

Douglas / Rochestown Parish

Sunday
17 May 2015



St Columba's
Tel: 021 489 4128 (Office)
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Mass Times
Sat Vigil: 6pm
Sun: 9.30am, 11am & 12.15pm

St. Columba's, Douglas



St Patrick's,
Tel: 021 489 6797 (Office)
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Mass Times
Sun: 11am & 12.30pm

St. Patrick's, Rochestown

Baptisms

Aisling Kate O'Brien, daughter of Ciara & Michael, Rowan Hill;
Pippa Elizabeth Hawkes, daughter of Estelle & Steven, Carmen Lawn;
Jessica Eileen Quinn, daughter of Susan & Philip, Forthill, Monegourney;
Rachel Catherine Gibbons, daughter of Niamh & Ivan, Forthill, Monegourney;
Daniel Eugene Swords, son of Tina & Barry, The Oaks, Maryborough Ridge;
Taylor Shannon Murray, daughter of Fiona & Jason, Cloghroe House, Cloghroe;
Elizabeth Martha Hourihane-Owens, daughter of Isabella & Cormac, Maple Court, Mount Oval.

Deaths

The deaths took place of the following: **Anita O'Connor**, beloved wife of the late JC and loving mother of Brian, Anne, Mary, Katy, John, Patsy and Michael.
Richard O'Neill, Douglas Hall Lawn, dearly loved husband of the late Irene and much loved father of David, Conor and Fiona May they rest in peace. Ar dheis lámh Dé go raibh siad.

News Desk

Finance The Offertory Collection last Sunday in St. Columba's came to **€2876** and in St. Patrick's **€1203**. The second collection in aid of Parish Pastoral Services in St. Columba's came to **€2018** and in St. Patrick's **€696** Many thanks for your generosity.

Pastoral Development Office Fr Charles Kiely wishes to sincerely thank you for your generosity in contributing to the annual collection for the Pastoral Development Office in our Diocese. Along with this word of acknowledgment, I would also like to thank sincerely those who attended and took part in our recent Evening of Prayer for Vocations in this Year of Consecrated Life where over 600 people gathered. We look forward to meeting many of you over the coming year for training and events. *Karen Kent.*

Exam Prayer

Lord, pour out your Spirit of wisdom on all students doing exams at this time. Help them to remain calm, to attend carefully to the questions asked, to think clearly, to remember accurately, and to express themselves well. Grant that they may reflect the best of the work they have done, and the best of the teaching they have received. When the results come out may they be satisfied that they did their best, and may whatever path they choose in life bring them happiness. May your love be upon them O Lord as they place all their trust in you. Amen

Do you feel Called to Priesthood?

To find out more about priesthood in the Diocese of Cork & Ross, please contact: Canon Bertie O'Mahony 0214346940, Tom Deenihan 021 4301717 or email: secretary@corkandross.org

Notices

The Parish Assembly of Douglas/Rochestown is organising a **FAMILY EVENT** in St. Columba's church and St. Patrick's church and you are invited! Children from **First Holy Communion** classes and **Confirmation** classes will be receiving a **Very Special Certificate** from the Parish. There will be **ICE-CREAM** available at both churches too, as part of an annual Parish fundraiser for **Down Syndrome Ireland**. All welcome!

Dates:

St. Columba's - 24 May
11am Mass
St. Patrick's - 7 June
11am Mass.

Can you help? Enable Ireland Cork - volunteers required to assist annual Church Gate Collections in: St Patrick's Church, Rochestown 30/31 May. Contact: **021 429 4434**

Stay safe -get your **free smoke alarms** fitted in your home. For application forms contact Phil Goodman 436386-philgoodman01@gmail.com

The Cork Association for Autism (CAA) Golf Classic - Mahon Golf Club Thurs June 18th. Teams of three cost €150 with a three ball better ball format. All funds raised to: the building of the CAA's new Day Service Centre for autistic adults in Mogeely. To book phone 021 427 1808. more info: www.corkautism.ie