



# Parish of Douglas & Rochestown

**St Columba's**  
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Sunday Mass Times  
Sat Vigil: 6pm  
Sun: 9.30am, 11am & 12.15pm

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



**Sunday 25 June 2017**

## BAPTISMS

We welcome to the Christian community the following who were baptised recently:  
**Maebh Hannah Golden, daughter of Eva & Donal, Jamesmont, Upper Belmont**

## WEDDINGS

**Ellen Carroll & Conor O'Donovan, The Oaks, Maryborough Ridge. Pauline O'Sullivan & Gary Forde, Carrigtwohill.**

## DEATHS

The deaths took place of the following: **Barry Barrett**, Douglas Road, Son of the late Daniel and Julia Barrett, beloved brother of John, Muriel, Sheila and Tony. **Pearse McCarthy**, Douglas Road, beloved husband of Carmel, and adored father of Simone and James. **Paddy Ryan**, Church Road, beloved husband of Betty and loving father of Patrick, Sean, Dolores, Lisa, Ada, Susan, Gráinne, Niamh, Mary and Colette. **Mary Sullivan**, Maryborough, dearly loved wife of Billy and loving mother of Rosemary, Miriam, Louise and William. May they rest in peace. Ar dheis lámh Dé go raibh siad.

## News Desk

### Finance

The Offertory Collection last Sunday: **St. Columba's: €3058.** Many Thanks for your generosity.  
**2<sup>nd</sup> collection this weekend – Peters' Pence**

### Amoris Let's Talk Family: Let's be Family! Preparing for the World Meeting of Families 2018

Hosted by The Irish Institute for Pastoral Studies (in association with the Irish Institute of Catholic Studies) Tara Building, Mary Immaculate College, Limerick Thurs 13th July 2017

**2.00pm Prayer and Words of Welcome** by Bishop Brendan Leahy, Bishop of Limerick

**2.30pm.** Amoris Laetitia by **Cardinal Christoph Schönborn, O.P.**, the Archbishop of Vienna, Austria is a highly regarded author, teacher, and theologian. In 1980, he became a member of the international theological commission of the Holy See, and in 1987 he became editorial secretary for the Catechism. He speaks six languages and has written numerous books.

### 4.00pm Parallel Workshops:

**1.** Millennial Youth, Generation X and the Regeneration of the Disconnected - An exploration of ways in which the upcoming Synod on Young People, the Faith and Vocational Discernment could be integrated in to our preparation for the World Meeting of Families 2018. by **Gerard Gallagher**, Gerard is a Pastoral Co-Ordinator with the Archdiocese of Dublin. He is passionate about generating new energy in the area of pastoral ministry with a special focus on youth and young adults. He is the author of a number of books including: Are We Losing the Young Church? - A History of Youth Ministry in Ireland.

**2.** Introducing the Catechetical programme for WMOF 2018 • **Petra Conroy**, Petra has worked as Project Coordinator for Catholic Comment and has worked as a film-maker and trainer, and has recently been appointed, Pastoral Programme Manager for the World Meeting of Families 2018.

• **Martin Kennedy**, Martin works freelance as a trainer and facilitator with church and community groups, and has recently been appointed, Pastoral Programme Coordinator for the World Meeting of Families and is coordinating the delivery of resources to dioceses. • **Jessie Rogers**, Jessie Rogers is lecturer in Sacred Scripture at St Patrick's College, Maynooth, a Godly Play trainer, and on her way to qualifying as a spiritual director. Originally from South Africa, she now lives with her family in County Limerick.

**3.** An academic seminar on the theme of **'Amoris Laetitia one year on: status quaestiones'**. Led by Cardinal Christoph Schönborn 5:30pm Break 7.00pm Public Lecture "The Parish: Family of Families" by Cardinal Christoph Schönborn, O.P.

Book online at [www.irishinstituteforpastoralstudies.com](http://www.irishinstituteforpastoralstudies.com) or call Deirdre on 061 204507 or email: [Eamonn.Fitzgibbon@mic.ul.ie](mailto:Eamonn.Fitzgibbon@mic.ul.ie) Cost: €20 (full programme) or €10 (Public Lecture only). See notice in church porch for further details.

## Notices

**Medjugorje Pilgrimage ex Cork 30th Aug to 6th Sept** cost €709 pps. Ph Angela Gowing 087 6140076 or call to prayer group, Holy Trinity Church, Fr Matthew Quay, Cork every Wed 8PM.

**The Annual Mass of Remembrance** at St. Michael's Cemetery, Blackrock, on Wednesday 28th June at 7.00 pm.

### MUSINGS: Just Trust!

Our lives are lightened by people we can trust. We need to trust so much in life. We know the great pain when our trust is shaken by people we thought we could trust – parents, teachers, religious superiors, the church, friends and more. In the Gospel today Jesus tells us to trust in God, who would not harm even a hair of our head. He asks and urges us to be people who would not harm another. We are worth this care and love just by being created. Like a parent or grandparent, or an aunt or uncle, totally loving a new child before the child is even seen, so God loves each of us. The sight of a starving child brings out our love and a desire to care. This is linked to the care of God: in this care and trust of each other, we find the trust and care of God, given and received, for 'where there is love, there is God' (1 Jn 3:7). Just echo the word 'trust' as you sit in silence: Let this gift and call of trust fill your being. Sacred heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in you.

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