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 morning @ 9.30 am. Sunday morning 9.30am.

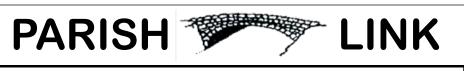
MASS INTENTIONS for the coming week

	Sa.	26th	6.00pm	Desmond & Elizabeth Roxburgh (A)	(l)
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20	Su.	27th	11.00am	Susan Mulhall (months mind)	0
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	Tu.	29th	9.30am	Sarah Purcell (A)	
	Th.	1st.	9.30am	Mary Angela & Frank McCluskey (A)	

Thank you for your contribution to the Family Offering last weekend. (total amount unavailable this week). An average weekly total of \notin 544.00 is also contributed by Standing Order.

Many thanks for your contributions to the Mission Sunday Annual Collection. The amount raised was €1,311.00	The Sick & Indigent Room-keepers Society Annual Church Collection takes place at all Masses this weekend.		
Fr Eoin Murphy will facilitate train- ing for Ministers of the Eucharist at Our Lady of Dolours church on Tues. 29th Nov. Those already Ministers of the Eucharist as well as	the Sanctuary		
new Ministers from the	Mindfully waiting for Christmas		
Glasnevin Grouping of Parishes are welcome. If attending,	and more check out www.sanctuary.ie The Sanctuary is		
please give your name to Ita Mullany.	based in Stanhope Street, Dublin 7.		
	it. Columba's Parish website at <u>www.ionaroadparish.ie</u> and comments, good news stories and special parish events to <u>info@ionaroadparish.ie</u>		
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			

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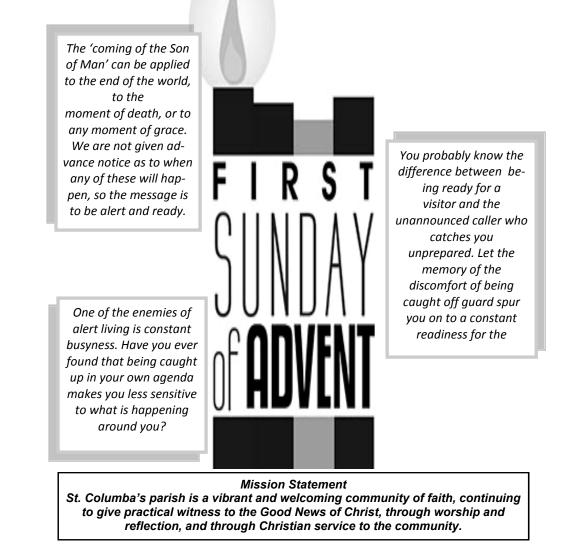


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Therefore you also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming, at an unexpected hour



59 .. The number of baptisms in our church this year

Sunday, 4th Dec. Café Columba

On next Sunday, 4th December, we have invited all of our newly baptized children to join us again for our 11a.m. mass. Afterwards, **Café**



Columba will re-open so please join us for a cuppa and homebaking with your friends and neighbours. Feel free to bring some of your own 'Advent baking' to share with each other.

Avlward Centre

Please note

St. Vincent De Paul Christmas Appeal takes place on Sat/Sun. 10th/11th Dec.

Carol Service here in the church on Sunday, 18th Dec. from 5pm - 6pm.



Child Vision Garden Centre

(Opposite All Hallows) Gate 03 Gracepark Rd Open 10.00am to 16.00 Every Day Window Boxes / Hanging Baskets / **Refills** /Heather / Winter Bedding **Christmas Plants Available** December

Contact 087 602 8880 Pet Farm, Horse

Iona Ladies Club meeting on Thurs. 1st Dec and Christmas lunch in Maples on Thurs. 15th Dec at 2pm.

Watch and Pray... There will be a Holy Hour on First Friday 2nd Dec. from 10 to 11am. All are welcome

for Faith & Dialogue Celebrate Advent ... Joyful in Hope ... Waiting with Wonder

... Centering Prayer in Advent ... Advent Sacred Dance Day

 $Check \ out \ \underline{www.margaretaylwardcentre.ie}$

Enjoy some quiet time during the weeks before Christmas. When we link the Christmas story to our own

YOUTH 2000 Ireland people aged 16-35, including prayer, drama, music, games and chill out time. Check out <u>www.youth2000.ie</u>

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nnovation and action for social justice

Crosscare, the diocesan social care agency, is appealing again this year in the lead up to Christmas to help in the collection of vital foodstuffs for the Crosscare Food Banks. These Food Banks give food directly to

individuals and families in need through local community food banks. Crosscare appeals for parishioners to bring non-perishable food items to Mass on next weekend (3-4 December). Special boxes will be provided.



It's back... our famous Christmas Party!

Date: Tuesday 6th December 2016 - Time: 7 - 9pm Venue: Clareville Centre, Claremont Lawns, Glasnevin (Opposite Glasnevin Cemetery, keep left to end of estate). LIVE MUSIC, Dancing, Mulled Wine, Mince Pies

PARISH BOOK SHOP Call in today to see our wonderful selection of Christmas cards and gifts. 2017 Calendars & Diary's now available. We stock cards for every occasion, Birthday, Get Well, Mass cards etc. The Irish Catholic Newspaper is on sale every week. Open every Friday, Saturday & Sunday, before and after Mass. In the new year, we are running a number of adult faith initiatives, one of which is '**Faith 4 Life'**. This is a course that has been running in Dublin Diocese for the last three years. It takes place over four weekends and invites participants to take a fresh look at their Catholic faith. Two courses will start in January - one in Balbriggan Parish Centre and the other in Benildus Pastoral Centre, Upper Kilmacud Road, Stillorgan. There is a cost of €200 for the course. Further info. from Mary Dent at the Office for Evangelisation & Ecumenism 8373732 or e-mail evangelisation@dublindiocese.ie)



Wednesday 30th November Venue: St Alphonsus' Monastery Time: 7.30 ~ 8.15pm This group meets every two weeks for a period of quiet meditation. New people always welcome.

IONA ACTIVE RETIREMENT

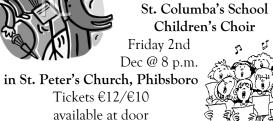
Monday: Meet for coffee in the Maples @ 10.30am or Lunch 12.30

Axis Cinema, Ballymun - Eye in the Sky - starring Helen Mirren at 2 pm **Tuesday:** Bridge - 2pm to 4.30pm

Wednesday: Knit and Knatter. 10am - 12.30. Fiona Corcoran from Cork will visit on 14th Dec. Cards and Bingo. 2pm - 4.30pm. All Welcome

Diary Dates..... Monday, 5th Dec. Maples - Christmas lunch

Friday, 9th Dec Tour of Sports Centre facilities in Ballymun **Tuesday, 13th Dec**. Belfast - more later!



Humanitarian Symphony

Orchestra/Choir in Concert

with special guests