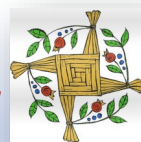




St Brigid's Parish, Blanchardstown

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Sunday 20th September



WHY BE ENVOIOUS BECAUSE I AM GENEROUS
MATTHEW 20:15



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 with Holy Communion 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

CHURCH NOTICE BOARD & TABLES
at the back of the Church: Please do not leave any material (posters/ notices/leaflets/books/publications, etc.) without checking with Fr. John or the Parish Office. Thank you.



Teen Hope is a parish based faith outreach to Teenagers geared to First and Second Years.

Next Session: **Friday 25th September 7-8.30pm**

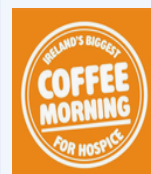
In the Pastoral Centre beside St. Brigid's Church Blanchardstown

The sessions involve pizza, games, thought provoking videos, reflection and discussion.

This weekend we welcome the **Crosscare Annual Appeal** to our parish. Crosscare is the social support agency of the Archdiocese of Dublin, supporting people experiencing homelessness, families facing hardship, young people, older people, migrants and many others in our communities. The theme of this year's Appeal is **Hope & Resilience**.



Thank you for supporting this appeal. Donations can also be made online at www.crosscare.ie



Join our wonderful gathering of community at Anne Maybury's annual **'Ireland's Biggest Coffee Morning for Hospice'** with friends & neighbours on **Tuesday 22nd September after 10am mass** in the Community Centre next to the Church. Raising much needed funds ensuring that hospice care is available to all. There will be a raffle on the day.

On Thursday 24th, St Francis Hospice Blanchardstown will host a Coffee Morning from 10am-12.30pm and all are very welcome.



On Sunday 20th 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.



The annual Graveyard Service with the Blessing of the Graves in St. Mary's, Clonsilla

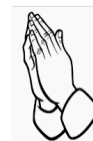
takes place on Sunday 27th September at 3.00pm. As per previous years the service will be held outside, weather permitting.

We have a selection of signed **Mass Cards** for sale from the sacristy, including birthday and other occasion cards, sympathy cards, anniversary remembrance and mass bouquet.

Safeguarding Sunday takes place on the weekend of the 27th September. As that weekend is also The World day of Prayer for Migrants and Refugee's, the theme for this years Safeguarding Sunday is centred around how we safeguard those in our parishes who have fled war, persecution and hunger.

Blanchardstown Prayer Group

Invites you to a night of prayer, praise, worship and healing with our music ministry and special guest Larry Cody. Tuesday 22nd September in the extension of St Brigid's Church at 8pm. All are very welcome.



Afternoon of Prayer Castleknock College

Saturday 26th September

2pm Rosary

3pm Holy Hour

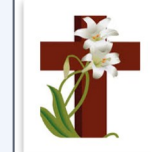
4pm Holy Mass

Intention: This year we pray to Our

Lady for the guidance and protection of our young people. Please spread the good news. There will be tea/coffee afterwards
Contact: 086 865 0708



The Relics of St. Thérèse of Lisieux and her parents S.S. Louis and Zélie Martin will be welcomed to Legion of Mary HQ, Morning Star Avenue, on Friday 2nd October at 1pm by Archbishop of Dublin, Most Reverend Dermot Farrell. They will be available for public veneration until Saturday 3rd October at 5pm when a closing mass will be celebrated by Bishop Paul Dempsey.



Pray for our recently deceased
James Balfe Robert Reid
Always loved, never forgotten



CHILDREN'S CORNER.... IN THE GOSPEL TODAY....

A landowner goes to the marketplace at different times of the day and hires workers. At the end of the day he gives them all the same wages. The people who have been working all day complain that this is not fair! But the landowner is generous - just as God is generous to us!

Who is good to you?

The landowner is very generous to the workers who only worked one hour. Draw a picture of someone who is generous to you.

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A PRAYER TO SAY: THANK YOU JESUS, FOR ALL THE GOOD THINGS IN MY LIFE. HELP ME TO BE HAPPY WHEN GOOD THINGS HAPPEN TO OTHER PEOPLE TOO. HELP ME TO BE GENEROUS IN MY THOUGHTS, WORDS AND ACTIONS. Amen

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Find these words:

LOVING HONEST THOUGHTFUL
GIVING HELPFUL GENTLE
SHARING KIND

They may go in any direction (including backwards) but always in a straight line.

Volunteers Needed!!

We urgently need a few volunteers to help with setting up our Thursday coffee mornings after 10am mass. It's a lovely opportunity to come together, enjoy a cuppa and a chat, and we'd really appreciate your help. Even if you can only spare a little time, it would really make a difference.

If you can help, please get in touch with the Parish Office. Thank you for your support.



Next Sunday 27th September will be our first **Family Mass** of the new academic year at 10.30am. A special welcome to the families who will be celebrating the sacraments in our parish schools in 2027.

St Brigid's Community Coffee Shop

will now be open at weekends from 10am to 3pm.

Opening hours Mon—Thurs 9am to 1 pm . Friday 9 am to 12 pm.

Serving tea/coffee and scones, toast, biscuits/ chocolate bars plus soft drinks. Cash & Card accepted.



Mass intentions for the week

Sat	Betty & Vincent Smyth Thomas Reidy Mick & Phyllis Lynch
Sun	Christine Dineen Gerard Downey Bart O'Brien Christopher Rogers
Tue	Vincent Scully
Thu	James & Margaret Duffy James Duffy Thomas Rooney Ned & Mary Keogh

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