

Parish of the Holy Redeemer, Dundalk

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30th November 2008. 1st Sunday of Advent.

Priests of the Parish: Fr. Padriag Keenan & Fr. Patrick Rushe.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission is to create a vibrant parish for the enrichment of all. Learning and communicating with each other and, energised by the Spirit of Pentecost, we will work to build a spiritual community and witness to Jesus Christ.

Advent is a time of waiting, conversion and of hope. On this First Sunday of Advent, we ask that Jesus' way of Live may also become our way of Life.

The Advent Wreath, with the progressive lighting of its four candles is a recollection of the various stages of salvation history prior to Christ's coming.

The Jesse Tree reminds us that our belief grows out of deep roots of thousands of years of ancestors in the faith.

Advent Prayer Service in Preparation for the Birth of Jesus Christ in our Church on Tues. 2nd Dec. at 7.30pm—8.00pm.

PREPARE FOR CHRISTMAS by reflecting on the Sunday readings in Advent. **Wed. 3rd 10th & 17th Dec.** 2.10pm—3.15pm Sr. Claire, 137 Cedarwood Pk. 9339816.

All welcome.

Guides & Scouts Carol Service in Church of the Holy Redeemer on Fri. 5th Dec. at 7.30pm.

Mass in honour of *Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal* on Mon. at 7.30pm.

CONFESSIONS: Sat: 6.45pm.- 7.15pm.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament each Tues. in the Church after 10.00am Mass until 11.30am.

Friday is the First Friday of the Month.

The sick & housebound will be attended during the week as arranged.

Divine Mercy Devotion on Friday.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after

10.00am Mass until 4.00pm.

Holy Hour & Chaplet. 3.00pm—4.00pm

ARCHDIOCESE OF ARMAGH.

Diocese in Transition— Parishes in Partnership.

The first Step for our Parish is on Clustering.

An open meeting will take place in **St. Brigid's School next Wednesday 3rd Dec. 2008 at 7.30pm to 9.30pm.**

It is important as parishioners of Holy Redeemer Parish, to become involved in this process for the wellbeing of our Parish presently and in the future.

This meeting will give us an opportunity to listen and share our thoughts on these developments that will have effect on the life of the parish community.

Neasa Ni Arghadain from Marino Institute will facilitate the meeting.

All Parishioners welcome.

PARISH LIFE & MINISTRY

An afternoon of Reflection will take place today for all who enhance the Life & Ministry of our Parish in

St. Brigid's School from 2.30pm—5.30pm.

THE LITTLE FLOWER PRAYER GROUP MEETING on Wed at 11.00am
Irish Catholic Newspapers on sale in the main porch of the Church.

St. Vincent de Paul Annual Christmas Appeal Collection will take place at all Masses on 6th & 7th Dec.

Your support would be appreciated.

Anniversary & Remembrance Masses in the Church of the Holy Redeemer

Sat. 29th November (vigil)	7.30am.Av.	Marie Therese, Kathleen & Denis McGlynn.
Sunday 30th November.	10.00am.Av.	Thomas Mulligan.
	11.30am.MM.	Oliver Agnew.
	12.30pm.Av.	Mary Sweeney.
	6.00pm MM.	Paddy Kirk. Av's: Edward & Mary McKenna.
Monday 1st December.	10.00am.Av.	Joe & Emily Callan & Florence & Kathleen Kenna.
Novena Mass.	7.30pm.Av.	Ciaran & Kevin McKeever.
Tuesday 2nd December.	10.00am.Av.	Olive McShane.
Wednesday 3rd December.	10.00am.Av.	Dec. mem. Quinn, McEntee, & Dowdall families.
Thursday 4th December.	10.00am.Av.	Doherty family.
Friday 5th December.	10.00am.Av.	William Clitheroe.
Saturday 6th December.	10.00am Av's	Parish List of the Dead.
		Peter McCourt. Nora & Deirdre Busby. Cecilia Ellen Dobbs.
		John McGill. Martin, Cornelius, Ellen & Edward. O'Brien. Cumiskey family.
Saturday 6th December. (vigil)	7.30pm.Av.	Olive McCabe, Billy Fallon & Dunne family.
Sunday 7th December.	10.00am Av.	Mary Garland.
	11.30am.MM.	Pat McKinley.
	12.30pm.Av.	Kathleen McCabe.
	6.00pm.Av.	Michael & Bridget Hughes.
		Stephen Loughran. Shandel McKeown.

*Watch your
Post
tomorrow*

*It's to your
advantage!*

Collections: 8th & 9th Nov. 2008.

Envelope: €620:00 Church: €1,226:00**Total: €1,84620:00**

Holy Ghost Mission Collection: €3,113:00

15th & 16th Nov. 2008.

Envelope: €665:00 Church: €1,744:00**Total: €2,409:00**

23rd & 24th Nov. 2008.

Envelope: €540:00 Church: €1,585:00**Total: €2,125:00**

Family Resource Centre Lotto 24 –11 –08

Nos: 03 – 04– 15-29. No Jackpot Winner.

One Match Three Numbers. €150 .

Next Draw: Mon. 1st December 2008.

Lotto Jackpot: €7,400:00

Parish Bingo: Mondays' 8.30pm.

Flyer: €1,260:00

We welcome into our community those recently baptised.

Donnchadh Shea Cottor.

Darragh Stephen Owens.

Emma Eileen Tyhuis.

Niamh Patricia Duffy-McCague.

James Daniel Gorham.

We remember those who died:

Sheelagh Corrigan, Mounthamilton.

Brigid Quigley, Castle Roche.

Agnes Deane, Bridge Street.

Anne Oladujoye, Mullaharin Park.

May they rest in peace.

Dundalk INTO would like to invite you to join with us and with the other teachers unions, in a Protest Rally in Dublin on Dec. 6th at Parnell Sq. at 1.00pm. Please support the future of the nation's children.

All notices for inclusion in the Parish Bulletin should be typed or written and submitted to the Holy Redeemer Parochial Hse by 6.00pm of Tuesday each week.