



NEW YEAR GREETINGS: In conjunction with the Parish Pastoral Council, Fr. Paddy & Fr. Paul wish each and every one of our parishioners every blessing for the New Year. We pray for peace among our families and friends, and for health and success for all our endeavours. It's been said "Nobody can go back and start a new beginning, but anyone can start today and make a new ending." There is godly wisdom in that. Jesus makes all things new (*Revelation 21:5*). This new year, I encourage you to entrust to Our Lord those issues in your life, or in the life of your loved ones, that seem hopeless. (*Psalms 9:11; Psalm 37:3; 2 Corinthians 4:8-9*). We invite you all to deepen your connection with God through the liturgy and faith life of our Church, and we thank you for your great support of the Holy Redeemer Parish.

REMINDER OF NEW TIMES FOR MASS IN OUR CHURCH FROM 1ST JANUARY 2012: Saturday Evening Vigil: 7.30pm (*Confessions: 6.45pm - 7.15pm*) and Sundays: 9.00 am, 11.30am, & 6.00pm. The Masses on Saturday morning, evening and Sunday evening are 'shared intention' Masses - due to the large number of requests we have had for Masses. Why not take the opportunity of the New Year and our new Mass schedule to invite a family member or friend to come to Mass with you? In these tough times, our faith can be a real support and consolation.

MONDAY 2ND JANUARY IS A BANK HOLIDAY: Mass at 10am only. There will be no 7.30pm Novena Mass. Novena Prayers will be said at the morning Mass.

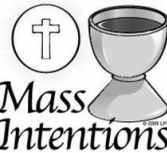


FRIDAY 6TH JANUARY: is the Solemnity of The Epiphany of the Lord, and is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass Times: Friday 9am, 11.30am & 7.30pm.

IS ALSO THE FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH: The sick & housebound will be attended during the week as arranged. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 10.00am Mass until 4.00pm. Divine Mercy Devotion with Holy Hour & Chaplet from 3.00pm-4.00pm.

ANNIVERSARY & REMEMBRANCE MASSES

Saturday 31st December (<i>vigil</i>)	7.30pm. Av.	Paddy McHugh.
Sunday 1st January 2012	9.00am. Av.	Mary & Bernard Toal
	11.30am. MM	Paul McNally
	6.00pm. Av.	Margaret Woods.
Monday 2nd January	10.00am. Av.	P.J. Harper.
Tuesday 3rd January	10.00am. Av.	Jimmy McEvoy
Wednesday 4th January	10.00am. Av.	Pat Jo Brennan & deceased family members .
Thursday 5th January	10.00am. Av.	Margaret Kindlon.
Friday 6th January	9.00am. Av.	Christopher & Mary Ward.
Feast of the Epiphany	11.30am. Av.	Reggie Murphy.
	7.30pm. Av.	Paddy Leahy.
Saturday 7th January	10.00am. Av's	Rose Murphy. Olive Durnin. Carmel Moore. James Smyth.
Saturday 7th January (<i>vigil</i>)	7.30pm. Av.	Gerard Kearney. Bill Stephens. Paddy McEnteggart. Ben & Molly Lynam. Mary Connolly.
Sunday 8th January	9.00am. Av.	Kathleen & Peter McKevitt.
	11.30am. Av.	Bridget & Dick Dunne.
	6.00pm. Av.	Bartholomew McCrave. Seamus McArdle. Reggie Murphy.



CHRISTMAS CRIB: You are invited to visit the Crib over the Christmas period and there pray for your family and their intentions. We thank all those who erected the Crib

SAFE TRAVELLING: Many of those who travelled home for Christmas will be leaving in the next few days. We wish them well, and invite them to keep in touch with the parish by the website www.holyredeemerparish.ie and registering for our 'SMS' service by texting REDEEMER plus their name, (& ministry, if involved) to 51444

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT IN THE CHURCH: Tuesdays after 10.00am Mass until 11.30am

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY: Terry Hollywood, Silverbridge; Shane Rodgers, Inniskeen; Maureen Rajasingam (*nee Kinch*), Dundalk; Maria Bird, Fatima Drive; Una Julia O'Hare nee: Lennon, Kilkerry; John Johnny Tieran, Fr. Murray Park; Margaret Shields, Oakland Pk; Lillie Carroll, Endland; Patrick Monaghan, Canada; Dan Larkin, Market St.; Pat Markey, Blackrock; Packy Faul, Louth; Patsy Campbell, Mountpleasant;



2012 PARISH CALENDARS are being distributed at present; if you have not received one, please pick one up at the entrances to the Church. Please remember neighbours or friends who may not be able to get out to Mass, and pick one up for them also.

HOLY REDEEMER MEDITATION GROUP will resume on Wednesday 11th January 2012 at 8.00pm in the quiet room of the Holy Redeemer Church.

NEXT SUNDAY IS THE FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD: In conjunction with the Parish Pastoral Council and the Parish Baptism Team, we have written to every baby baptised in our Church during the last year to invite them to attend the Mass and take part in a special liturgy of renewal of Baptismal Promises. We acknowledge the work of our Baptismal Team and extend an invitation to you to consider being part of this ministry as it is renewed in the next few weeks.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY: WILL TAKE PLACE DURING 18th - 25th January. The theme this year is; "*We will all be changed by the Victory of our Lord Jesus Christ*" (1 Cor 15:51-58). As we pray for and strive towards the full visible unity of the church we - and the traditions to which we belong - will be changed, transformed and conformed to the likeness of Christ.

PARISH COLLECTIONS: 25th December €2,258 (Church) €335 (Envelopes). €3200 (Special Collection for the Priests) Thank you for your financial support in these difficult times.

FAMILY RESOURCE CENTRE LOTTO: Lotto Jackpot: €7,300. Parish Bingo Monday on 2nd January at 8.30pm: Flyer: €5,770.

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR 2012

General Intention:
Victims of Natural Disasters. That the victims of natural disasters may receive the spiritual and material comfort they need to rebuild their lives.

Missionary Intention:
Dedication to Peace. That the dedication of Christians to peace may bear witness to the name of Christ before all men and women of good will.

