

### MASS TIMES in St. Columba's Church

Saturday (Vigil) 6.00pm: St. Columba's Church  
Sunday Morning 11.00am: St. Columba's Church  
Daily Mass 9.30am Monday to Friday St. Columba's Church  
Also Sunday morning Mass @ 9.45am in Glasnevin Cemetery Chapel  
Mass Times in the Monastery of St. Alphonsus  
Monday to Friday @ 5.45 pm. Saturday and Sunday morning @ 9.30 am.

### The following are the Mass Intentions for the coming week

Sat.	9th	6.00pm	Anne Kelly (1st A) Lorcan Fullam (A) Mary & Pat Dempsey (A)
Sun.	10th	11.00am	Winifred Martin (Month's Mind)
Tue.	12th	9.30am	Mary Collis (A)
Thur.	14th	9.30am	Betty Gentles (A)
Sat.	16th	6.00pm	Peter Gallagher (A)
Sun.	17th	11.00am	Tommy, Eileen & Robert Conlan (A)

Thank you for your contribution to the parish **FAMILY OFFERING** collection, amounting to **€545.00 last weekend**. This is received in weekly envelopes. An average weekly total of **€544.00** is also contributed by Standing Orders.

Many Thanks to all who contributed to the Monthly Collection for the Society of St Vincent de Paul which raised **€778.00**

The Annual Collection of Accord, The Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, will be made at all Masses **next** weekend 16th & 17th February 2019.

The Collection for ACCORD will replace the usual Share Collection. ACCORD Dublin throughout the diocese offers:

- Marriage Preparation Courses,
  - Counselling for couples and individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships.
  - A Relationship and Sexuality Programme for Schools
- Accord Dublin needs your support. Please give as generously as possible on 16th & 17th February.**



### LIVE STREAMING OF MASS

If you have internet access, you will find the live stream through our parish website: [www.ionaroadparish.ie](http://www.ionaroadparish.ie)



Please visit St. Columba's Parish website at [www.ionaroadparish.ie](http://www.ionaroadparish.ie) and email your comments, good news stories and special parish events to [info@ionaroadparish.ie](mailto:info@ionaroadparish.ie)

Items for the Parish Link can be e-mailed to [parishlink@gmail.com](mailto:parishlink@gmail.com) or dropped into the Parish Office letter-box, marked 'Parish Link', by 5pm on the Thursday of week of publication.

A contact name and phone number is required for each item.

Parish Link contact: Ann 087 6728761 or Parish Office.

**Parish Office Opening Times: Monday to Friday 9.30am. - 12.30pm.**  
**Ph: 8308257 or email [saintcolumba@eircom.net](mailto:saintcolumba@eircom.net)**

# PARISH LINK



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### Mission Statement

*St. Columba's parish is a vibrant and welcoming community of faith, continuing to give practical witness to the Good News of Christ, through worship and reflection, and through Christian service to the community.*



### BOOK SHOP

Book shop now open .. Cards, Calendars & Diary's available We also have a lovely selection of Candles & Gifts Open before & after Mass on *Friday, Saturday & Sunday.*

**Archbishop Diarmuid Martin** will celebrate Mass for the World Day of the sick in **Corpus Christi Church THIS Sunday 10th Feb at 3.00pm.** He will anoint all those who are sick. You are invited to bring Members of Your Family or your Neighbours to this Liturgy.



**Central Remedial Clinic Parents and Friends Association Annual Exhibition of Paintings** Sat 16<sup>th</sup> Feb: 11.00am to 6.00pm Sun 17<sup>th</sup> Feb 11.00am to 5.00pm Admission Free All Welcome

### Margaret Aylward Centre for Faith and Dialogue. Holy Faith Sisters,

Office hours: Tuesday - Friday 10am - 5pm  
Tel: 01 7979364 Mob: 0876649862

Email: [mcfglasnevin@gmail.com](mailto:mcfglasnevin@gmail.com) Web: <http://www.margaretaylwardcentre.ie>

### Give Faith A Chance 'See what spring does with the cherry tree'

Tues, 12, 19, 26 March & 2 April 2019 / 10:30am - 12 noon  
€20 for 4 sessions or €6 per morning session

Join Gemma and Josette from Partners in Faith, as we explore how four gospel texts link with our lives as we seek justice, respect, healing and courage.

