DCU Intergenerational Learning Programme four

week computer course. The course is FREE and caters for the older learner (over 55's)

We have some places left starting dates:

Wed. April 15th - Thur. April 16th
Mon. April 20th - Tues April 21st
Each class is for 4 weeks
2 hours per week. For more details or to register contact Carmel on 01

7007423 or email ilp.info@dcu.ie



Can You Assist Us? Pieta House, the Centre for the Prevention of Selfharm or Suicide, is actively seeking

volunteers who might support us by their participation in the **VHI Mini**

Marathon on Monday 1st June. We would be delighted to hear from anyone who might consider taking part on behalf of Pieta House. Please contact 01-6282111 for your fundraising pack. Any support is most welcome and appreciated.

Soul Food:

Vocations information evening for men interested in a religious vocation. 6.30pm, Monday, 13th April at Presentation Brothers, Glasthule, Dun Laoghaire. Full details on www.PresentationBrothers.org: Contact Anthony at 01-2300824.

The New Theatre, Dublin

with Richard Ryan Promotions presents
"The Assassination of Brian Boru"
by Lauren-Shannon Jones at the Millbank
Theatre on Sunday the 12th April at 8.30pm
Directed by Nora Kelly-Lester.
Book early to avoid disappointment:
Tickets: €12/€10 Telephone 8437475
or e-mail: bookings@millbanktheatre.ie

Camino Trek 2015 Join us on the famed Camino de Santiago from 19-26 September 2015 for an unforgettable experience while making a real difference to the lives of the 48,000 people living with Alzheimer's and dementia in Ireland today. If the Camino de Santiago has been on your 'Bucket List' list for a while, this is your opportunity to experience it, while raising vital funds for The Alzheimer Society of Ireland. Call Orla on 01-2073833 for further information.

IONA AREA COMMUNITY GAMES ART COMPETITION and MODEL-MAKING COMPETITION

Sunday 19th April from 2pm - 5pm in the Arts and Business Campus Drumcondra (next to Centra/ Quinns Pub) Please pre-register by contacting **Ronan Gately** on 086-8289296 or ronangately@hotmail.com with name of child, date of birth and address & for any other information.



Items for the Parish Link can be e-mailed to parishink@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. Phone contact is Parish Office 01 8308257 or 087 6728761

Parish Office Opening Times and contact:

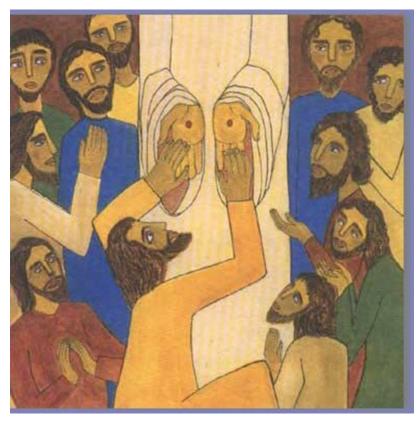
Monday - Friday 9.30 a.m. - 12.30 p.m. Ph. 8308257 or email:
 saintcolumba@eircom.net



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Parish of St. Columba

12th April 2015



"Have you believed because you have seen me?

Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe."

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.



WORLD YOUTH DAY

World Youth Day will take place in Krakow, Poland in July 2016. The Archdiocese

Krakow, Poland - 2016 Pilgrimages

of Dublin will lead a pilgrimage of young people from many parts of the diocese. As well as young adults 18+, the pilgrimage will include a youth section aged 16-18 year olds. Young parishioners who are interested in being part of World Youth Day, its program of preparation, beginning in September, and the celebrations in Krakow, should speak with Fr Paddy as soon as possible.

The meaning of Marriage

Newsletter produced by the Catholic Communications Office of the Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference, **This week's copy available at the back of the church.** Please take a copy home with you. For more information see: www.catholicbishops.ie

Parish Book Centre

Call in today and see our large choice of cards & gifts for special occasions, including Confirmation & First Holy Communion.

The Irish Catholic newspaper is available in the shop ever week end.

Corpus Christi Parish are planning a trip to Estoril and the Lisbon Coast including Fatima On the 4th October 2015 and the cost is €649.

If any parishioners would like to join this group they would be delighted to have more people of board. Anyone interested in travelling needs to contact the tour operator directly and all money transactions are through the operator:

The Travel Department @ 01 6371600 www.traveldepartment.ie

Iona Active Retirement

Saturday and Sunday 25th and 26th April:

Tickets for the Mystery Tour on 14th May will be available in the Annex after the 6.00 p.m. and 11 a.m. Masses. Tickets €25 (members) and €35 non members.

Thursday 7th May:

Monthly meeting at 10.15 a.m. in Annex.

10th September:

Lake Garda. Details from The Travel Department in the basement of Arnotts in Henry Street. Names to Maureen Phelan



GREAT IRISH BAKE FOR TEMPLE STREET

Come and sample some Baked Delights in aid of Temple Street Children's Hospital with Catherine Rea

at 13, Iona Park on Friday April 17th 2015 between 10am – 1pm. All donations (baked and monetary) gratefully accepted. Contact Catherine Rea on 086 3780356

Localise Easter Egg Hunt

was raised for the

organisation.

Laura Conlan.

Thank you very much to everyone who contributed to the Localise Easter Egg Hunt in aid of CanTeen.

It was a fantastic event and a total of €444.30



Parish Mass Times and Mass Intentions

APRIL

Sat. 11th 6.00pm Betty L'estrange (month's mind), Paddy Murray (month's mind) Lilly Gilmartin (A) Alice Sherry (A), James Mulligan (A) John Rooney (A) John Perkins (A)

Martina Doyle (A) May & Stephen Dowling (A)

Sun.	12th	11.00am	Thomas Kelly (A)
Mon.	13th	9.30am	Seamus Savage (A)
Tue.	14th	9.30am	-
Wed.	15th	9.30am	Service of Light (Part 1) for St. Columba's Girls
Thur.	16th	9.30am	Service of Light (Part 1) for St. Vincent's Boys
Fri.	17th	9.30am	-

Service of Light (Part 2) will take place on Sat. 25th April at 6.pm Mass

Sunday morning Mass @ 9.45am in Glasnevin Cemetery (Finglas Rd)

Mass Times in the Monastery of St. Alphonsus, Iona Road:

Monday to Friday @ 5.45 p.m. Saturday morning @ 9.30 a.m. and

Sunday morning @ 9.30 a.m.

For all baptisms please contact the Parish Office @ 01 830 8257

Parish Contributions for the week commencing : April 5th € 678.10 Many Thanks

The Annual St. Vincent de Paul Sunshine House collection held on Palm Sunday came to €1600. Your continued generous support is greatly appreciated.

Meditation Group. The Meditation Group will meet on Wednesday 15th April





ORLAGH CENTRE EVENTS

Week of: 19 APRIL 2015

Saturday Apr 25 | 10.00am - 4.00pm | €55

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Sunday 10.00 - 10.20am
MEDITATION (Centering Prayer)

Sunday 10.30am LECTIO DIVINA MASS
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