



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.

Last Tuesday of the month

Prayer Group Mass at 8pm, all welcome
Bank Holiday: Mass 11am only, no evening mass. Church closes at 2pm.

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

St Brigid's Parish Mass Cards

We have a selection of signed Mass Cards for sale from the sacristy & the office. Sympathy cards, Mass Bouquet, Get Well, Christening, Birthday Mass Cards and First Holy Communion etc

Corpus Christi or The Feast of Corpus Christi is a Christian festival that is celebrated annually on the Thursday after Trinity Sunday, on June 19 this year. On this day, devout Christians gather together to honour the sacred body of Jesus Christ. The day is also known as Corpus Domini, which literally translates to 'body and blood of Christ,' while some also call it the Feast of Corpus Christi. Unlike other Christian festivals, Corpus Christi is celebrated uniquely in different cultures of the world. The most common way of celebrating the day is by consuming bread and wine — the symbols of the body and blood of Christ.



CONSECRATION OF IRELAND TO THE SACRED HEART

On Corpus Christi Sunday, Archbishop Eamon Martin asks that everyone unite in praying this consecration prayer for yourselves and for your families, even if you are unable to be in Knock for this unique historic moment when our country will be reconsecrated to the Sacred Heart. You can watch the video invitation from Archbishop Eamon Martin, as he warmly invites all to take part in this powerful act of faith and renewal. The formal prayer of dedication is available on this website:

www.sacredheartcrusade.ie

Summer Solstice Reflection

At this solstice time we raise our hearts in gratitude for the mystery of the sun, the mystery of light and of fire. Let us be open to receive this mystery with an open heart: Creator God, You brought fire forth from your burning heart. You seeded it like yeast in each atom, plant and animal, each bird, fish, man and woman. And you gave us a special star, our sun, aflame with a life-evoking energy To make our planet green and fertile, sun-soaked in your love. *Pierre Teilhard de Chardin.*

Giving Thanks For Summer

Father, Creator of all, thank You for summer! Thank you for the warmth of the sun and the increased daylight. Thank You for the beauty I see all around me and for the opportunity to be outside and enjoy Your creation. Thank You for the increased time I have to be with my friends and family, and for the more casual pace of the summer season. Draw me closer to You this summer. Teach me how I can pray no matter where I am or what I am doing. Warm my soul with the awareness of Your presence and light my path with Your Word and Counsel. As I enjoy Your creation, create in me a pure heart and a hunger and a thirst for You.



For those Travelling during these summer months

Loving and merciful God, you have commissioned your angels to guide and protect us. Command them to be with us from our leaving until our return; keep us safe from all injury, accident or malice and sin.



On **Monday 23rd June** at **7.30pm** the Month's Mind mass will be celebrated for our former Parish Priest **Canon Walter Harris** in the Church. All welcome.

LOST PROPERTY

We have some items in our lost property box. They will be left at the back of the church this weekend. Anything not claimed by the following weekend will be donated to a local charity.

Sick Pilgrims to Lourdes

Do you know someone, perhaps a family member or neighbour, who is ill and who might like to travel in the special section for the sick of the Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes from 4th to 9th September. A team of doctors, nurses and helpers travel with the group, assisting those who may not otherwise have been able to fly. An application has to be made to the Chief Medical Officer and the intending pilgrim has to be assessed for fitness to travel. More details are available from Deirdre at the Diocesan Pilgrimage Office in Drumcondra. Please call (01-8087555)



NEXT WEEKEND, 28/29 JUNE, WE WILL HAVE OUR ANNUAL LOURDES SICK PILGRIM COLLECTION.

Mass of All Nations Mulhuddart Church Sunday 22nd June at 12pm

Croi Mháire Food-bank

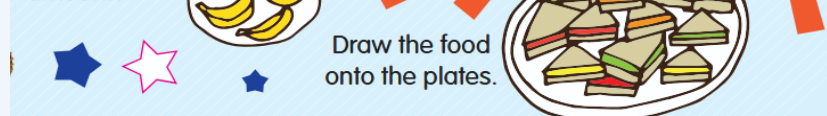
Please place non perishable foods in the basket on the altar. Thank you for your continued sup-

Children's Corner: In the Gospel Today

It's a miracle! Jesus shares just five loaves and two fish with over 5,000 people!

Sharing is caring

The apostles shared the food out. These friends are having a picnic. Can you share the sandwiches and fruit fairly, so that everyone has the same amount?



Watch the priest!

Jesus blessed, broke and shared out the food. When does the same thing happen at Mass?

A PRAYER TO SAY

Help me Jesus to notice when people are in need. Help me to share my time, my energy and my things. I know that with you I can make a difference and make a better world. Amen

Message from Archbishop Farrell about the Summer Dues initiative

Our readings at Mass today focus, for Corpus Christi, on Priesthood and the Eucharist. The people following Jesus were tired and hungry (Luke 9:11-17). They were in need of nourishment and healing, at every level. 'Give them something to eat yourselves', Jesus says provocatively to the Twelve, but they were at a loss. They had very little, just five loaves and two fish. The miracle recounted is that from what little they had, Jesus made so much. The call to ministry and to participation in the Eucharist is central to the life and wellbeing of the Christian community. We are grateful for our priests and for the service they offer. From what each one has, they pass on all we have 'received from the Lord' (1 Corinthians 11:23), and bring his healing presence and love alive. Gathered around Christ, and through the gift of his Spirit, each parish and partnership of parishes is called to mission.

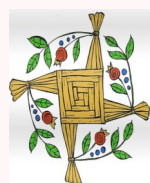
Please support your priests through the Summer Dues appeal. The generosity that you have towards your priests is indispensable. Please play your part, too, in a renewed and active involvement of all parishioners as together we nourish and support each other, counting the wonderful blessings of God in our lives.

Summer Dues

Prayer Group monthly Mass - Mass will be celebrated on the last Tuesday of the month, Tuesday 24th June, at 8pm. All are welcome to join.

Mass intentions for the week

Sat	Nuala Condron	Ann Hanley
Sun	Ted O'Callaghan (MM)	Mary Dredge John Raeside (MM) John Balfe Adrian Dalton
Mon	Canon Wally Harris (MM)	Mary & Kathleen Mansfield



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