

Remembering in November – an idea

What do you do with all those memoriam cards? Here's an idea to consider. Whenever you sit down to eat your main meal, place one card in a glass with a candle in front of it. Offer a prayer each day of the month remembering a different person. The following is an example:

God of hope. May your eternal light and peace shine on Paula today. We remember her with us at this table. May she enjoy the banquet of love prepared for her. Amen.



We thank parishioners for your contributions to the **First and Second Collections at Mass. A Tap and Go machine** at the back of the church facilitates parishioners and visitors who wish to contribute to the First and Second collections but who don't carry cash. **A second Tap and Go device has been installed for the benefit of receiving parish contributions.** Contributions to the parish can also be made through the 'Donate' button on the parish website: www.ionaroadparish.ie

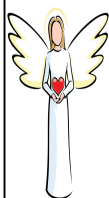
Thank you for your contribution to the parish **FAMILY OFFERING** collection, amounting to **€1758 last weekend**. This is received in weekly envelopes. An average weekly total of €544.00 is also contributed by Standing Orders.



Conference of St. Columba.
Many thanks for generous contribution
which amounted to €802.33



PLEASE NOTE there will be NO Annual Clothing appeal
but donations always accepted in local VINCENTS shops.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

SAT	19th	6.00pm	John Curtin (A) Peadar Hynes (A) Ronan Power (A) Teresa Ryan (A)
SAT	26th	6.00pm	Edel Dillon (A) Paddy Keogh (A)

Please pray for and all our recently deceased



Items for the Parish Link can be e-mailed to parishlink@gmail.com or dropped into the Parish Office. A contact name and phone number is required for each item.
Ph: 830 8257 or email ionaroadparish@gmail.com
St. Columba's Parish website : www.ionaroadparish.ie

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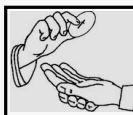
Parish of St. Columba

20th November 2022

Our Lord Jesus Christ, Universal King



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

 Parishioners and visitors are encouraged to continue to hand sanitise on entering the church and to wear face masks during Mass. Communion is received in the hand only.


Margaret
Aylward Centre
for Faith & Dialogue
**Please check out our website for
all our Advent events @
www.margaretaylwardcentre.ie/**


*Today I walk
to remember
you.*

The Mater Hospital are holding a **Remember Me Walk** in St Anne's Park on Sunday 27th at 10am, meeting at The Red Stables. The walk is to celebrate and remember those that have gone before us and raise much needed funds for End-of-Life Care in the Mater Public Hospital.

WALK OF LIGHT

The Walk of Light is back on the Streets of Dublin. On today, Sunday, November 20, at 3.30pm the congregations of the Leeson Street and Rathmines area of south Dublin together with the Chaplaincy Centre of Trinity College Dublin and under the umbrella of the Dublin Council of Churches invite you to come and join them in a Walk that begins in Newman University Church on St Stephen's Green and ending on the Front Square of Trinity College. *Into Darkness, Great Light* is this year's motto for this inter-church "pilgrimage".

For further details and more notices from around the Dublin Diocese see www.dublindiocese.ie



Church Shop now open on Sunday Mornings.

It is a cash based system. Lots of lovely cards and small gifts will be available. Looking forward to seeing you there.

IONA ACTIVE RETIREMENT

Mon	11.00 - 12.00	No Exercise this week
Mon	2.00 - 4.00	Bridge
Tues	2.00 - 4.30	Bingo & Cards
Thur	11.00 - 12.15	Bible Group
Fri	11.00 - 12.15	Writers Group

Ceilé dancing in Botanic Hall
Tuesday form 11.30am to 1.00pm All Welcome
Wednesday 23rd November @ 11.30am Mountjoy Prison Museum. Meet at Mountjoy Gate.
Christmas Lunch 8th December 12.30 Maples Hotel €25 to be given to Marjorie Chawke (In an envelope please)



Monastery of St. Alphonsus

Monday, Nov 21, @ 8 pm
Remembrance Service with Fr. Pat O'Donoghue and the Diocesan Music Group (limited seats, recording by the webcam)

Tuesday, Nov 29, @ 7.30 pm
Christian Meditation Group is meeting in the Faith Centre in the Monastery grounds.



Peter McVerry Trust's Christmas Carol Concert will take place in **St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin on Saturday, 3rd December 2022.**

This year's fantastic line-up features Paul Harrington, Dublin Male Voice Choir and Dublin Youth Choir.

Doors will open at 7pm on the night of the event, with performances starting at 7.30pm.
For more info. and tickets please visit webpage www.pmvtrust.ie/christmas-carol-concert/

Diocesan Remembrance Service Monday, November 21, at 8pm in the Monastery of St Alphonsus. This annual event offers a combination of scripture, prayer and music to give comfort and hope to those who are bereaved. While the Dublin Diocesan Music Group play an important part in the service, the focus is on prayer and reflection too. Join us at the Monastery or online at www.rednuns.com

TABLE QUIZ
Hedigan's Pub
Wednesday Nov 23rd @8pm

In aid of the Mater Hospital
'In the heart of our community and serving the nation'
Tables of four - €10 per person

Pre book a table – contact Pauline @0876950299