### Lenten Retreat Day with Sr Fionnuala Quinn

Sat, 30 March 2019 / 10.00am - 4.00pm / Cost: €30 A Lenten experience of silence in community. What is it to be transformed in the inner

### What Is Our Real Hearts Hunger? with Siobhan Larkin

Thursdays, 7, 14, 21 & 28 March 2019 / 7.30 - 9.00pm / €20 for 4 nights or €6 per night Exploring Christian wisdom about belonging, community, love and spirituality in a positive, informative evening series.

**Bibliodrama with Gertrude Gill** Sat, 16 March 2019 / 10.00am - 1.00pm / Cost: €30 Exploring faith through characters from our Bible, a gentle introduction, no experience necessary.

### Spring in Your Step Walk to Help us Celebrate 30 years of St Francis Hospice

Why not put a spring in your step and join us for a Family Walk in St. Anne's Park at 1pm on Sat 9<sup>th</sup> March. Refreshments and fun activities for children will follow the walk. Entry Fee €20 per adult and children free. To register for the walk: Online [www.sfh.ie](http://www.sfh.ie) Telephone: 01-8327535 or drop into St Francis Hospice Reception. Thank you.

"Have the courage to be truly Happy" Pope Francis

### IONA ACTIVE RETIREMENT GROUP

Mon 2.00-4.30 Bridge for all. Tue 2.30-3.30 Chair Exercises. €5  
Wednesday 13th February: Knit & Knatter cancelled as members will be in Westport.  
Wed 2.00-4.30 Bingo, Cards Games.  
Monthly meeting 14th February, 10.15-11.15 Quiz €1  
New members always welcome.



**Sunday 10th February. Westport. 13.40 train from Heuston. Minibus will depart Iona Church at 12.45 p.m. Castlecourt Hotel has arranged for the Iona group to have dinner at 6 p.m. A special table will be reserved.**

### Mystery Tour 28th Feb

Tickets €25 euro start 10am It promises to be a great day, and booking will be available on Thursday 14th at our monthly meeting which will give us an idea of numbers.



3 places available for computer class starting on 22nd for 5 weeks. Contact Joan @ 087 990 7750

**IONA 2018:** As the booklet sold out quickly last weekend many parishioners were unable to secure a copy. However the second printing has now arrived and is on sale in the Book Shop this weekend. Many well known parishioners, Marjorie Chawke, Clare Conlon, Paddy Cullen, Roisin Kelly, Thomas Nolan and Mark Roxburgh and of course the Parish Priest, have contributed articles. It is a good read. All receipts from the sale go to Parish Funds via the Book Shop account.

### Women's World Day of Prayer

Bi-yearly Ecumenical Service To be held this year in An Ruadh Centre, St. Alphonsus Road, prepared by the Women of Slovenia Saturday March 2nd, 2.00pm - 4.00pm Tea / Coffee served Parking Available

### The Alzheimer Café

is a safe and relaxed place where people with dementia, their families, and health and social care



professionals can come together to talk, share and learn. Alzheimer Café evenings are free and everyone is welcome.

**The Alzheimer Café takes place on the last Tuesday of every month between 7pm and 9pm in Clareville Centre, Clareville Court**



The Dublin Diocesan Annual Pilgrimage to Knock on **Saturday 27th April 2019** will

be led by Archbishop Diarmuid Martin. This year marks 140 years since the apparition in Knock in 1879.

The Glasnevin Grouping of parishes hope to organise a bus for everyone who is interested in participating in this Pilgrimage