



**St. Columba's Church  
Douglas**  
021-489 4128 (Office)  
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Sunday Mass  
6 pm Sun 9.30, 11.00 &  
12.15

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## *Douglas/Rochestown Parish*

**Sunday 29 Sept. 2019**

**St. Patrick's Church  
Rochestown**  
021-489 6797  
(Office)

Sunday Mass  
Sun 11.00 and 12.30

[www.rochestownparish.ie](http://www.rochestownparish.ie)



### BAPTISMS

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

**Hallie Isla Penrose**, daughter of Andrea & Chris, Manor Farm.

**Luke Kyle Hennessy**, son of Michelle & Brendan, Broadale.

**Fionn Anthony Walsh**, son of Caroline & Cian, Maryborough Woods.

### DEATHS

The death took place of **Jude O'Sullivan**, Maryborough & France, much loved wife of John, loving mother of Shane, Emmet and Aoife, daughter of Frank and Patricia Murray and sister of Brian and Garrett. May she rest in peace. Ar dheis lámh Dé go raibh si.

### News Desk

**FINANCE:** The Offertory Collection last Sunday: **St. Columba's: €2931. St. Patrick's: €1115.** Many for your generosity. 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection this weekend – **Priesthood Education**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Collection next weekend – **Diocesan Needs**

**Douglas Parish** inviting New Ministers of the Word & Ministers of the Eucharist  
If you are interested in becoming a Minister of the Word or Minister of the Eucharist, please contact the Parish Offices: St. Columba's: 021 4894128. St. Patrick's: 021 4896797, or any of the priests in the parish.

### New St. Finbarr's Team for 2019/2020



**2019/2020!** We arrived in Cork on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of September and are very excited to be serving in the parishes of Douglas, Turner's Cross and South Parish for the next year. Our team is very diverse and have come from all over the world to serve here in Ireland. On team we have Shaun (New Zealand),

Annika (Germany), Sophia (Seattle), Marrick (Saskatchewan, Canada) and Patrick (Prince Edward Island, Canada).

Over the next year we will be working in various schools to lead retreat days and Confirmation and religion classes for various year levels. We also hope to be running some youth groups throughout the parishes as well, and look forward to meeting many of the young adult groups throughout the parishes as well, and look forward to meeting many of the young adults of the diocese too. Feel free to come up to us and chat if you see us at Mass. We would love to get to know you all and can't wait to see what Cork has to offer this year!

### BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

Beginning Experience is a worldwide specially designed support programme for men and women who have suffered the loss of a spouse/partner by death, separation or divorce to work through the grief process, and to discover for themselves that merely "existing" in life can be transformed into "living" a new life, though a different one.

The next weekend is being held at the Ennismore Retreat Centre, Cork from Fri 1st to Sun 3rd Nov, 2019. Please contact 087 9886480. email: [beginnersexperiencecork@gmail.com](mailto:beginnersexperiencecork@gmail.com)

### Notices

#### Young @ Heart Seniors

-**Line Dancing** classes every Monday @2 45 in Douglas Community Centre ,,  
- **Knitting and Crochet** every Tuesday in Parish Centre 2-4  
- **45 Card Drive** starting shortly -looking for experienced people to teach the Cards .  
- **Register now** for 3rd group of 20 to take part in **Tracker Fit -Bits Step up to your Health initiative in association with school of Applied Psychology UCC** research team will monitor ,BMI -MOOD --MEMORY Heart Rate ,Blood pressure etc  
For info contact Phil Goodman 087 2987161 [philgoodman01@gmail.com](mailto:philgoodman01@gmail.com)

#### J Barter Travel -

Unfortunately our store has been effected greatly by the fire last week. The Maryborough Hotel have kindly offered us the use of an area of their lounge as a '**pop up**' shop so our Douglas customers do not have to worry about getting in & out to the city. Manager available: Mon Wed & Fri, 9am to 12 noon.

#### Cork Pioneers -

Still a few places available for the coach trip to Dublin on next Sun 6th Oct, to attend a special Mass at 3p.m. at the Shrine of Matt Talbot, in our Lady of Lourdes Church. Cost €50 includes coach trip and evening meal. Further info: Sorcha 0863642619 or Aislinn 0879699488.