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**Mass Times**  
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**St. Patrick's, Rochestown**



## PARISH OFFICE ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH

**CLOSED from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> August – re-opening Monday 15<sup>th</sup> August**

### BAPTISMS

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

**Freya Roza Doyle**, daughter of Lesley & Ian, Greenvally, Donnybrook.

**Zoe Karen Doocey**, daughter of Amy & Paul, Inchvale Avenue, Shamrock Lawn.

**Marcus Zemaitaitis**, son of Diana, Welwyn Road, Maryborough.

**Ella Nicole Meade**, daughter of Ciara & Hugh, Highfield, Maryborough Woods.

### DEATHS

The deaths took place on the following: **Donal O'Donovan**, Mahon Avenue, beloved husband of the late Patsy and loving father of Pat and dear brother of Nuala, Sr Mary and the late Garry. **Margaret Barrett**, Elm Court, Douglas, beloved wife of the late Vincent and loving mother of Eugene, Elizabeth, Anne and Niall. **John Doyle**, dearly beloved son of Phil and the late Thomas, much loved brother of Ann, Frank and the late Paul. May they rest in peace. Ar dheis lámh Dé go raibh siad

### SYMPATHY

The sympathy of the parish is extended to **Dan Creedon**, Douglas Road on the recent death of his brother, **Patrick Creedon**, South Carolina, USA.

### WEDDINGS

CONGRATULATIONS to the following who were married recently: **Lisa O'Connor & Colin O'Donovan**, South Douglas Road. **Patricia Fitzgerald**, Douglas Lawn & **David Cashman** Blackrock.

## News Desk

### Finance

The Offertory Collection last Sunday: St. Columba's: **€2794**. St. Patrick's: **€1031**. Many thanks for your generosity.

### FIRST FRIDAY 5 Aug '16

St. Columba's: St. Padre Pio Prayers before 10.00am Mass. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 10.00am Mass in Parish Centre – All welcome.

### Visitation of the Sick

The priests of the parish are happy to visit the sick and housebound on the First Friday of every month. If you know of anybody who would like a visit, please pass on the word to one of the priests.

**St. Patrick's Church Rochestown Silver Jubilee** Photographs now available on following website: *St. Patricks - Rochestown/ Garden Party*. The password is: rochestown.

**Annual Padre Pio Ceremonies** Commemorating the most wonderful day in his life, his ordination to the priesthood on Aug. 10 1910, will be celebrated in the Church of the Holy Spirit, Dennehy's Cross at **2.30pm** on **Sun 7 Aug**. Ceremonies will include Rosary, Concelebrated Mass, Anointing of the Sick, Benediction, Blessing of the Sick and Blessing with St. Pio First- Class Relics. All welcome.

## Notices

### SEEING YOUR LIFE THROUGH THE LENS OF THE GOSPELS

Luke 12:13-21

1. 'One's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions', said Jesus. What have you found by experience to be more important in life than possessions? What brought this home to you?
2. 'Be on your guard against all kinds of greed'. Perhaps you have seen how greed can lead to trouble in public life, in family life, and in the personal life of individuals. What has helped you to guard against greed? What benefits have you experienced when you were less greedy?
3. The message of the parable could be summed up in saying 'If you want to give God a laugh, tell him your plans'. Life takes many twists and turns we do not anticipate. When have you found that you have had to change your plans because of unexpected circumstances? What has helped you to be flexible and resourceful at such times?  
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*"God, teach me to be patient, teach me to go slow, Teach me how to wait on You when my way I do not know. Teach me sweet forbearance when things do not go right So I remain unruffled when others grow uptight. Teach me how to quiet my racing, rising heart So I might hear the answer You are trying to impart. Teach me to let go, dear God, and pray undisturbed until My heart is filled with inner peace and I learn to know your will."* Helen Steiner Rice