



A great sign appeared in heaven: a woman adorned with the sun

CURRENT SCHEDULE *

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday:

Mass at 10am preceded by the Rosary at 9.30am, Church closes at 5pm

Monday: Area Mass at 7.30pm preceded by Rosary and Novena at 7pm

Wednesday: Liturgy of the Word at 10am

Saturday: Church opens at 10am

Vigil Mass at 6pm

Sunday Mass at 10.30am

1st Saturday of the month – 10am Mass followed by confessions until 11am

Last Tuesday of the month

- Prayer Group Mass at 8pm, all welcome

Bank Holiday: Mass 11am only, no evening mass
 All services available on

www.blanchardstownparish.ie/webcam

Also on Phoenix Radio– 92.5FM

Eucharistic Adoration Tue & Fri 10.30am-5pm
Blanchardstown Area evening Mass 7.30pm

Mon: Blanchardstown

Tues & Thurs: Castleknock

Wed: Mulhuddart

Fri: Corduff

* Please note that our standard schedule may be subject to some change in the current circumstances.

Saints in the Church's Calendar;

St. Bonaventure, bishop and doctor of the church – Monday 15th July, 1221-74, born in Tuscany. A friend of St. Thomas Aquinas, he taught at the University of Paris and became Minister General of the Franciscan Order.

**FREEDOM TO LIVE FULLY,
 UNTIL DEATH COMES;**

A pastoral letter *Freedom to Live Fully, Until Death Comes* has been published by the Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference to inform people of faith and goodwill who wish to protect and support human life with dignity and compassion, especially in the last weeks of terminal illness. **The full statement can be found at;** www.catholicbishops.ie/2024/06/24/bishops-statement-on-end-of-life-care-freedom-to-live-fully-until-death-comes/



Join young people between 16 and 35 this August at the **Youth 2000 Summer Festival**. The festival takes place in Clongowes Wood

College, Clane, Co Kildare from **15th August to 18th August**, and includes inspiring talks, music, prayer, concert, workshops, dramas, share groups, reconciliation and healing service and Mass. Donation only. We have buses going from all over Ireland. For more information and to book your place go to www.youth2000.ie

National Grandparents

Day



On Sunday 28th July the Papal Nuncio of Ireland will lead a pilgrimage at Knock Shrine commencing at 2.30pm with anointing of the sick, and mass at 3pm followed by the Rosary Procession.

The annual National Day of Commemoration Ceremony,

to honour all Irishmen and Irishwomen who died in past wars or on military service with the United Nations and other International organisations in the service of peace will be held in Royal Hospital Kilmainham, Military Road, Dublin, D08 FW31 on Sunday, 14th July at 10:30 am. The ceremony, which will be broadcast live on RTÉ 1, includes a service by Faith, Belief and Broader Communities, followed by a wreath laying by the President on behalf of the people of Ireland. The ceremony will conclude with an Air Corps flypast.

As part of the Year of Prayer 2024 declared by Pope Francis, Fr Frank Drescher has prepared a series of homilies on various forms of prayer, both traditional and contemporary. The Parish of Kilnamanagh-Castleview would like to share these resources with other parishes. Please find the homilies and additional resources at: <https://kilnamanaghcastleview.com/year-of-prayer-2024/>.



St. Vincent de Paul

The outdoor monthly collection for, will be taken up this weekend at both Masses.



We hope for sunshine this Monday— St. Swithin's Day to bring some fine weather for the rest of the summer

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MORE INFO

Mindfulness & Compassion Based Professional Practice

Delivered by Dublin City University (DCU) and The Sanctuary

Level 9 accredited CPD Module
APPLICATION DEADLINE: 19TH JULY 2024

Starting September 5th, 2024
 Over six Thursdays from 10am - 4pm

SCHOLARSHIPS—

MA in Theology and World Religions Scholarships Dublin City University. The School of Theology, Philosophy, and Music is pleased to offer scholarships for the MA in Theology and World Religions for the academic year 2024-25.

These scholarships are funded by the Mater Dei Scholarship and Grant Committee. The scholarships cover partial fees for the part-time programme.

There are:

- i. Six partial part-time scholarships, to be paid out over two years.
- ii. These awards consist of €4,000, which leaves 4,000 in fees to be paid by the recipient, over two years, i.e. €2,000 per academic year.

For more info see: <https://www.dcu.ie/courses/postgraduate/school-theology-philosophy-and-music/ma-theology-and-world-religions>

Pathways & Ministry

WHO?
 This two-year course is aimed at Adults of all ages, members of Parish Pastoral Councils & those in a parish ministry

WHEN?
 Thursday evenings from 7.00pm to 9.30pm from September to May

WHERE?
 DCU St Patrick's Campus
 Mater Dei Centre for Catholic Education
 Drumcondra Road Upper, Dublin 9

is a wonderful opportunity to journey with others as you explore and grow your faith through input and small groups

Cost €400 per year

Scan the QR code to Register online

For more information please visit www.missionministry.ie/pathways or contact peter.siney@dublindiocese.ie

Children's Corner: In the Gospel Today

Jesus sends his friends to tell everyone that God loves them. They set off in twos, wearing tunics, sandals and carrying a staff – no spare clothes. God will give them everything they need.

Friends

Jesus sent his disciples in twos. Jesus knows friends can help each other.

S/he helps me when...

I help her/him when...

My friend is...

Dear Jesus, you know that working with other people can really help us to get a job done. Help me to work well with other people at school and home. Amen.

TRUST IN GOD!



Wishing all our parishioners a happy and relaxing summer break; whether you are travelling or enjoying the summer in Ireland.

'Our Lady of the Highways, I call on you in my journeys, To make my path a holy one, A safe one'. We welcome all visitors to our parish on holidays.

Mass intentions for the week

Saturday	Josephine O'Brien
Sunday	Terrie Fitzpatrick, Emily Giffney Fr. Tom Russell O.F.M. The Flanagan Family

We pray for our recently deceased;



Jean Boyle
 Always loved, never forgotten