian Pilgrimages have advised us this week that there are 7 places left on the flight for those who may wish to travel with the parish. A booking form along with a sample itinerary is available at the back of the church. At present there are 19 people travelling on this pilgrimage. Anyone who would like to join us should complete the booking form and return it to the Parish office with payment before the weekend of July 30th/31st.