

Douglas / Rochestown

25 January 2015



St Columba's
Tel: 021 489 4128 (Office)
Mobile: 087 2617143

Mass Times
Sat Vigil: 6pm
Sun: 9.30am, 11am & 12.15pm

St. Columba's, Douglas

Parish

St Patrick's,
Tel: 021 489 6797 (Office)
Mobile: 087 638 8655

Mass Times
Sun: 11am & 12.30pm

St. Patrick's, Rochestown



Baptisms

We welcome to the Christian community the following who were baptised recently:

Kate Dennehy, daughter of Niamh & Brian, Kiltegan Lawn;
Zofia Nowicka, daughter of Aneta & Maciej, Rochestown;

NEWS DESK

Finance: The Offertory Collection last Sunday in St. Columba's came to **€3208** and in St. Patrick's **€1485**. Many thanks for your generosity

Christmas Appeal

The Parish assembly would like to thank parishioners for their generous response to their appeal for Edel House. We had so many donations that were able to donate some of them to Cuan Laoi.

Many thanks for your generosity, which will be much appreciated by the families in the hostels.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

On this Sunday 25th, we will be delighted to welcome the **Rev. Sarah Marry**, Church of Ireland Curate of the Douglas Union of Parishes, to speak at the 11.00am Mass in St. Columba's.

The central event in Cork will this year take place in **Ardfallen Church, Douglas Road, on Sunday 25th January at 7.30pm.**

MUSINGS

Some tell us that following Jesus is a simple matter of inviting him into our hearts. But when we do that, Jesus always asks 'May I bring my friends?' And, when we look at them, we see that they are not the kind of company we like to keep. The friends of Jesus are the outcasts, the marginalised, the poor, the homeless, the rejected, the lepers of life. We hesitate and ask 'Jesus, must we really have them too?' Jesus replies 'Love me, love my friends!' (Peter Storey) *Intercom*



Medugorje Pilgrimage

May 20th – 27th & Sept. 2nd – Sept 9th
Ex Cork

Only €50 Deposit

Phone: Finbar O'Leary 021 4360000

Or come to the Prayer Meeting in Holy Trinity @ 8pm every Wednesday

Notices

Cork Scripture Group Diocesan Certificates in Biblical Studies

Are you interested in learning more about the Bible? Why not join us for a four module programme over two years in Bible Study? It will include an Introduction to the Bible, the Old Testament, the Gospels and the Early Church and Paul's Letters. Module 1 will consist of 5 nights and one Saturday workshop and begins on Mon. Feb 9th at 7.30 p.m. in Scala, Blackrock. The presenters will be Fr Sean O'Sullivan, Diane Corkery, Mons Ned Gould and Fr. Kieran O'Mahony OSA. Cost: €50 per module. Contact: 021 497250 or corksripturegroup@gmail.com

Remembering with Love

A multid denominational Service of Remembrance for families who have experience the death of a child. Wed. 28th Jan @ 6.30 in Sacred Heart Church, Western Road. All parents, children and families welcome. Refreshments and children's entertainment will be provided afterwards. For further information, see poster in church porch