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ONE OF US?

Martha Lewis was distressed when her house was burgled. It wasn't so much that she had lost her pension money and some jewellery that her late husband had given her. It was more a sense of outrage that someone had invaded her privacy, gone through her things and interfered where they had no right to be. She was only grateful that she had been out at bingo at the time. It could have been worse.

So when the local police phoned to say that some of the items had been recovered, she walked to the police station with a spring in her step. She'd only been inside the place on a couple of occasions and laughed to herself what people would think if they saw her coming out!

It was a hive of activity inside. The desk sergeant was processing a group of people who had had too much to drink and started a fight. There was a woman sitting with car documents who had been called to produce them after some minor traffic infringement. And there was a shabbily dressed youth who was clearly on drugs.

As she looked at the young man Martha sniffed. Those dreadlocks couldn't possibly be healthy and he probably hadn't washed them in a month. Why he needed to have so many rings piercing every possible extremity was a mystery to her. She was annoyed by the swishing bass sound that came from the earphones and wondered why he hadn't even bothered to tie the laces of his shoes. Anyway, thank God her grandchildren had steered clear of drugs. She'd been very strict with Violet, her daughter, and it had paid dividends with the way she was now bringing up her own children. The policewoman took her to a room where Martha confirmed that the recovered property was indeed hers. She thanked the officer but the officer told her not to thank her but Mr Williams who had found them. "There he is," she said, "with the dreadlocks and the stereo."
Jesus said, "Anyone who is not against us is for us."

Mass times in St. Brigid's Church

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri - 10 am
Saturday (Vigil Mass) – 6.30 pm
Sunday – 10 am and 12.30 pm.

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.



6.30 pm, – 1 Christopher Greaves – 1st Anniv

Vigil 2. Herbie Magee -5th Anniversary

10.00am – 1. Patricia Carroll – 1st Anniv.

2. Jim & Anna Keegan – Anniv.

12.30pm –1. Christine O'Reilly – 7th Anniv.

2. William Boylan – Anniversary

3. Bob Conan – 3rd Anniversary

Recently Deceased:

Months Mind: John Felix Byrne

Anniversaries: Rosita Manahan (1st Anniv.)

Valerie Woods (2nd Anniv.)

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

Faith Development Groups

Centering Prayer: Wednesday 7pm– 8pm – this group will meet in the Icon Chapel.

Bible Reflections- This group meet in our 'Icon Chapel' every Thursday at 10.30am.

Gospel Contemplation: meet every Friday at 11 am to 12.00 noon in the Parish Centre.

Please feel free to join any groups.

The Irish Cancer Society's Daffodil Centre are looking for volunteers to work in their centres. Training will be provided. Contact Deirdre Murphy on 231 0564 or dmurphy@irishcancer.ie for more information.

Anam Cara South Dublin – Parent Evening on Mon 8th Oct at 7.15 pm in the Maldron Hotel, Tallaght.

Would it help to talk? The Bethany Bereavement Support Group holds its '**Drop In**' on the last Friday of each month in the Parish Centre from 10.30 am – 11.30 am. A warm welcome, chat and a cuppa for all who wish to attend, no need to book, just arrive.



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.

St. Brigid's Boys' School, Mart Lane, Foxrock

are now accepting applications for Junior Infants for the 2019/2020 school year. Applications close on Friday, October 19th 2018. Following this all late applications will be added to our waiting list. Please contact the school for more information on the application process. If you have already registered your interest with the school you will receive an application form to the address you provided the school within the coming days.

Novice Bridge Club

Our Novice Bridge Club takes 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**



The Irish Cancer Society with the help of **BT Ireland** are running a massive fundraising sale in all their shops on Thurs, Oct 18. Clothing bags are available this weekend. Unwanted clothes, bric a brac and saleable items needed.

AWARE

AWARE is a weekly support group for people suffering from depression. The group meet in the Parish Centre every Wednesday evening from 7.30pm to 9pm.

Marriage Enrichment residential weekend offers married couples private time to rekindle the joy of their love. Next weekend 5 - 7 Oct. visit www.marriageencounter.ie.

Could you foster a child? Urgent need for 0-16 years, short-long term care. Full training and support given. Call 01 866 5290 or visit www.fiveriversireland.ie for more information.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje, Oct 17th for seven nights - half board €699. Contact Ann Buchanan on 085 802 1382

Cabinteely Community School Open Day

Thursday, October 4th.
6 pm to 8 pm

St Brigid's Mini Cross

We are now taking bookings for the next mini-cross for insertion into the patio area outside the church.

Four bricks make up a cross - cost €125 per brick. A great way to remember a special day/date, wedding, birth, baptism, family or a loved one. Contact the parish office for more information.

The blessing of the new mini-cross in the Patio outside the church will take place after **10 am Mass today**. Applications for the next mini-cross now being taken in the Parish Office during the week.

Talk on 'The ABC of Pain Management'

with guest Speaker Dr Declan O'Keefe organised by Arthritis Ireland Dun Laoghaire Rathdown Branch will take place on Friday, 5th Oct at 11 am in The Royal Marine Hotel, Dun Laoghaire. Free Admission, tickets from 01 283 1504. Booking essential.

Little Wings Baby Massage

Little Wings Baby Massage 5-week course starting 17 Oct, 10.15am-11.45am, in St Brigid's Parish Centre. Contact **Laura - 0873342969** for more information.

The Pro Life Campaign

National Conference takes place in the Concert Hall of the RDS on Saturday, 6th October from 1.00 pm to 4.30 pm. Workshops beforehand from 11.30 to 12.30 pm. Guest speakers include Kristan Hawkins, President of Students for Life America who will be discussing the excellent initiatives and projects that are turning things around for the pro-life cause in the USA.

It is an opportunity to reflect on the next steps positively and creatively. Text 087 2668702 or email info@prolifecampaign.ie to register. The event is free and all are welcome.



New Pilgrim Path

Website of the Week.

In Psalm 46:10 we hear the words: 'Be still, and know that I am God!'

How are you able to live this out in your day to day life? Consider a short, beautiful online retreat which you can do in your own time, in the privacy of your own home. 'God's Grandeur' is based on the extraordinary poems of Gerard Manley Hopkins.

See this and more on www.NewPilgrimPath.ie

Volunteer with Trócaire in Ireland - join a group of committed individuals who meet three times a year in Dublin to organise initiatives in Trócaire communities. Contact volunteering@trocaire.org for more info.