

Historical Walk in Aid of Scoil Mobhi



Scoil Mobhi is organizing a guided historical walk on Sunday 28th April departing from the school every 15 minutes from 11a.m., duration approximately 1½ hours. There will be 7 stopping points, taking participants from the 6th century to present day and will include a visit to St. Mobhi's Church, Church Avenue. The walk is in aid of the school refurbishment programme. Non sponsored participants will be requested to make a minimum donation of €5 to take part. All welcome.

Drumcondra Library Events

Dramatic Reading from 'Strumpet City' by James Plunkett. This event takes place on Tuesday 23rd April at 6.30p.m. Be entertained as actor Fergus Cronin and historian Paul Rouse evoke the atmosphere of the time and provide historical context through reading recorded music and imagery. **ADMISSION FREE. Booking essential.**
Contact: 8377206

Parish Link

Items for the Parish Link can be e-mailed to parishlink@gmail.com or dropped into the parish office letter-box. Items should be posted by 5p.m. 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

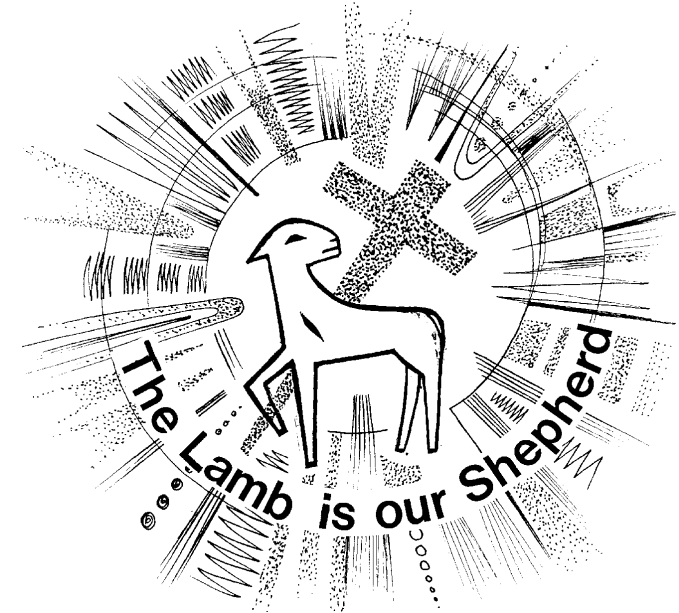
Opening Times: Thursdays & Fridays 10a.m. – 4p.m.
Telephone: 8308257
e-mail: saintcolmba@eircom.net

PARISH LINK

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21st April 2013



Moments of Easter Joy

Join the Dublin Diocesan Music Group, led by Fr. Pat O' Donoghue, for one hour of music and reflection.
Date: Monday 29th April at 8p.m.
Venue: St. Alphonsus Monastery.
Or join us on webcam at www.rednuns.co,m



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.

Iona Active Retirement

Wed. 24th April: Going to the dogs- Shelbourne Park. Mini bus departs church at 6.30pm.

€25 to Maureen Phelan.

Mon. 6th May: Brussels & European Parliament

Mon. 13th May: Monthly meeting at 10.15am. in the annex.

Wed. 9th October: Sicily. A wonderful opportunity to visit cathedrals and churches of Palermo, Siracuse and Taormina. Book with 'The Travel Dept' and mention you are with the Iona Group.



Iona Church Flower Society

The annual church gate collection for flowers for the altar and shrines will take place after Masses on Saturday 27th and Sunday 28th April.

Family Mass

Next Family Mass is
Saturday 27th April at 6p.m.
All Welcome

CROSSCARE

A concert to celebrate the 20th anniversary of Crosscare Carers Support will take place on Friday 26th April from 7p.m. - 9p.m.

in the Academy Room, Clonliffe College, Dublin 3.

Tickets: €10 including tea/coffee. Children free.

Music by St. Fergal's Mens Choir.

For more information contact Rosemary @ 836 0011

The Presentation Brothers are holding an informal information weekend for men interested in a religious vocation on Saturday 27th April at 11a.m. - 2p.m. Sunday 28th April in Glasthule.

For full information contact Bro. Anthony @ 230 0824 or e mail

vocation@PresentationBrothers.org

Regina Coeli Women's Hostel

Volunteers needed. Approx. 3 hours per week.

Residents of the hostel include mothers and children, also single women.

Help needed preparing meals, children's reading & homework club. Also organizing classes in gardening, crafts and English. If you can spare a few hours please contact Eileen @ 872 3142

Parish Mass Times and Intentions

Sat. 20th April 6pm. Jane McGuinness
Evelyn & Pat Rutledge 60th Wedding Anniversary

Sun. 21st April 11am. Joan Henry

Mon. 22nd April 9.30am. Evelyn & Pat Rutledge 60th Wedding Anniversary

Tues. 23rd April 9.30am. John Grant

Wed. 24th April 9.30am.

Thurs. 25th April 9.30am.

Fri. 26th April 9.30am. Joseph & Gaudencia Oola

Mass: Monday - Friday: 9.30a.m.

Sunday morning Mass @ 9.45am in Glasnevin Cemetery.

Mass times in St. Alphonsus Monastery, Iona Road:

Monday to Friday @ 5.45p.m.

Saturday @ 9.30a.m.

Sunday @ 9.30a.m.

Baptisms: For all baptisms please contact Sr. Bridget through the Parish Office @ 830 8257 or call in to the sacristy.

Lough Derg Pilgrimage

Due to cancellation there is one seat available for the pilgrimage on Saturday 25th May. Bus departs from St. Columba's Church, Iona Road. Cost €92, includes bus, breakfast, lunch, dinner and boat.

Further details: Michael @ 830 4365

Parish Contributions
for week commencing
April 14th: €650.40
Many thanks

Coming soon.....

Family Fun Day

Saturday 9th June

Don't miss the opportunity to star
in this event!

Volunteer to help.....

E mail: ionafunday@gmail.com



The Irish Pilgrimage Trust

This is a voluntary organization which brings children and young adults with special needs to Lourdes every year.

All carers pay their own fares and undertake to fundraise for the cost to bring the young guests.

Please support our church gate collection on 18th and 20th May.

Thank you.