Douglas / Rochestown Parish

18 February 2018



St. Columba's, Douglas

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

Mass Times Sat Vigil: 6pm Sun: 9.30am,11am & 12.15pm 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: Noah Thomas Kavanagh, son of Denise & Wayne, Pembrook Woods, Passage West. Aria Harper Morrissey, daughter of Emma & Stephen, Willow Park. Sth. Douglas Road. Peter Faolán O'Donovan, son of Lisa & Colin, Mount Vernon Crescent, Sth. Douglas Road. Bebhinn Luna Marie Foskin, daughter of Kathryn & Brian, Carrigaline

The death took place of: Michael Hyland, South Douglas, Road, much loved husband of Rosaleen, adored father of Rachel, Lucy, Peter and the late Emma. May he rest in peace. Ar dheis lámh Dé go raibh sé.

SYMPATHY

The sympathy of the parish community is extended to Marian Walsh, Lime Trees Road on the death of her father Richard Flynn, Marino, Dublin. Una McDaid, Kiltegan Lawn, on the death of her mother, Agnes O'Connor, Beaumont.

News Desk

Finance The Offertory Collection last Sunday: St. Columba's: €2661. St. Patrick's: €1155. Second Collection Lourdes Invalid Fund: St. Columba's: €2521. St. Patrick's: €825. Many Thanks for your generosity.

Lourdes 2018–Young Adult Helpers. The Diocese of Cork and Ross invites Young Adults 18-25 year olds to come to Lourdes as helpers from 11 -16 June. As helpers you will assist with the sick and be involved in the full pilgrimage programme as well as time for prayer, for making new friends and sharing in the story of Lourdes. Limited number of places. Closing date: 28th Feb. further info: Fr. Charlie Kiely 021-4537603, Pastoral Development Office, Parochial House, Ballyphehane. or email: charliekiely@gmail.com

Amoris Laetitia (The Joy of Love) Course - 5 Sessions starts in St. Columba's Pastoral Centre on Wednesday 21 Feb @ 8.00pm. All are very welcome.

Pilgrimage of the World Meeting of Families Cathedral, Cork





We welcome the World Meeting of Families Pilgrimage of the Icon to our diocese from 22nd February to 5th March. The Icon will visit three venues during this time and we are inviting everyone to come, pray, venerate the icon and place their prayer petitions in the box which will be taken to the closing Mass of the World Meeting of Families celebrated by Pope Frances

The following liturgies are planned during the pilgrimage in Cork City:

- Welcome Celebration with Bishop Buckley: Thursday 22nd Feb @ 7.30pm: Cathedral, Cork`
- Holy Hour to Pray for Vocations: Saturday 24th Feb @ 3.00pm, Cathedral,
- Ecumenical Service: Sunday 25 Feb. @ 3.00pm Cathedral, Cork

Cork Scripture Group Saturday Workshop: Gospel Perspectives on Family facilitated by Dr Jessie Rogers (Maynooth)Sat Feb 24th from 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. in Sacred Heart Hall, estern Road

Notices

Young at Heart Tea -Dance on Sun 25th Feb, from 2-30 to 5-30 , in Douglas GAA Hall. Music with Batty I. all welcome, More info: Phil Goodman 087-2987161 philgoodman01@gmail.com

Cork Alzheimers Café a safe place for people with Alzheimers and other dementias, their carers, family and friends along with social and health professionals Light refreshments provided free of charge. All welcome. Next meeting: Fri 23rd Feb

Humanitarian Volunteers needed to travel to Kenya on 17 June The volunteers will work on a humanitarian project for two weeks. No experience required and no age restrictions. Supervision provided. Volunteers will also visit the resting place of the **Venerable Edel Quinn.** No large fundraising. Volunteers will pay their own costs. If you can assist teaching English, or assist with sports, games, arts, crafts or more, then you can make a real impact on the lives of the poorest and those without hope. Contact Denis Humanitarian Volunteers 086 8520271.

CORK MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT WEEKEND

13/04/18 @ 7:30 pm - 15/04/18 @ 4:00 pm. Marriage Encounter is a Weekend getaway experience for all married couples who want to rediscover the joy of Marriage www.marriageencounter. ie

Medjugorje Pilgrimage ex Cork May 31st to June 7th. €719 pps half board. 15 places still available. €200.00 deposit secure seat. Spiritual Director: Fr. Sean Corkery. Contact: Sean O'Shaughnessy 0862959380