

# WELCOME TO THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, CHURCHTOWN

Sunday 30th September 2018 Twenty Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time

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

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## Mass Intentions for the Coming Week

### Sunday 30th September 2018

10am Paul McNally (RIP)  
Josephine McLaughlin (A)  
Anne Nancy Skehill (Months Mind)  
Elizabeth Salisbury (A)

12pm Bernie Sheridan (RIP)

### Monday 1st October 2018

10am

### Tuesday 2nd October 2018

10am Fergus McDermott (RIP)  
Jack Meaney (RIP)

### Wednesday 3rd October 2018

10am Brian Pettridge (RIP)  
Patrick Mentor (RIP)

### Thursday 4th October 2018

10am Lilia Fernandez (RIP)  
Noel Delaney (RIP)

### Friday 5th October 2018

10am Altar list of the Dead

### Saturday 6th October 2018

10am Patrick Quinlan (RIP)

7.15pm

### Sunday 7th October 2018

10am Rose Twyford (A)  
Deirdre Slade (A)  
Patrick O'Brien (A)  
Shay Boyne (A)

12pm James & Anne Keating &  
Son Ciaran  
Andrew Godson (A)

Please pray for  
those who died recently  
*Peter Maguire*  
May he rest in peace



## Baptisms will be celebrated on the following dates

Saturday October 6th 12:15pm  
Saturday November 17th at 12:15pm  
Saturday December 15th at 12:15pm



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

We welcome the candidates for 1st Penance and 1st Holy Communion and their families to the 12 noon Mass today.

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.



## Church Gate Collection this weekend is in aid of the St Vincent de Paul

We acknowledge the great work of our local **St Vincent de Paul Society**. This committed group of people meet every week, visit in the parish and take up the monthly outdoor collection. They certainly take the message '*Go announce the Gospel of the Lord*' to heart!

## Parish Shop....

The Parish Shop is open **after 10am** Masses Monday to Saturday and before and after the Saturday Vigil and Sunday Masses.

## De La Salle College Open Day

Tuesday 9th October 2018

3pm - 7pm  
All Welcome

We look forward to welcoming boys from classes 1st through to 6th. Come along, meet our staff and students and tour our wonderful school.

## Car Parking

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 would block any exits in case of an emergency.** Your co-operation in this matter is very much appreciated.

## Tax CHY3 Cert

The CHY3 Tax Certificate forms have been delivered. Please return to the Parish Office or place them in the safe at the back of the church on or before October 12th..



## 'Good Shepherd School

September has flown by. We have all settled back into school and are enjoying our new classes. Well done to our new Junior Infants who have really worked hard during their first month of school. We are so proud of you all.

All our senior children from 3rd to 6th were delighted to attend the 10am mass last week to celebrate the beginning of a new school year.

Once again thank you Fr. Brian and all in the Churchtown Parish for making us feel so welcome.

After-school activities have also re-started. Our packed schedule has something on offer for everyone including homework club, basketball, ballet, hip-hop, drama, tennis, computer coding, soccer, volleyball, stage school and Lego Club. Wow- we are really busy!

Date for your diary: Good Shepherd National School Open Morning Sunday 14th October 11am-1pm. An opportunity to visit our school- **all are welcome.**

## 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 **€4,500.**

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.

## Collections last Weekend

**1st Collection For the support of the priests of the parish and diocese: € 1346**

**2nd Collection €1031**

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