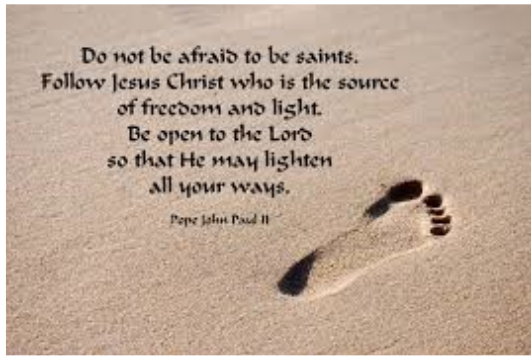


# St. Brigid's Parish, Blanchardstown Newsletter

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time—10th February 2019



**Children's weekly rosary group** resumes this Tuesday at 3 pm. (followed by refreshments and play) Children of all ages welcome with their guardians. For more information contact Marie - 0877696909

**Eucharistic Adoration:**  
Tues. & Fri. after the 10am Mass  
after the 10am Mass

## REFLECTION

Isaiah/ Paul and Peter all experienced the living God although in very different ways. Whether the experience is one of a mystical vision, an appearance of the risen Christ or a miraculous catch of fish, each of these men finds it a profoundly humbling moment. They all become aware of their own limited and even sinful nature but this is only the first step because each of them, while very aware of their own weakness, knows that they are called to make God known to their contemporaries. The paradox of faith is that even though an authentic experience of God makes us aware of our nothingness, it is also the very moment when God makes it known that he needs us. **Sean Goan**



The board, staff and volunteers of St Francis Hospice Dublin are pleased to announce the celebration of our 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on 13<sup>th</sup> February 2019. It has been our privilege to care for the people of North Dublin over the past 30 years. We could not have delivered our values based compassionate care without the support of the North Dublin parishes. We would like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank you for your ongoing support that ensures patients and their families receive care in a dignified, respectful and compassionate way.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### February

- 13th: Confirmation St. Brigids
- 14th: Confirmation S.F.X
- 24th: Afternoon of Reflection  
Eucharistic Ministers

### March

- 1st: Confirmation Scoil Oilibhéir
- 3rd: Mass of All Nations
- 4th: Novena of Grace
- 6th: Ash Wednesday

## DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Mondays @ 7pm—Fr. Dungan room

**Monday Morning Meditation  
after the 10am Mass and Rosary**

Contact details: Fr. Mangan: 8213660 Fr Casey: 8213716 Fr. Zuribo: 5485038  
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There will be an Afternoon of Reflection for our Eucharistic Ministers on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> of February from 2.00 to 6.00.



Monthly outdoor collection after all Masses this weekend.

Your support will be much appreciated.

**MEDJUGORJE Easter Pilgrimage**

Depart Dublin 19<sup>th</sup> April - For 7 Days

Group Leader: Eleanor Healy plus Spiritual Director. €689 pp inclusive.

For more details ph.

Michael 086 8650708/Eleanor 087 2351294



Our Mass for All Nations will be celebrated on Sunday the 3<sup>rd</sup> of March at the 12.00 Mass with refreshments afterwards. The theme is **Light to the World.**

Spread the word

**The Sacraments Review Group** set up by the Archbishop has launched an online **Survey-on Sacraments**. The brief of the Review Group is to consult widely and deeply and to make recommendations on how we prepare for and celebrate Baptism, Reconciliation, 1st Communion and Confirmation in the future. The hope is that as many as possible will reply to the questions and make their views part of the process. The survey is open to all. It can be accessed via [www.dublindiocese.ie/survey-on-sacraments/](http://www.dublindiocese.ie/survey-on-sacraments/) or the Diocesan Facebook and Twitter.

Anam Cara North Dublin the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Bereavement Information evening on Wed. 20<sup>th</sup> Feb. at 7:20pm in the Carnegie Court Hotel, Swords, Co. Dublin. This is a free event open to all bereaved parents. As Anam Cara will need to confirm numbers for coffee, teas etc. please RSVP to [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) before Tues.19<sup>th</sup> Feb or call the Information Line on 085 2888 888.



**Please Welcome our recently baptised Michael, Oliver & Paidí**

**READERS FOR NEXT SUNDAY**

7pm: Helen Devannee-Power  
 9am: Maeve O'Donoghue  
 10.30: Alice O'Connell  
 12 noon: Marian McCaughley  
 7pm: Brian Santry

Intentions	10th February	17th February
Sat. 7pm	Cathy Moran	Maureen Ryan, Peggy Dorman Francis Owens & Frank McGlynn
Sun 9am	Ellen Duffy	-
10.30am	Paddy Fox Tom & A.G. & Henry Kearns	Colette Eglington Patrick Doolan
12 noon	Clare & Martin Corry Mary Keogh	John Gilligan Patrick Kelly
7pm	Mary Flynn	Keith Dillon

All church services are available on line via [www.blanchardstownparish.ie](http://www.blanchardstownparish.ie)