



## St Brigid's Parish Cabinteely



### June 19<sup>th</sup> 2022 - The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Jesus went to those most in need. He forgave the sinner, ate with the outcast, defended, and fed those who were poor and hungry. He worked for true justice, risked being unpopular, willingly accepted suffering and death, and always stayed connected with his Abba, Father. Jesus also consistently reminded folks that God's compassion, love, and mercy trump everything, even the law. This is the Christ that the Eucharist calls us to be. As we look around our churches, our towns and cities, and our world, there are many people who need to see the face and body of Christ. Some of those most in need may be right within our families. But it is always in the poorest of the poor and those most vulnerable that we find the greatest need. There are many who cannot function on their own. When the gift of the Eucharistic Christ takes root in our hearts, we can more readily see the face of Christ in others.

Many people are vulnerable. Highest on that list are the homeless. They show us the face of Christ. Whatever the cause, to have no place to go and no place to call home takes a toll on the human spirit. For Jesus when there were hungry people, they were fed. God asks us to do the same ... feed people. There are many who are hungry physically, emotionally, and spiritually. Gifted by the Eucharistic presence of Christ, we can bring them Christ. Who are the hungry around us and how can we feed them?

When someone is hurting, you comfort them. When someone is hungry, you feed them. When someone needs clothes, you provide them. When someone is cold, you warm them. When someone is in prison, you visit them. With over a million people who are homeless and over a quarter of them children, it is important to ask the question, "why?" and strategise for ways to lessen or alleviate the problem. Nevertheless, we are not off the hook for responding to the immediate needs that present themselves at our doors. Whether a person's current station in life is self-imposed or the result of being victimised, they are sacred vessels. We cannot lock the door and send them away and still believe we bear the Eucharistic presence of Christ. It doesn't work like that.

Parish of St Brigid's Cabinteely

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### **WEEKLY NEWSLETTER**

**June 19th 2022**

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

##### **Weekdays**

Mon. Tues. Thurs. Fri. at **10am**

No mass on Wednesday.

Bank Holidays at **11am**

##### **Weekends**

Vigil Mass (Saturday) **5.30 PM**

**Sunday: 10.00am & 12.30am**

All masses available online

[www.churchservices.tv/cabinteely](http://www.churchservices.tv/cabinteely)

#### **Saturday June 18th - Vigil 5.30**

Des Ryan—20th Anniversary

#### **Sunday June 19th —10am**

#### **Sunday June 19th —12.30**

Patrick O'Carroll—Anniversary

Sandra McDonnell— 10th Anniversary

Stephen Hunter—1st Anniversary

#### **Recently Deceased**

Thomas Moroney

Pat Stuart

John Tormey

#### **Monday 10am**

Brendan Carolan—Recently Deceased

#### **Tues 10am.**

Catherine Carolan—Recently Deceased

#### **Thurs. 10am**

Jack & Lily Flynn—Anniversaries

#### **Fri 10am.**

**PLEASE TAKE HOME A COPY OF THIS NEWSLETTER**

**The Lost Lace project invites the families of those who died from covid 19 in Ireland & Northern Ireland to share their story of loss with the Lost lace project – a visual art and poetry commemoration to the lives lost to Covid 19.**

**You can share a few words about your loved one on [www.lostlace.com](http://www.lostlace.com)**

The 'Stories of Loss' can be shared on the website from 1st May until 31st Aug.2022.

The words of loss that are shared on the website will provide inspiration for the poet Jessica Traynor to compose four poems to commemorate the lives of loved ones who have died from covid 19, The recital of the poems and the launch of the outdoor installation by visual artist Miriam Mc Connoll will take place in October 2022 at Iveagh Gardens, Dublin.

### **DEANSGRANGE CEMETERY MASS AND BLESSING OF THE GRAVES**

**On Sunday, July 3, at 3pm there will be Mass and Blessing of the Graves in Deansgrange Cemetery.**

### **SACRED HEART MESSENGER MASS**

On the Feast of the Sacred Heart, Friday, June 24, *Sacred Heart Messenger* has organised a Mass at 7pm in the Church of the Sacred Heart, Donnybrook, Dublin 4.

