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Corpus Christi - 18 June 2017

PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE



PAST: 2,000 years ago on a Thursday evening Jesus ate what was probably a Passover meal with his disciples in the Upper Room. This meal was a memorial of how God had freed the Jewish people by liberating them from slavery and providing them with a promised land. During his meal Jesus told the disciples that from now

on they were to eat this meal not in remembrance of Moses and the Exodus but in memory of him. For the bread that they would eat was his body that the next day would be nailed to the cross, and the wine that they would drink was his blood that on the same Friday would be shed on Calvary.

PRESENT: Today we Christians have a living memorial of that saving action of Christ. It is the Eucharist. Over the centuries Christians have never ceased to follow that command of Jesus at the Last Supper. They have gathered together, listened to God's word in the scriptures and then, when they have taken, blessed and broken the bread, they have shared communion by eating and drinking what Christ tells us is his body and blood. In this sacrament of the Eucharist Jesus is really present to those who receive him. His flesh is real food and his blood is real drink because both of them nourish, they sustain us and keep us spiritually healthy. As we eat and drink from the one bread and cup the Eucharist becomes a sign of the unity that we share and at the same time it also makes us one in Christ.

FUTURE: The Eucharist is food for our journey, medicine for our health and strength for our future. Not simply about the past and present it directs us towards two futures. The first future means that the Eucharist is a sign of our commitment to building up the kingdom of God here on earth. So receiving the

Eucharist is not just an act of devotion; it commits us to action. Through the grace of the Holy Spirit we pledge ourselves to playing our full part in the Church's work of bringing about a world in which justice, peace and holiness reign. And the second future is in the afterlife. The Eucharist is a pledge of the heavenly banquet that God has promised to those who listen to the voice of his Son. What we experience in the food of the Eucharist is a foretaste of an eternal feast with God.

The feast of the Body and Blood of Christ allows us to thank God for this wonderful gift.

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. John & Maureen McCambridge - Anniversary

10.00am – 1. Des Ryan – 15th Anniversary

12.30pm – 1. Anna Nolan – 8th Anniversary
 2. Patrick O'Carroll – Anniversary

11.15am (The Park) –

Anniversaries: Baby Daniel Farrell (10th Anniv), Anne Byrne, Gertie Orr, Ray and Paddy Widdis.

This Sunday will be the last Mass in the Park Mass Centre until Sunday, 3rd September next. Thank you to all who help organise this mass every week.

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Parish Noticeboard.

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**



Cemetery Sunday, Deansgrange

The annual Cemetery Sunday is on Sun, 2nd July at 3 pm with Mass and blessing of the graves.

New Pilgrim Path – Website of the Week.

18th June marks the second anniversary of the papal encyclical '*Laudato Si: On Care for our Common Home*'. The encyclical's title is taken from St Francis' beautiful '*Canticle of the Creatures*'. The full text is beautifully read and illustrated in a video by Paolo Maggioni Conte.

Find out more at www.NewPilgrimPath.ie

Lough Derg – 3 day pilgrimages, any day from 1st June to 13th Aug. More information from www.loughderg.org / 071 986 1518

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

CABINTEELY GOSPEL GROUP Gospel Grooves 2017

Featuring **LESLIE DOWDALL**,
Musical Director. .

Special Guests: Jim O'Neill, John Nolan, Colm Hennessey

FRIDAY 23RD JUNE 2017 - St Brigid's Church, Cabinteely

Doors Open 7.30 PM / Show 8 PM

Tickets only €10 Children (U12's) €5

Available from Parish Office/ Door on the night.

Hallelujah – An evening of Inspirational Music featuring the Palestrina Choir – Sat 24 June in the National Concert Hall. Tickets 6797700 / email: pat@pateganmgt.ie

Pathways – Exploring Faith and Ministry

An adult Faith Development Programme, Sept – May – 2 year course
See noticeboard re this programme.

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

Tickets are available in the Parish Office weekdays and after all weekend masses. Tickets are €75.

The raffle will take place on Friday, 30th June at 8 pm in the



Parish Centre and the lucky ticket will be picked by **George Hook**, Irish broadcaster, journalist and rugby union pundit.

The Car is supplied by Mooney's Hyundai, Deansgrange.



St Brigid's Cross

We are taking bookings for mini-crosses for insertion into the patio area outside the church. A great way to remember a special day/date, wedding, birth, baptism, family or a loved one. Contact the parish office for more information.



Disciples of Divine Master Adoration Chapel, Whites Cross

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Daily
Agape Prayer Group – Tuesdays at 8 pm
Prayer Group – Wednesdays 8 pm
Mothers' Payers – Wednesdays 9 pm
Prayer Group for Men – Thursdays 8 pm

Southside Partnership Local Employment Service Horticulture Dept – QQI

Level 4 Horticultural Programme, beginning Aug for 50 weeks. Free Practical skills programme. More info from: Free phone 1800 200501/ les@sspship.ie



Lourdes Pilgrimage 2017

Join parishioners attending the Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes from 7 – 12 September. Booking forms from the Parish Office. Cost €725.

Foxrock Parish Church **Catechism Studies for Adults** – Mondays 7.30 – 9.30 pm from 5 Sept 2017. Transformational learning supported by study notes from Maryvale Institute in Birmingham.