

## WELCOME TO THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, CHURCHTOWN

Sunday 16th September 2018 Twenty Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Parish Office Opening: Monday, Thursday, Friday 10am – 2 pm

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### Mass Intentions for the Coming Week

#### Sunday 16th September 2018

10am Edward & Laurence Keegan (A)  
Tim Byrne (Months Mind)  
Breda & Elizabeth Berry (RIP)  
James & Annie Cooney (A)

12pm Pat Brady (A)  
William Kinane (A)  
Gary Corcoran (A)  
Jonny Byrne (A)  
Eileen O'Brien (A)  
Frank Gately (A)  
Noeleen Dormer (A)  
Eileen McMorro (A)  
Frank O'Neill (RIP)  
Tom Joe Ruddy (RIP)

#### Monday 17th September 2018

10am Special Intention

#### Tuesday 18th September 2018

10am Special Intention

#### Wednesday 19th September 2018

10am Mary Coman (RIP)

#### Thursday 20th September 2018

10am Jim Maloney (RIP)  
Mary Moore (RIP)

#### Friday 21st September 2018

10am John Carew (RIP)  
Eoin O'Duffy (RIP)

#### Saturday 22nd September 2018

10am John Carew (RIP)  
7.15pm Fr. Felim McGovern (1st A)  
Louis Comerford (A)  
Eileen Comerford (A)  
Catherine Murphy (A)  
Maureen O'Brien (A)  
Brigid Quinless (A)  
Mick Kennedy (Months Mind)

#### Sunday 23rd September 2018

10am Mary Freda Ruane (A)  
Michael Smith (RIP)  
Jim Collins (RIP)  
John Murphy (RIP)  
12pm John, Moyra & Pat McGuire (A)  
Mary Riordan (RIP)  
Gerry Byrne (Month's Mind)  
Pearse Keegan (RIP)  
Annie & Edward Feighery (A)

**Please pray for  
those who died recently  
Tommy Burton  
May he rest in peace**

**The Legion of Mary's Annual Pilgrimage** to Our Lady's Shrine at Knock will take place on Sunday 30th September. The coach will leave from outside the Church at 8 am. The cost is adults €25 and children €10 - this includes a stop for coffee on the way. Please contact Margaret McEvoy from 6 to 7pm. at 2987419 A deposit of €10 will ensure a booking.



### Preparation for the Sacraments of 1st Penance and 1st Holy Communion 2018.

We will welcome the candidates for 1st Penance and 1st Holy Communion and their families to the 12 noon Mass on 30th September. An Information meeting will take place after this Mass in the parish centre.

The ceremony of Enrolment will take place the following Sunday October 7th at the 12noon Mass.



### Congratulations

to

Clare Sorensen and Saul Fidgeon  
who were married here in the

Good Shepherd on Tuesday 4th September  
We wish them every happiness for the future.



They are available in the Parish Centre on the second Monday of every month between 8-9pm. If you want to speak to a member of the group they can also be contacted at the numbers listed below:

Elizabeth 2980026 Mona 2982799  
Kathleen 086 1012956  
Mary 087 1265331  
Jim 087 7538466

**The Autumn Liturgy Seminar** will take place on Saturday 29 September in Clonliffe College.

Forms at entrance to the church

### The Parish Lotto

is a small but important source of revenue for our parish community.

The draw takes place each Monday after Mass in the Parish Centre.

Our Jackpot currently stands at **€4,300**. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all our players and the volunteers who manage the weekly draw on behalf of the Parish. Envelopes are available at the back of the Church at €2 each or three for €5. All envelopes will be included in two €25 Lucky Dip draws if the Jackpot isn't won.



The Annual Crosscare Collection, will take place at all Masses this weekend, 15th & 16th September. It will be the 2nd collection and replace the usual SHARE collection. Crosscare is the social support agency of the Catholic Archdiocese of Dublin. Inspired by the teachings of Jesus Christ, Crosscare has a vision of a society where all people have the opportunity to fulfil their potential. A mission to provide innovation and relevant services to those most in need. Your support and generosity would be very much appreciated.

### Hospice Coffee Morning & Cake Sale Thursday 20th Parish Centre

Every cup counts! Come along, donate whatever you can and support Our Lady's Hospice & Care Services, Harold's Cross & Blackrock. **Cakes would be very much appreciated** please drop into the Parish Centre Thursday Morning.

### A Scripture Study and Faith enrichment course

A Scripture Study and Faith enrichment course will begin in the Parish Centre on Thursday next September 20th until December 6th. Each session begins at 7.30pm and concludes at 9.30pm. The focus will be the Acts of the Apostles. Further information is available on the notice boards as well as an information leaflet at the back of the Church. All are welcome.

Please contact:

Liam 086 8076555  
Mary 086 3576581



### Good Shepherd School

We welcomed the community from our Parish Primary school who joined us for the celebration of Mass on Tuesday 11th September to ask God's blessing on the New School Year.

### Collections last Weekend

**1st Collection For the support of the priests of the parish and diocese: € 1105.27**

**2nd Collection SHARE: € 777.55**

**Thank you for your continued support and generosity.**