



PARISH OF THE HOLY REDEEMER, DUNDALK
 A Parish in the Dun Dealgan Pastoral Area
Sunday 25th September - 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MISSION STATEMENT:

Celebrating our Pentecostal faith in the Eucharist, we continue to be a vibrant, inclusive, faith community, in the Spirit of our loving Redeemer.

SOLEMN NOVENA TO ST. GERARD MAJELLA

Saturday 8th - Sunday 16th October.

Theme: **Eucharist - Food For Life**

Weekdays: 10.00am & 7.30pm

Sundays: 10.00am; 11.30am;
12.30pm & 6.00pm



Preachers: Fr Kevin Browne, CSsR Fr Pat Sugrue, CSsR

SUNDAY OCTOBER 9TH AT 3.00PM

The Blessing of Babies (*without Mass*)

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 12TH

Sacrament of Reconciliation

FRIDAY OCTOBER 14TH

Healing Mass with
the Anointing of the Sick and the Elderly.

Votive Candles can be purchased at €2 each and will be burned during the Novena in the small chapel.

WE WELCOME INTO OUR COMMUNITY THOSE RECENTLY BAPTISED: Tommy Robert Lennon. Bébhinn Harris. **Baptisms may be celebrated on any Saturday/Sunday except major Church Feasts and require at least 2 weeks notice by booking through the parish office.**

TRIP TO ST. PATRICK'S COLLEGE, MAYNOOTH: It's a great opportunity to organize a visit to this wonderful and historic place. A **Free** bus will leave the Church of the Holy Redeemer car park at 11am on Saturday, 1st October, and return about 9pm. The trip is in conjunction with St. Joseph's Young Priests' Society. During the trip we will meet with the Diocesan Semimarians, including our very own Damien Quigley, and celebrate Mass in the famed Pugin 'stalled' college chapel. Please leave your name and contact number in the Sacristy/Parochial house.



PRAYER AROUND THE CROSS WITH MUSIC OF TAIZE on Friday 7th October 8.30pm - 9.30pm 'Bethany' 34 Point Road, Dundalk.

THE AFRICAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY CHAPLAINCY will have their prayer and faith sharing gathering on Sunday 25th Sept, 2011 at St Patrick's Parish Roden Place, Dundalk. Time: 3:30pm.

AN CROÍ SPIRITUALITY CENTRE, The Stables, Bachelors Lane, Drogheda will hold Information Sessions Wednesday September 28th 7pm - 9pm. Anyone interested in their accredited Diploma programmes in Spirituality and other activities are welcome to come and learn more. Drop in or call Carmel Boyle at 0419805050.

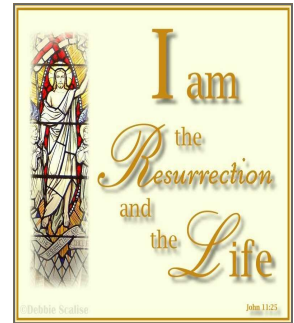
Anniversary Mass Book: The book will be available for bookings from **Monday, 3rd October** at the Parish Office (*Monday-Thursday, 10am-4pm*). Please note that for bookings, the 11.30am Mass will continue to be reserved firstly for Months Minds; The 10.00am & 7.30pm (*vigil*) on Saturday and the 6.00pm Mass on a Sunday, are **'Shared Intentions'** Masses.

We remember those who have died Recently: David Gray, Farndreg. John Ladley, Marian Park. Rita Smith, *nee Smith*, Muirhevnamor. Olivia McKeown, Knockbridge. Vinny Monaghan, Culhane Street. Winnie McCusker, The Laurels.

MEDITATION GROUP will meet in the crying room of the Holy Redeemer church on 28th September at 8.00pm sharp.

ANNIVERSARY & REMEMBRANCE MASSES

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| Saturday 24th September (<i>vigil</i>) | 7.30pm. Av. | Maurice & Doreen Kerley. |
| Sunday 25th September | 10.00am. Av. | Ted McCoy. |
| | 11.30am. MM | William Whelan. |
| | 12.30pm. Av. | John & Mary Collins. |
| | 6.00pm. Av. | Bernard McCann. |
| Monday 26th September | 10.00am. Av. | |
| | 7.30pm. Av. | Kathleen Morgan. |
| Tuesday 27th September | 10.00am. Av. | Tommy & May Kieran |
| Wednesday 28th September | 10.00am. Av. | Patsy Dunne. |
| Thursday 29th September | 10.00am. Av. | Sheila McGeown. |
| Friday 30th September | 10.00am. | Mary McHugh. |
| Saturday 1st October | 10.00am. Av. | |
| Saturday 1st October (<i>vigil</i>) | 7.30pm. Av. | John & Peggy Stewart. |
| Sunday 2nd October | 10.00am. Av. | Kathleen & Johnny McCabe. |
| | 11.30am. Av. | |
| | 12.30pm. Av. | |
| | 6.00pm. Av. | Joseph Connolly. |



GENERAL CLEANING OF THE CHURCH takes place on the last Friday of each month - 30th September - from 2.00pm - 3.00pm. Volunteers welcome.

CATHOLIC NEWSPAPERS PAPERS on sale in the main porch of the church. Please consider placing a regular order for a newspaper.

EARLY START PROGRAMME: There are some places available on the Early Start Programme which is open to children who have reached their 3rd birthday on or before 1st September 2011. Contact Patrick 9331975/ Frank 9332053.

PARISH COLLECTIONS: 11th September **€1,364 (Church) €435(Envelopes)**. **Thanks for your continued and wholehearted financial support for the parish.**

FAMILY RESOURCE CENTRE LOTTO: 19th September 15-19-25-30 One Match Three winners €150. Lotto Jackpot: €5,300 Parish Bingo on Monday at 8.30pm: Flyer: €6,295.

CHURCH GATE COLLECTION today in aid of Multiple Sclerosis society, Ireland.



Today is an opportunity to highlight and promote particularly the vocation to the priesthood. The number of priests per Catholic has declined over the past 40 years. This makes it more difficult for individual parishioners to establish a close relationship with any one particular priest. Also, priests are no longer the only ones who offer pastoral care to our people. Yet without a priest, no parish is able to be a Eucharistic community. It is important to reaffirm the importance of the priesthood of Jesus Christ and its central place in the life of our Church.

Prayer for Priests: *O Lord, thank you for the gift of Pastors & Ministers to feed your flock. Enable them, by the power of the spirit to stand firm in the midst of the trials and stresses of this world. Give them the courage to speak your word faithfully and the grace to reflect your love in their actions. Amen.*

Priests of the Parish

Fr. Patrick Rushe & Fr. Paul Montague

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