The Gathering of Volunteers! A delicious turkey and ham dinner was served to about 200 Volunteers in St. Columba's, in the Maples Hotel, hosted by Fr. Jim and Sr. Bridget. There was a Super Draw of a Samsung 22in Television won by Carmel Ryan. Mary Chawke won the Maples Dinner Voucher for two sponsored by the Maples. €830.00 was raised for Parish Funds. A big thank you to Fr. Jim, the Maples Staff, and all who came for a most enjoyable evening.

The next meeting of **Neighbourhood Watch** will take place in the Maples Hotel, Iona Road at 8pm on Tuesday 7th May. Mr Brian McLoughlin will be in the Chair. All welcome.

Experienced 18 year old baby sitter full drivers licence available Keen rates. References available. Contact Caroline at : 0876480479 Experienced Babysitter available evenings and week-ends, fully qualified First-Aider, can provide references if required. Please contact Emily on 01 8308791 (evenings)

MOVIES THAT MATTER - This is a new idea for the parish. Once a month, in St. Alphonsus we will show a film with a religious/moral/spiritual theme and discuss it afterwards over a cuppa. The dates for first three are: Thursday 13th June : Stella Days, Thursday 15th August : Saving Grace, Thursday 12th September : Of Gods and Men. Put the dates in your diaries.

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 Office Opening Times and contact:

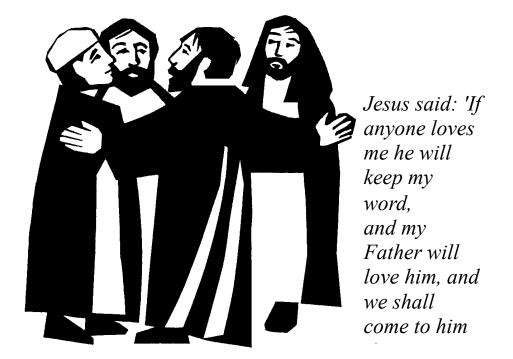
Thursdays and Fridays 10.00a.m. - 16.00pm Ph. 8308257 or email:saintcolumba@eircom.net PARISH VINK

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6th SUNDAY OF EASTER



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.

The members acknowledge, with deep gratitude, receipt of the sum of €984 at last weekend's collection.

Parish Mass Times and Mass Intentions for this Week

Sat. 4th 6.00pm	John Looney A, Paul Appleby MM, Frank	
	Conry MM, Jenny Caverily MM, Sean	
	Caverily A, Brenda Ryan A	
Sun 5th 11.00am	Desmond Clarke A	
Mon 6th 9.30am	Mass in St. Alphonsus Monastery	
Tue 7th 9.30am	1 5	
Wed 8th 9.30am	Patricia Whyte A & members of Whyte	
	Family	
Thur 9th 9.30am	1 annry	
Fri 10th 9.30am		
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		
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Parish Contributions for the week commencing April 28th = $\in 814.30$ Many Thanks

Iona Active Retirement

Brussels and the European Parliament.
Monthly meeting in the Annex at 10.15 a.m.
Guest Speaker: Marjorie Chawke.
Sicily. A wonderful opportunity to visit the
cathedrals and churches of Palermo, Siraceuse
and Taormina. Book with the Travel
Department and mention you are with the Iona Group