

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**The annual collection of
'Peter's Pence'
will be taken up at all
Masses this weekend.**

Today we take up the 'Peter's Pence Collection', one of the oldest collections in Church history, a tradition in which the church worldwide supports the charitable and evangelical work of the Bishop of Rome. Hopefully you will give generously to this collection as a sign of gratitude and recognition of the work of Pope Francis.

(Due to Peter's Pence today the SVP collection will be next week instead).



Baptisms

Saturday 16th July 12:15
Sunday August 7th 1:15

www.goodshepherdchurchtown.ie
NB. Please bring booking form &
birth cert when booking baptism

Parish Lotto

Has now reached €2700
**Results of the draw held on
Monday 27th June 2016**

7 ♦ 12 ♦ 19 ♦ 30
No Jackpot winner.

Car Parking

It has been brought to **our attention** that at weekend masses, some cars are parked in a manner that maybe **dangerous** to cyclists and other motorists, on Nutgrove Avenue / Oakdown Road and within the church grounds.

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.**

Also Please do not block the access to the Parish Centre, ie do not park along the right hand side of the Nutgrove entrance to the church.

Your cooperation in this matter is very much appreciated.

We are delighted to have **Fr John Lule** with us over these weeks, he is most welcome among us
We will take a special collection for St. Mary school in two weeks time on the 17th July.

Mass updates in neighbouring parishes.

Rathfarnham

No 7.30pm evening Mass
Monday to Friday in the months of
July and August
There will be no 4.30pm Sunday
Mass also.

Ballinteer

No 9.30am Mass on Thursday's
during July or August 2016
5.30pm Sunday mass ceases for July
& Aug

Meadowbrook

No Saturday Vigil 6.30pm Mass
during July August & September

Receiving Holy Communion

Holy Communion is available from
the **Chalice** also.

Coeliac Hosts are also available –
please tell Ray in the Sacristy

The ministers are happy to bring
communion to **people in the seats,**
after the congregation have come
forward. Please let them know or
indicate to them as they pass through
the church.

A few stewards would be most
helpful for this - please contact Valerie
Somers or Niamh in the office if you
are willing to help

ENVELOPE SYSTEM FIRST COLLECTION

Thanks to the 60 people who signed
up for the new First Collection
Envelope System

Some questions have been asked eg

**What if I don't come to mass here
every week?**

That is ok, you can place your
envelope in the Red bag the weeks you
are here. If you go to mass elsewhere
then you can support the first
collection in that parish in the usual
way.

**But if I don't contribute here each
week then my total for the first
collection for the year won't reach
€250**

That may not matter either as the total
of €250 includes Christmas and Easter
Dues and Family Offering.

For example

If someone contributed the following:
Christmas Dues €50 Easter Dues €50
Family Offering for the year €100 then
their total over the last few years
would be €200, and we cannot reclaim
the tax on this.

However if we now add in the First
Collection for 10 weeks at €5 per week
then their total reaches €250 and so we
can now claim the tax back

Envelopes for the first 50 who signed up are
in use from today.

We will be ordering **a new batch** of
envelopes for those whose forms we have
received in the last week and for anyone else
who would be willing to sign up over the next
month or so.

Thank You
May/June Collections
Family Offering for the running of
the parish
May June

Interested in Spirituality?
A new programme in spirituality is
being offered in partnership with
Lumen – Dominican Centre, Sion

Hill Campus, Blackrock, Co. Dublin.
This Adult Education Certificate in Spirituality is a two-year part-time programme which takes place on Thursday evenings from 7.00 – 9.30pm and on seven Saturdays each year. It is an exciting and spiritually enriching programme open to all, no prior learning is required. For further information contact Anne Ryan, anneryanflanagan@gmail.com, 086 884 3652.



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SVP

Kerdiffstown Holiday

7th August - 13th August
for forms please call
Tel 087 3927023

Cemetery Masses

Templeogue Cemetery Mass will take place on Saturday 25th June at 3.00pm. Followed by Blessing of Graves up in the parish cemetery.

Join Bohernabreena parish in celebrating our Annual Cemetery Mass which takes place on the 19th June at 3.00pm.

Mulhuddart Cemetery Mass will take place on Sunday 19th June at 3pm

Monday, Thurs and Friday 10 - 1pm



Are you travelling abroad?

You are welcome to call to the office or sacristy to get the mass leaflets for the weekends you are away. Those going to mass in a foreign language find this helpful. We usually have a supply of leaflets two months ahead of time. There is also a great iphone or smart phone app called "iMissal" which is excellent for the readings. It does not use data when you're travelling. Try it out. It has all the weekday readings too, so it can be used even if you are not travelling.

Parish Office Hours

For the months of July and August the parish office hours will be

The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



After 40 days of Lent and 50 days of Easter and the special Celebrations of Pentecost, Holy Trinity and Corpus Christi we return to Ordinary Time today with the 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time. The colour for Ordinary Time is green. We will continue in Ordinary time until the 34th Week in Ordinary Time at the end of November when we begin a new Liturgical year with Advent. During this time each Sunday we will read from St Mark's Gospel in a semi-continuous way. eg Starting today Chapter 4 of Mark, verse 26



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