All are welcome to join with *Messenger* promoters and readers in person and on the church webcam at [www.donnybrookparish.ie](http://www.donnybrookparish.ie). The homily will be by Fr Donal Neary SJ, Editor.

## **Summer Dues**

Archbishop Farrell has asked that we again invite parishioners to contribute to a Summer Dues collection in support of ministering priests and also the sick retired priests of the Diocese. As you are aware, due to restrictions on parish gatherings and the ongoing months of Church closures over these past 2 years, offerings to the First Collection which supports the priests of the Diocese has been seriously impacted. Contributions to the Summer Dues will be received in the same way as the Christmas and Easter Dues and go to the Common Fund which supports the priests of Diocese. This collection will begin this weekend **18th /19th June** and envelopes will be available in the church porches. You can also give online via Donate page at [www.cabinteelyparish.ie](http://www.cabinteelyparish.ie)

We truly appreciate and thank you more sincerely for your continued generosity and support of all Church collections. We are very aware that everyone's situation varies and that some may not be in a position to contribute to this collection, but if you are in a position to do so, we are very grateful indeed. We wish all our parishioners a peaceful and enjoyable summer.

**Fr Aquinas**

### **11 small ways you can help mend the world**

"There is much in the world that needs mending. There are signs that our society is unwell, with polarisation and anger sizzling under the surface of our discourse. The problems of the world feel big and overwhelming. And we can look to big things to rescue us: national elections, a revolution, widespread revival, the apocalypse. Yet most of us, in our limited spheres, must learn to embrace small practices of repair. These practices, though small, are profoundly significant. They are the tiny threads that weave a society where, as Dorothy Day said, "it is easier for people to be good."

"11 small ways we can help mend the world" is written by New York Times journalist, Tish Harrison Warren, an American Anglican priest. She presents small and practical ways that anyone can use to practice repair. Access them here: [www.newpilgrimpath.ie](http://www.newpilgrimpath.ie).

**Parish Office & Shop open 9am—1pm Only  
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### **AWARE- SUPPORT & SELF CARE GROUPS**

If you wish to connect with people in relation to your mental well-being, please consider using the Phone In and Zoom Support & Self Care Groups, the Support Line or Support Mail, These services provide support, coping skills and information & most importantly help people who are in distress to know they are not alone in their experience For more info. about the groups <https://www.aware.ie/support/support-groups>

### **DÚN LAOGHAIRE ORGAN CONCERTS**

The Dún Laoghaire Summer Organ Concerts return this Sunday at St Michael's Church. See <https://www.dunlaoghaireorganconcerts.ie>

**C.A.S.A. (Caring and Sharing Association)** will collect the bags distributed last weekend at all masses this weekend.

**Many Thanks** for your Support

For more information visit [www.casa.ie](http://www.casa.ie)

### **Supporting St. Brigid's Parish-**

Registered Charity Number (RCN) 20016166 and CHY 7424

The Easy Payments online donate button is below through which you can set up once off or monthly payments to all the collections. Also here are Print Version of Standing Order Forms

For First and Second Sunday Collections  
[standing-order-collections](#)

For Parish Planned Giving to support the Parish

[Standing Order FAMILY OFFERING](#)

For Church Renovation Fund

[Standing Order FUNDRAISING](#)



### **Thank You for Your Generosity**

Thank you to those who continue to contribute to the 1st Collection (Common Fund which pays an allowance to priests) and the 2nd Collection (Share which supports developing parishes & the Diocesan Administration) in addition to the planned Giving which supports the running of the parish. There are permanent boxes in place for 1st & 2nd Collections. There is also a double envelope for the 1st & 2nd Collections. **If you put your name and address on the envelope we can claim the tax back on it.**

**Fr Aquinas**