St. Joseph's Redemptorist Church

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Dundalk Radio FM 97.7 broadcasts Mass from St. Joseph's every Sunday at 9.00am.

The Body & Blood of Christ 29th May 2016

Mass Times

Saturday: 9.30am Vigil: 6.30pm

Sunday: 9.30am; 11.00am; 12.30pm

Holy Days

Vigil 7.30pm Morning: 9.30am; 11.00am Evening: 7.30pm

Weekdays:

Mon-Fri: 8.30am; 9.30am & 7.30pm

Devotions

Sunday: 7.00pm

Novena to St Gerard:

Wednesday: 9.30 & 7.30pm

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Saturday 9.30am

Confessions

Saturday: 10.00am-12.00Noon

4.00pm-6.00pm

Mon-Fri: 10.00am—11.am

7.00pm-7.20pm

Baptisms

Sunday: 1.30pm

Required Baptism preparation meetings take place on 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month. Baptism card can be obtained in Reception in the Monastery to be filled in before Baptism Meeting.

Next Meeting Dates: 7th & 21st June

<u>Reception Hours</u> Monday-Saturday:

9.30am-5.30pm **Sunday:**

10.00am-12.30pm

Feast of Corpus Christi: This feast is an opportunity to celebrate in a special way the gift of the Eucharist. It is a wonderful grace and blessing to be able to take part in the Eucharist, to be nourished by the Body and Blood of Christ and to be drawn into the community of believers. The popular refrain O Sacrament Most Holy, o Sacrament Divine, all praise and all thanksgiving be every moment thine (x3) is very appropriate on this day.

31st of May, Feast of the Visitation of the BVM: this feast recalls Mary's visit to her cousin Elizabeth who needed her assistance. In St. Luke's gospel we read that it was on this occasion that Mary proclaimed her prayer of praise and thanksgiving which we call the Magnificat.

3rd of June, Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus: the image of Sacred Heart evokes the love of God which Jesus proclaimed and which is expressed through forgiveness and reconciliation. In this Year of Mercy it is a particularly helpful image. Many will remember the custom of lighting a lamp before the picture of the Sacred Heart in the family home.

The June issue of Reality Magazine is now available. Articles deal with topics such as An Icon of Our Mother of Perpetual Help in a prison chapel of Mountjoy; An explanation of Ramadan; The Housing Crisis; The Ecumenical Ministry of the late Fr. Gerry Reynolds.

WEEKLY ENVELOPE

Weekly envelope collection totalled €498.20.
Thank you!

Martha Ministers

The next team scheduled is <u>Belfry Drive</u>, Team Leader: Marie Agnew, 31st May. See you all there!

We welcome into the Family of God the recently baptised:

Nylah Louise Iwelumo



Pope Francis has chosen Ireland to host the 9th World Meeting of Families in 2018. The Irish bishops have established a Committee to organize the financial planning for this significant event. To this end three national church collections will be held, the first of which will take place on the week-end of 28-29 May 2016.

Taize Prayer around the Cross in Bethany, 34 Point Road on Friday the 3rd of June from 8.30pm to 9.30pm.

Irish Blood Transfusion Service invites people to donate blood. The Irish Blood Transfusion Service 🗏 venue is Crowne Plaza Hotel on
Tuesday (31/05), Wednesday
(01/06) and Thursday (02/06),
4.30pm to 8.30pm each day. This is
a vital service for many hospital
patients.

Prayer before an Exam

Dear Lord, as I take this exam, I thank you that my value is not based on my performance but on your great love for me. Come into my heart so that we can walk through this time together. Help me, not only with this test, but with the many tests of life that are sure to come my way. As I take this exam, bring back to mind everything I studied and be gracious with what I might have overlooked. Help me to remain focused and calm, confident in the facts and in my ability, and firm in the knowledge that no matter what happens today, you are there with me. Amen.

We congratulate Fr Brian McGrath, CSsR who celebrated his Diamond Jubilee of Priesthood on the 26th of May.

8th Amendment: a rally in support of the amendment will be held outside the Dáil on Molesworth St., Dublin on Saturday the 4th of June from 3pm to 4pm. For further information contact Celebratethe8th@gmail.com

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Archbishop Martin will launch the first album of reflective, meditative music by Méabh Carlin and Hannah McCauley, known as the Goretti Girls, on Friday the 3rd of June in the Church in Boher at 7.30pm. Tickets can be reserved by contacting Cooley Parish at 042-9376105. Tickets are free but a donation on the evening would be gratefully received. All welcome.

Good Morning Louth would like to thank all who contributed so generously to our recent church gate collection.

Eucharistic Ministers—Sunday, 5th June 6.30pm Vigil

Host: Patricia Beggy; Padraig McGrane; Carol McGuinness; Ray McGuinness Chalice: Margaret McElevey

Host: Geraldine Devlin; Rose O'Rourke; Miriam Delduca Chalice: Cecilia Nyame

11.00am

Host: Michelle Connolly; Gerry Mone; Marie Agnew; Mary McKenna Chalice: Vivienne Ross 12.30pm

Host: Brenda Roddy; Barney Foley; Colletta Dalikeni; Anita McEneaney Chalice: May Hughes

Readers of the Word - Sunday, 5th June

6.30pm: Margaret Duffy & Miriam Whelan 9.30am: Michael O'Keeffe & Ruth Nyame

11.00am: Yvonne Gregory

12.30pm: Colletta Dalikeni & Peter Finnegan

Anniversaries

Saturday, 28th May

9.30am

Our Lady's Novena

6.30pm

Jerimiah Cronin; Mary Barry; Michael & Elizabeth McLoughlin: Ann Quigley; Charlie Reilly; Eamon Tuite; Raymond Hearty; Deceased Johnson Family; Mary Doherty; Prionnsias Sharkey, St Alphonsus Rd

Sunday, 29th May

9.30am The People

11.00am

Susan Keenan, St Joseph's Pk; Sean Kettle, Barrack St; Paddy Martin, Seafield Lwns; Angela Breslin; Thomas Hillen, Seatown

12.30pm

Gene O'Rourke

Monday, 30th May

8.30am

List of the Dead

9.30am

Ciaran Larrissey 7.30pm

Tuesday, 31st May

8.30am

Hilda Brady 9.30am

Fr Paddy Martin, CSsR; Fr Packy Drumm, CSsR; Michael, Elizabeth & Peadar Rice; John & Annie Campbell; Katie McDonald

7.30pm

Sr Concepta

Wednesday, 1st June

8.30am

Charles Watters; Molly Smith; Catherine James 9.30am

Living & Deceased Campbell, Gorey & McDonnell Families; Sarah Jane Loy; Francis Carroll

7.30pm

St Gerard's Novena & Vocations

Thursday, 2nd June

8.30am

Alice, Jack & Jim Kieran

9.30am

Patrick, Mary, Brendan & Baby Brendan Mulligan; Deceased Slater Family; Patsy Ward, Blackrock 7.30pm

Scollon Family; Deceased & Living Boyle Family; Jane Dunne; Michael & Mary Kerr, Hyde Pk; Deceased McGuinness Family, Mary St N

Friday, 3rd June

8.30am

9.30am

Mary Brannigan

7.30pm

Oliver Clarke; Scanlon Family