

WELCOME TO THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, CHURCHTOWN

Sunday 5th November, 2017. **31st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Parish Office Opening Hours: Monday, Thursday, Friday 10.00am – 2 pm

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Mass Intentions for the Coming Week

Saturday 4th November 2017

7.15pm

Sunday 5th November, 2017

10am Joe and Helen Sheehan (A)
Therese and Denis Flannery (A)
Kathleen Freehill (Rec)
Thomas Joseph Ainsworth (A)
Loretta and James Roddy (A)

12pm Michael Hughes (A)
Kathleen Finnegan (A)
Dr. John Neary (A)
Eithne Whelan (Months Mind)
Thomas Joseph Ainsworth (A)

Monday 6th November

10am

Tuesday 7th November

10am Loretta and James Roddy (A)

Wednesday 8th November

10am

Thursday 9th November

10am

Friday 10th November

10am Fred Kneeshaw (A)

Saturday 11th November 2017

10am

7.15pm Mass for Deceased Staff and
community of Good
Shepherd and
De La Salle College.
Kathleen Finnegan (A)
Susan Valentine (A)

Sunday 12th November 2017

10am Bob Johnson (A)

12pm Jim Clarke (A)

Please pray for those who died recently:

Taunya Smith
Kenneth Scanlon
Ann-Marie Tyler
Christy O'Donnell
Jean O'Connor
Aidan Joseph Kidney

Pioneer Total Abstinence Association

Annual Six month Draw begins in Nov.
€7 per month or €40 for 6 months

First Prize each month is €1,200
Contact Anne Lyng for details

Financial Corner

Collections last weekend

1st Collection For the support of the priests
of the parish and diocese **€658**

2nd Collection for Share Collection: **€1199**

Holy Day Nov 1st

1st Collection For the support of the priests
of the parish and diocese **€381**

2nd Collection for Share Collection: **€483**

Thank you for your continued support and
generosity.

Official World Meeting of Families Prayer 2018

God, our Father, We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son, One family, in the Spirit of your love. Bless us with the joy of love. Make us patient and kind, gentle and generous, welcoming to those in need. Help us to live your forgiveness and peace. Protect all families with your loving care, Especially those for whom we now pray:

[We pause and remember family members and others by name].

Increase our faith, Strengthen our hope, Keep us safe in your love, Make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share. This we ask, through Christ our Lord, **Amen**

Mary, mother and guide, pray for us. Saint Joseph, father and protector, pray for us.

Saints Joachim and Anne, pray for us. Saints Louis and Zélie Martin, pray for us.

<http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie>

November Altar List of the Dead

Traditionally, November is the month of the Holy Souls, a time when we remember and pray for all our loved ones who have died. Altar List of the Dead envelopes are in the process of being delivered and are also available at the back of the Church. They can be returned at your convenience to the Parish Office or placed in the safes at the back of the Church. On the First Friday of each month Mass is offered for those whose names are on the Altar List of the Dead.

The annual remembrance Mass for those whose funerals took place in Good Shepherd over the past year will take place on Friday November 24th at 7.30pm. The vigil Mass on Saturday next November 11th will be offered for deceased staff, parents and students of Good Shepherd Primary School and De La Salle College. All are welcome. Refreshments will be served in the Parish Centre after both of these Masses.



Welcome into our faith community the following who were baptised here last weekend.

Sophia Anna Lyons
Jack Michael Dempsey
Vivienne Christine Gkoles

Welcome to the families preparing for Confirmation and First Communion

We welcome to the masses next weekend the young people and their families preparing to receive the Sacraments of Penance, 1st Holy Communion and Confirmation over the months ahead.

Parish Lotto

The Jackpot is €4600

Results of the draw held on

Monday 30th October 2017

10 ♦ 12 ♦ 13 ♦ 21

No Jackpot winner

Thank you for your continued support

INVITATION TO THE

COMMISSIONINGS OF THE NEW

TEAM FOR

BALLYROAN, CHURCHTOWN AND

RATHFARNHAM PARISHES

On Sunday the 12th of November at the 12noon Mass in the Church of the Holy Spirit, Ballyroan, Bishop Eamonn Walsh will present and commission the new Pastoral Team for our grouping of parishes.

The members of the team are as follows:

Fr. Martin Cosgrove (Moderator of the team)

Fr. Kevin Rowan

Fr. Brian Edwards

Fr. Danny McLennan,

Fr. Hyacinth Nwakuna

Deacon Matt Murphy

Two Parish Pastoral Workers –

Ms Deirdre McDermott and Ms Averna Lehart.

The team will have with them as co-workers, members of the Parish Pastoral Councils together with the very many active groups in the parishes.

As teamwork develops within the grouping of parishes it is hoped that the parishes involved will complement - rather than compete with each other.

You are most welcome to this special occasion in the life of our parishes.

Refreshments afterwards in the Ruah Pastoral Centre, Ballyroan

All Welcome

Harvest Display

A huge thank you to the team who put together the beautiful Harvest Display at the entrance to the church.