

The Rainbow Junior Arch Club is a Saturday social club for children with special needs and their families, held in Scoil Chiarain, St Canice's Road, Glasnevin. It provides a safe, happy and entertaining environment where our children and their siblings can make friends and take part in a variety of activities that are organised by the parent committee. Parents remain on the premises at all times, but when there are enough volunteers, some parents get the chance to take a tea break and gain support and information from other parents. For all the children including the siblings, the volunteers add a new and different dimension to their time at the club.

The Club will be starting back up on the 14th of September and runs between 3pm and 5pm.

Membership costs 30euro for the year. If anybody has any queries they can contact me on 0857407924 or email rainbowarchjuniorclub@gmail.com or Find us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/rainbowjuniorarchclub>

PATHWAYS – An Adult Faith Development Programme in ALL HALLOWS COLLEGE a two-year one night a week course for adults who wish to explore their faith. It runs from Mid-September to May each year. There are no exams and no written work. The only requirement is an openness to listening to others and to participate. You can just come along and enjoy! The cost is €350 per year. Booking is now open. The programme begins this year on Monday the 23rd. September 2013.

For more information please visit our webpage: www.allhallows.ie/study/community-life-long-learning/pathways or phone 01 8520742 or email us at: pathways@allhallows.ie or write to: The Director, Pathways, All Hallows College, Gracepark Road, Drumcondra, Dublin,9.

Yoga / Pilates classes starting on the 9th of September.

Tuesday's 7pm-8.20pm

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All classes €5 pay as you go.

St. Francis Xavier's hall 65 lower Dorset street.

For more information call/text Terry 087-9872359



Set of keys lost recently in vicinity of Iona Road and Griffith Park. There were two keys on a green leather keyring.

If anyone finds them please ring 086 8579714. Many Thanks

parishlink@gmail.com

Items for the Parish Link should be marked 'Parish Link' and dropped into the Parish Office letter-box, or emailed to above address,

Items should be posted by 5.00pm on the Thursday of the week of publication.

A Contact name and telephone number is required for each item.

Parish Link Contacts: Trish 8302851/Ann 8309983

PARISH LINK

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8th September 2013



PARISH GATHERING - A PARISH ON PILGRIMAGE OUR FUTURE

All parishioners are invited to St. Alphonsus Monastery on
Thursday 26th September from 7.30-9pm

I will give a brief report on my sabbatical and present some ideas for discussion/reflection for our parish in the coming years.

All parish volunteers are invited—please bring a friend.

The future of our parish is in God's hands and ours.

Fr. Jim

A Parish on Pilgrimage—Our Future

Tuesday 10th Sept	Listening evening @ 7.30pm in No. 87
Tuesday 17th Sept	Service Saturday preparation meeting @ 7.30pm in No. 87
Monday 23rd Sept	The challenge of Pope Francis - listen to the voice of the poor @ 7pm in No. 87 (with Vincent DePaul)
Thursday 26th Sept	Parish Gathering for all in St. Alphonsus Monastery - 7.30-9pm
Saturday 9th Nov	Holy Cross Abbey in Tipperary Pilgrimage

HOLY DAYS—Beginning on November 1st, the Mass times for Holy Days are 6pm (Vigil), 9.45 (Cemetery) & 9.30am (Church). There is an evening Mass at 5.45pm in St. Alphonsus.

The Redemptoristine Nuns invite you to the annual Solemn Novena in honor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help for a time of prayer, renewed Hope, intercessions and celebration.

Venue: Monastery of St Alphonsus, St Alphonsus Road.
17-25th September
Mass times 9.30 am and 8.00pm

Owing to the Novena in St. Alphonsus there will be no 9.30 Mass in the parish. The parish Mass will be transferred to the Monastery for those days 17-25th September. Fr. Jim

Iona Active Retirement

The AGM was held on 2nd September. As no nominations were received the Committee decided to remain in office under the chairmanship of Joan Collins.

Tues. 10th Sept.	Cards as usual
Wed. 11th Sept.	Cards as usual
Sun. 22nd Sept.	Castlecourt Hotel, Westport
Wed. 9th Sept.	Sicily - cathedrals and churches.



Knock

Coach leaves St. Columba's Church at 8 a.m. on Monday 9th September.
Due back 9 p.m.

Parish Mass Times and Mass Intentions for this Week

Sat. 7th 6.00pm	Kathleen Donoghue, Alice Creaner, Hugh McMorrow, Ciaran Andrews, Patricia Gilligan
Sun 8th 11.00am	
Mon 9th 9.30am	Timothy & Mary Bowles
Tue 10th 9.30am	
Wed 11th 9.30am	Pat O'Donnell
Thur 12th 9.30am	Sean & Maura Fanning (Wedding A)
Fri 13th 9.30am	Kitty & Nuala Doherty & Carmel recently deceased

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 at 9.30am.



Baptisms. For all baptisms please contact Sr. Bridget

through the Parish Office @ 830 8257 or call into the Sacristy.

Parish Contributions for the week commencing Sept 1st '13 = €703.00

Many Thanks

Eucharistic Ministry

We need Eucharistic Ministers to distribute Holy Communion at Mass and bring the Eucharist to the Sick. Please give your name and contact details to

Sr. Bridget

WORLD YOUTH DAY

Next Sunday, 15th September at 11am
Mass Catherine Cormican & James O'Connor who travelled to World Youth Day in Rio will tell us of their experiences. Bishop Raymond Field will celebrate the Mass.