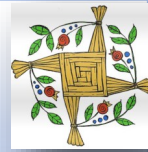




# St Brigid's Parish, Blanchardstown

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time—Sunday 14th September 2025



## 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](http://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 in English and in Irish, Mass Bouquet, Get Well, Christening, Birthday Mass Cards and Healing mass cards etc

Religious Items available for purchase in the Phone Shop across from the Church.

## Saint Sharbel's Relic this weekend

St Sharbel has the most amount of miracles ever recorded in Church history through the intercession of a monk. Come along for an opportunity to learn more about this incredible Saint and receive a blessing with his relic at both masses this weekend.



**The Season of Creation** is the annual Christian celebration to pray and respond together to the cry of Creation: the ecumenical family around the world unites to contemplate and care for our common home. The season's "Celebration" began September 1st, the Day which several Christian denominations celebrate as a World Day of Prayer for Creation and celebrated by some as the Feast of Creation and ends October 4, the Feast of Saint Francis of Assisi, beloved by many Christian denominations. This year we will unite around the theme "Peace with Creation" with the symbol "Garden of Peace", inspired by Isaiah 32:14-18. 'A Walk Through Creation' pictures will be added to each week on the walls of the church.

## Mass for the Sick



On Sunday 21st September, at 3pm we will hold our Annual Mass for the Sick, incorporating the Anointing of the Sick. During the mass a special blessing will be given to the hands of Carers.

If you are aware of any parishioners, particularly those housebound, who would like to take part please contact the office or the sacristans. Transport can be arranged if necessary. Please ask a neighbour or a friend if you think they might be interested.

**Life in the Spirit Seminars continue this week in St Patrick's Church Corduff 7.30pm**

15th Sept Salvation

Fr Fergal Cummins



Join our wonderful gathering of community at Anne Maybury's annual Coffee Morning with friends & neighbours on Tuesday 23rd September after 10am mass in the Community Centre next to the Church. Raising much needed funds ensuring that hospice care is available to all.

On Thursday 25th, St Francis Hospice Blanchardstown will host a Coffee Morning from 10am-12.30pm and all are very welcome.

We have returned to our Thursday coffee mornings after 10am mass. We would appreciate some volunteers to help set up. Thank you!



**St Vincent de Paul**  
Our outdoor monthly collection for St Brigid's will be taken up this weekend at both masses. Thank you.

## ST MARY'S CHURCH, CLONSILLA.

The annual Graveyard Service with Blessing of the Graves will be held on Sunday 28th September at 3pm. All welcome.

You will have noticed our Adult Choir recommenced last Sunday after their summer break. We wish them, and their new director Louis Ronayne, all the best in the coming months.



## St Brigid's Junior Choir

We are seeking new singers for our Junior Choir! Come along on Thursday evenings for a fun rehearsal at 6pm for 45 mins.

We will have a short rehearsal on Sunday mornings before the Family mass. For ages 7-18 years.  
Next Family Mass will be on 28th September

## Sacramental Celebrations 2026:

First Holy Communion and Confirmation registration will take place next week. You will be notified through the parish newsletter & the parish announcements when registration opens. If your child attends one of the schools in our parish, a notification will also come from the school when registration opens.

**Irish Catholic Newspaper—** Please note the price will increase to €3.50 from October. When buying, please put money in the shrine box. Thank you.

## Children's Corner: In the Gospel Today:

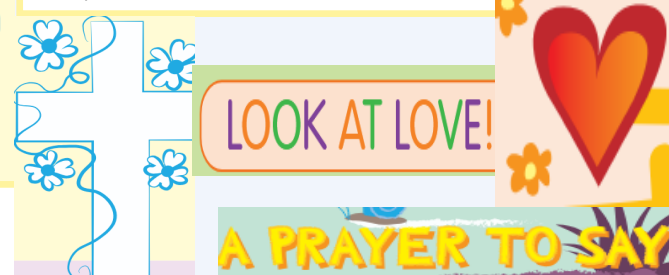
Jesus brings love and healing to us because he chose to die on the cross. Now we can all live forever in God's love!

## The Cross

Jesus died on the cross  
We have a cross when we suffer. Jesus rose again – and he brings new life to us too!

Show the life and happiness of Jesus by drawing a cross and decorating it with flowers and leaves.

Five Fingered Prayer—Draw around your hand—Draw one of these words on each finger—JESUS LOVES ME VERY MUCH— then colour in the hand.



Thank you Jesus for loving me so much. Help me to love people like you did. Help me to put other people first. Amen

## How to Understand the Bible

In 'Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible', Jeff Cavins brings us through the underlying story that holds all the scriptures together, from Genesis to the Acts of the Apostles. This video-driven course will start in St Mochta's Parish Pastoral Centre on Monday 15th September at 7.30pm and continue for 8 Mondays. Admission is FREE. To reserve a place please contact Marian 087 295 8363

**20th & 21st September—**  
**Annual Crosscare Appeal**

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**Friday 26th September—Teen Hope.**

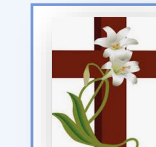
Faith outreach to teenagers (1st & 2nd years). 7-830pm. Pizza, prayers, fun & chat!



**Saturday 27th Sept—**Healing Service Led by Fr Pat Collins. Our Lady Help of Christians Church, Navan Road. 3pm to 5pm.

**Saturday 27th Sept—**Afternoon of Prayer for Peace. Castleknock College. 2pm Rosary. 3pm Holy Hour. 4pm Holy Mass, with Fr Adrian Crowley.

Mass intentions for the week		
Sat	Stephanie Leslie	Geraldine Fay (1st Anniv)
Sun	Thomas Reidy Samuel French	Matt O'Connor (MM) Bart O'Brien



We pray for our recently deceased

Robert Whelan

Always loved, never forgotten

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