

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.	18th	6.00pm	Mary & Martina Doyle (A) Kathleen O'Neill (A) Patrick & Brigid Caine (A)
Tue.	21st	9.30am	P.K. Kuriakose (A)
Wed.	22nd		CONFIRMATIONS @ 11am St. Vincent's & Lindsay Rd School's 2.00pm St Columba's school
Sat.	25th	6.00pm	Larry Gilmartin (A) Gabrielle McHugh (A)
Sun.	26th	11.00am	Vincent Toolan (Month's Mind)

Thank you for your contribution to the parish **FAMILY OFFERING** collection, amounting to **€393.00 last weekend**. This is received in weekly envelopes. An average weekly total of **€544.00** is also contributed by Standing Orders

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul would like to thank all parishioners who contributed to the recent monthly collection which amounted to **€726.00**

Que Sera Sera –

Whatever will be, will be:

Come along on Monday 27th May at 8.00pm for an evening of praise, peace and trust with music, prayer and reflection with the Dublin Diocesan Music Group in the Monastery of St. Alphonsus

Cemetery Sundays

Shanganagh Cemetery on 26th May at 3.00pm, **St. Fintan's** Cemetery Mass takes place on Sunday 9th June at 12 noon, **Palmerstown** Cemetery Mass will take place on Saturday, 16 June 2019 at 3.00pm

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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as I have loved you, love one another

John 13:34



THIS weekend, 18/19 May, we will for the first time hold a new collection which will be called

The Ministry Sunday Collection.

This new annual collection will replace the Share Collection and will be devoted to support the building up of new forms of lay ministry in our parishes. The work of spreading the Gospel of Jesus in our changing religious culture will require more lay men and women working in various ways alongside our priests at the heart of parish communities.

The Ministry Sunday Collection is about ensuring that we will have the people we need - men and women who will be to the fore in making our parishes vibrant faith communities into the future.

While many of those involved will be volunteers, we will have to equip and train leaders and provide facilities for formation. We want to work towards a situation where all parishes in this Archdiocese benefit from their gifts and expertise. The new collection is one-step in that process.

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.



Please pray for all the children preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation in our church this coming Wednesday

Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine for All Ireland Rosary Rally Saturday June 1st 2019
Coach €20 return. For more info phone Kay @ 087 663 4978

Free Events at Drumcondra Library

Saving Drumcondra's Trees
Thursday 23/05/19 6.30pm

Trekking the Camino
Thursday 30/05/19 6.30pm

Admission is free for all events and booking is essential. Email: drumcondralibrary@dublincity.ie
Tel: 01 8377206 Twitter: @dubcilib

JUNE BY THE TOLKA—Music and Song on Friday Evenings



Venue: Margaret Aylward Centre, 7th Hilke Billerbeck Hambourg, 14th Claire Watts Co. Clare, 21st Clara Butelar Argentina. Join us for a pleasant evening of music & song on the banks of the Tolka. A wonderful way to end the working week, and begin the weekend.
Tickets: €12
Details from Tel 017979364 or email info@macfd.ie

Pilgrimage to Holy Cross
On Sunday 26th May. Tony Malone is going to Holy Cross Abbey for 3:00 pm Mass.
Phone Tony at 087-9526337

The Apostolate of Adoration invites Parishioners to the Adoremus National Eucharistic & Marian Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine on Friday evening 14th June and or all-day Saturday 15th June. See website for more details www.eucharisticadoration.ie or email info@eucharisticadoration.ie or text 087 2478519 for full details.
Bishop Phonsie Cullinan is chief celebrant on Friday evening and Archbishop Eamon Martin is chief celebrant on the Saturday.

Volunteers Needed: Do you have some spare time? An interest in music, singing, gardening or another skill if you so why not help is here in the Iona Resource Centre your skills and interest are required for National Council for the Blind. If you would like to know more information contact Maggie or Elena the Iona Resource Centre, 01 830 4014 or go to: www.ncbi.ie

Remembrance Service:

A Little Lifetime Foundation (ALLF) will hold a Blessing of Remembrance in Glasnevin Cemetery at the Old Angels Memory Garden on Sunday 26 May at 3.00pm. This special Blessing of Remembrance is for all parents, family members and friends who lost a baby through miscarriage, stillbirth, cot death or died shortly after birth. This invitation is for all families who have lost a baby - we hope you will find some comfort in coming together to remember your baby in a special way.

Dates for your Diary ...

Plant Sale Saturday June 8th at St. Columba's school 10am - 12pm



Area Clean-up Saturday June 8th

Bags gloves etc can be picked up at the Plant Sale in the school. If you live beside any elderly resident giving help to them would be greatly appreciated



IONA Family Fun Day Sunday 9th June 1.30pm to 5.30pm

Come along and have a great day with your neighbours and friends. The success of this marvellous community event depends on the willingness of people to give up their time and energy on the day. If you think you can spare an hour or two on the day please text your details to **John O'Connor @ 087 299 9244 or email: ionafunday@gmail.com**



You can also contact this number if you can bake a cake, make a salad or provide a prize for the Raffle. Volunteers need no special skills or talent - just a willingness to get stuck in! So go on, get in touch.

IONA ACTIVE RETIREMENT GROUP

Monday afternoon - Bridge for all grades
Tuesday 2.15 - 3.30 Exercise programme continues for all interested
Wednesday morn - Knit & Knatter Special welcome to new knitters
Wednesday 2 to 4.30 - cards & Bingo a cuppa and chat



Mystery Tour is on 30th May, Sunday 18th May is final day for tickets from Betty.

Cost €25 members /non-members €35. Leave at 10am Return 6.30 approx



MAYTIME
OUR LADY OF DOLOURS LITURGY GROUP
PART OF THE GLASNEVIN GROUPING OF PARISHES
PRESENT
MAYTIME MUSIC

AT OUR LADY OF DOLOURS CHURCH GLASNEVIN
Join us for a Special Evening of Song in celebration of Traditional Marian Hymns.
Featuring Hymns such as *Queen of May* and *Our Lady of Knock*
As well as many other Maytime Favourites.....
The 29th May at 7.30pm
Refreshments will be served after in the Parish Centre downstairs.
All Are Welcome