



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.	23rd	6.00pm	Dermot & Kathleen Kelly & Betty Bowers (A) Margaret Shorthall (A) Stephanie O'Griofa (10th A)	
	Sun.	24th	11.00am	Mai Mulvin (Month's Mind)	
	Mon.	25th	9.30am	Michael & Nora Salter (A)	
	Wed.	27th	9.30am	John Gibbons (A)	
	Sat.	2nd	6.00pm	Síle Sweeney (Month's Mind) Kathleen Mongan (A) Kevin Golden	
	(1st A)				
	Sun.	3rd	11.00am	Dolores Giblin (A)	

Thank you for your contribution to the parish **FAMILY OFFERING** collection, amounting to **€419.00 last weekend**. This is received in weekly envelopes. An average weekly total of **€544.00** is also contributed by Standing Orders.

Many Thanks for your contributions to the Annual Accord collection which amounted to : €1069.00

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 *Fri, Sat, & Sun*

LIVE STREAMING OF MASS

If you have internet access, you will find the live stream through our parish website: www.ionaroadparish.ie



Please visit St. Columba's Parish website at www.ionaroadparish.ie and email your comments, good news stories and special parish events to info@ionaroadparish.ie

Items for the Parish Link can be e-mailed to 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

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"But to you who are willing to listen, I say, love your enemies! Do good to those who hate you. Bless those who curse you. Pray for those who hurt you."



LOVE YOUR
enemies?
LIVE
generously.
Luke 6:27-28

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.

Emmanuel in the Helix The countdown is on to this fantastic annual music festival of faith for young people! This year, 66 schools and over 2500 students have been busy rehearsing. Emmanuel gets underway in the Helix on Monday 25th February and runs until Thursday 28th (inclusive) 7.30pm. nightly. You are invited to come and support your those taking part in what is always an uplifting and energizing experience.

Lists of schools for each night available on www.litmus.dublindiocese.ie



FaithFest

Faithfest for Teenagers Join us on Friday 8 March for Faithfest from 6.00-9.30pm. in Holy Cross College, Clonliffe Rd., Faithfest aims to create spaces where teenagers have an experience of a peer community, explore faith, and encounter an experience of welcoming, belonging, discipleship, worship and prayer in a creative and fun atmosphere. All welcome. Contact - Office for Evangelisation e-mail evangelisation@dublindiocese.ie

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

Maynooth College Lecture :

David Hollenback, S.J., of the Berkely Centre for Religion and Peace and World Affairs, Georgetown University will speak on Human Rights in Catholic School Thought: A Living Tradition and Some Urgent Challenges today. Lecture takes place on Monday 4th March in the Loftus Halls, Maynooth College at 7.30pm. RSVP: specialevents@spcm.ie

Women's World Day of Prayer
Women's World Day of Prayer will take place on **Saturday March 2nd**. The venue this year is Ruah Faith Centre in the monastery. This is an ecumenical service, and all five parishes in our grouping are involved, along with St. Mobhi's, Drumcondra. The time is 2.00-4.00 p.m.

Visit the **Margaret Aylward Centre for Faith and Dialogue.**

Holy Faith Sisters,

Office hours: Tuesday - Friday

10am - 5pm Tel: 01 7979364

Mob: 0876649862

Email:

mcfldglasnevin@gmail.com

Web: <http://www.margaretaylwardcentre.ie>

For all upcoming events planned.



Trócaire Lent 2019
Stations of the Cross:

Come along for an evening of prayer on the 27 March at 7.30pm in St. Paul's Church Arran Quay, All welcome.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK 27th April.

The five parishes in the grouping have decided to travel together to Knock for the annual Diocesan pilgrimage on 27th April. The bus will leave from Ballygall at 7.30.

From there it will travel to Our Lady of Dolours (Glasnevin), then to Iona Road, Corpus Christi, and Ballymun Road before heading for Knock. There will be an evening meal (dinner, dessert and tea/coffee) in Knock. The cost is €35 per person. There are 10 places available to Iona Road – (first come first served.) It may

be possible to stop for tea/coffee and a scone on the way to Knock, though this is not included in the price. Further details will become available nearer to the time.

Please contact the Parish Office @ (01 8308257) if you would like to go.

Deposits will be needed to secure a place.



IONA ACTIVE RETIREMENT GROUP

Monday 25th. Axis Theatre Ballymun - Film Battle of Sexes at 2.00pm

Monday 25th Bridge 2.00pm to 4.30pm

Tuesday 26th Exercise 2.15pm to 3.30pm all welcome

Wed 27th Morning - Knit and Knatter. 2.00pm to 4.30pm Cards and Bingo

Thursday 28th Mystery Tour -

Marjorie has a few seats and you can contact her @ 087 968 4283.

Bus will leave 10.00am sharp from church grounds.

Return at 6.30pm



Discussion on **LENT** PRAYER FASTING & WORKS OF MERCY

At 7.00pm Wednesday 27th February 2019 In St Alphonsus Monastery, Iona Road. All Welcome. The Patrician Discussion Group is organised by the Legion of Mary St. Columba's Parish, Iona Road.

The GOLDEN RULE

“Do to others as you would have them do to you.”

Ballymun Road Parish: We are delighted to announce the return of our annual 'Voices of Hope' concert presented by Our Lady of Victories Gospel Choir and Young Adult Group on Friday 1st March 2019 at 8.00pm. It will be a night of inspirational music and reflection. This year, we welcome “Coro della comunità cattolici Italiani a Dublino” (Italian Catholic Community Choir) on the night as our special guests. We look forward to working with them! Hope to see you all there - OLV Church, Ballymun Road, (Free Entry).