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**Second Sunday of Lent  
 MOVE ALONG, PLEASE!**

Peter is an endearing character. He quite often gets things wrong. But he only does what we ourselves would have done in the same circumstances. So today he gets a wonderful vision of Jesus in all his glory, talking with Moses and Elijah, and naturally he wants it to go on and on. So he suggests putting up three tents on the mountain as a memorial of the event, presumably hoping that it might happen again.

If only faith could be like that! Once grasped and fixed for ever. But, of course, things in real life are very different, and when the disciples came down from the mountain they had soon to readjust to the hard world once more.

We call Abraham our "father in faith" and put him up as a role model to be followed. In today's scripture God tests his faith. He tells him to leave his home, his family, and all his familiar surroundings, and go off on a long journey to a place that God will point out to him. This will be a promised land where he and his descendants will prosper.

This type of faith, being prepared to journey through life wherever God guides us, is very different from the cosier style that Peter wanted. It means being prepared to be uprooted time and time again by the events of life and the demands that God makes upon us. It's a journey rather than a destination. And we all feel more comfortable arriving somewhere than we do setting out into the unknown.

Lent is a small stage in this lifelong journey of faith. What is God trying to tell you and me this Lent? How are we being asked to move along on the journey rather than stay comfortably still where we feel secure? For God never asks us to stand still. God's greatest delight is for us to grow, to move into an ever-deeper relationship with him. Once we reach a certain level in our faith, it is time not to build a shelter, but to move on to the next stage. And Lent is a mini stage on this long journey.

Even though the final destination is clearly beyond our sight, where is it that God is calling us to be at the end of these forty days? None of us knows. But the one certain thing is that if we're to be faithful to God, then we'll have to move.

**Weekend Intentions**

Along with their families and friends the following people are especially remembered this weekend. This time of the year holds a special significance for all those who knew and who loved them.



**6.30pm** – 1. Ann Mallin – 7<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
 2. Gerard Comiskey – Months Mind

**10.00am** – Patrick & Mary Leonard - Anniv.

**12.30pm** – 1. Graham Slater – 3<sup>rd</sup> Anniv.  
 2. Hugh & Geraldine Howe – Anniv

**11.15am (The Park)** –

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**Recently Deceased:** Maureen O'Connor, Margaret O'Brien

**Months Mind:** Gerard Comiskey

**Anniversaries:** Freda O'Halloran– 16<sup>th</sup> Anniv.



**St Patricks Day**

On Friday next, March 17<sup>th</sup>, St Patricks Day Mass here in St Brigid's will be at 10 am.



**Mass times in St. Brigid's Church**

**Monday Tuesday Thursday Friday -10 am**  
**Saturday (Vigil Mass) – 6.30 pm**  
**Sunday – 10 am and 12.30 pm and 11.15 am Park Mass (term time)**

**Faith Development Groups**

**Centering Prayer:** Wednesday 7pm– 8pm  
**Prayer group:** Thursday 10.30am  
**Gospel Contemplation:** Fridays 11.00 am to 12.00 noon.  
 Please feel free to join any groups.

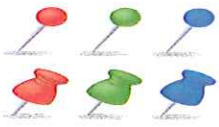
**Crosscare Youth Collection**

will take place next weekend 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> March and will replace the usual share collection. Crosscare provide the very best youth based services across the Archdiocese of Dublin.

**Trocaire Boxes**

There are Trocaire Boxes available at the back of the Church for any families who wish to have one during Lent.





## Parish Noticeboard.

**Confessions** every Saturday after 6.30pm  
Mass here in St. Brigid's, Cabinteely



### Social Welfare Information

Our Social Welfare Information Service takes place in St Brigid's Parish Centre every Tuesday -10.30 am-12.30 pm. **Just drop in – no appointment needed.**

### Novice Bridge Club

Our Novice Bridge Club will take place every Thursday evening from 7.30 pm - 10.00pm (for those playing bridge up to 5 years - assistance given if required). Partners not required.



**New members very welcome**



**Ministers of the Eucharist** are available to bring Holy Communion to the housebound. **Contact Joan O'Shea on 01 2824814** if you or someone you know would like to receive Holy Communion on a regular basis.

**Mother & Toddler Group** – this group has takes place each Tuesday of term time from 10.30 am to 11.45 am in the Parish Centre. **New members welcome.**



### Senior Social Club,

Our Senior Club meet every Wednesday 2.30pm-4.30pm for a Cup of Tea & chat, Bingo, Exercise, Music, Art, Outings, Talks & Card playing.

New members welcome. Transport available.

**New drivers needed** – to collect participants from their home and bring them to the Centre, and return home after Club. Rota to be set up. Without lifts our senior club will not be able to continue. Please help if you can.



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### Parkinson's Association of Ireland

Foxrock Support Group are meeting monthly in Foxrock Parish Centre. For further details phone Aoife at 01 289 3642 (evenings).

## St Brigid's Parish CAR RAFFLE

**Our Fundraising 500 Limited Raffle for a 172 Hyundai i20 Deluxe will take place on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June in the Parish Centre at 8pm**

Tickets are available in the Parish Office.



Tickets are €75 each and can be purchased either with a once off payment or can be purchased over March, April and May at €25 per month.

The Car supplied is by Mooney's Deansgrange.

See noticeboard for classes/workshops in **Luisne Centre for Spirituality**, Kilcoole.

### Easter Concert

IT Tallaght in association with CEDF Charity presents Liam Lawton in concert with special guests at Mount Argus Church, Dublin 6W on Thurs, April 6<sup>th</sup>. All proceeds going to the CEDF School's programme in Uganda. Tickets €20 available from St Brigid's Parish Office or online at [www/eventbrite.ie](http://www.eventbrite.ie)

### Prayer Intention Box

As happens annually the many prayer petitions deposited in the Prayer Box have been respectfully burned and the ashes scattered in the Church Memorial Garden

### New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week.



St. Patrick left behind a unique document, his *Confession*, which tells us much about both his life and his beliefs. The work provides an intriguing glance into one of history's best-known saints. Access this, along with a haunting musical rendition of his famous poem, "The Deer's Cry", via [www.NewPilgrimPath.ie](http://www.NewPilgrimPath.ie).

### Study Liturgy at the National Centre for Liturgy,

St. Patrick's College Maynooth. Liturgy Courses, Masters, Higher Diploma, Diploma. Contact 01-7083478 - [liturgy@spcm.ie](mailto:liturgy@spcm.ie)