



St Brigid's Parish Cabinteely



August 27th 2023 — 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isn't it a bit weird that Catholics call the Pope "papa," father? This Sunday provides us with essential Scriptural background on the papacy, the petrine office. Jesus gives Peter the "keys to the kingdom of heaven," after witnessing to the special grace Peter has to know Jesus' true identity. Many have pointed out that the "keys" refer back to the figure of Eliakim, King David's prime minister. True enough. But notice this is not mere authority or power. It's a family relationship. The Lord says to Eliakim, "He shall be a father to the inhabitants of Jerusalem" (Isaiah 22:21). David's prime minister was a spiritual father to the family of Israel. Peter, and his successors, will be spiritual fathers in the family of the Church.

This means we have a serious obligation to not only recognise the Pope's authority, but also to love him with the affection of children for their papa. We should never speak about him with disrespect or rancour. We should listen to him with trusting hearts, and ignore the slander thrown at him in various media. When we show the world we are loving and obedient to our Holy Papa, perhaps they'll see more clearly that the Church is indeed God's beloved family.

— **Father John Muir**



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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

MASS INTENTIONS

Weekdays

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

No mass on Wednesday.

Monday Bank Holidays at **11am**

Weekends

Vigil Mass (Saturday) **5.30 PM**

Sunday: 10.00am & 12.30am

All masses available online

Confessions available after the 5.30pm vigil mass in the side Chapel
www.churchservices.tv/cabinteely

Sat Vigil Aug 26th —5.30pm

John Keogh — Recently Deceased

James, Ann & John Doonan —
Anniversaries

Sunday Aug 27th — 10am

Olive Roberts—Months Mind

James Dilworth – Birthday
Remembrance

Sun Aug 27th —12.30am

Marianne Clarke — 2nd Anniversary

Jo O'Rourke — Months Mind

Christina Humphries - Anniversary

Peggy Higgins — Anniversary

Richard Thornhill — 12th Anniversary

Monday - 10am

Special Intention

Tues —10am

Michael Bernie — Recently Deceased

Thurs 10am

Fri 10am

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CANCER SUPPORT CENTRES **volunteers needed**

Volunteers are the backbone of ARC Cancer Support Centres. As an ARC volunteer, you will make an important difference in the lives of those affected by cancer.

We are looking for individuals who are empathic with excellent communication skills to be an invaluable source of comfort, care and kindness.

Full Training is provided and roles are based remotely or from one of our centres in either South Circular Road or Eccles Street.

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**Website of the Week: The Season of Creation,
1st September to 4th October**

The ecumenical Season of Creation is a time to renew our relationship with our Creator & all creation through celebration, conversion, and commitment together. During the Season of Creation, we join our sisters and brothers in the ecumenical family in prayer and action for our common home. Christians worldwide and the World Council of Churches have embraced the season as part of their annual calendar. Pope Francis made the Roman Catholic Church's warm welcoming of the season official in 2015. The season starts 1 September, the Day of Prayer for Creation, and ends 4 October, the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, the patron saint of ecology beloved by many Christian denominations. Throughout the month-long celebration, the world's 2.2 billion Christians come together to care for our common home. For links to these celebrations, visit: www.newpilgrimagepath.ie

Supporting St. Brigid's Parish-

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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](#)



Sandyford Sister Shed - Come join us at our launch.

Date: Wednesday 6th Sept. 2023 Time: 7pm – 9pm

Venue: Samuel Beckett Community Centre, Ballyogan Court, Carrickmines, D18 HT72

Sandyford Sister Shed will be held every Wednesday in the Samuel Beckett Community Centre at 7.00pm. Sandyford Sister Shed is open to all women from all areas

Summer Dues

Envelopes available at the back of the Church & can also be given online through our website

www.cabinteelyparish.ie

The Summer Dues goes to the common fund from which all priests are paid an allowance

St Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth, are currently running a blended learning Higher Diploma/ Diploma in Pastoral Liturgy. Applications close 10th Sept. More info. available at sppu.ie/courses or contact us at cmmadmissions@sppu.ie or 01 708 4778.

BALLINTEER PARISH MISSION

Brother Richard Hendrick will conduct a parish mission at St John the Evangelist, Ballinteer, from Mon. Sept.18th, to Friday, Sept 22nd- 7.30pm to 9pm. All are welcome.

The September **First Saturday Book Sale**, which supports the Shankill Old Folks Association, will take place in the Shankill Day Centre, Lwr Road, Shankill, on **Sat. Sept. 2nd from 10am—1pm** and all are welcome to attend. This will be an excellent opportunity to obtain some first class reading material for the Summer months. Donations of books in clean good condition, are appreciated & gratefully accepted.

St Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth, are running a one-year, evening/weekend, Level 8, 65 ECTS credits programme, which gives a foundation in **Theological Studies** to students who hold a primary degree in another discipline.

This Higher Diploma meets all the Teaching Council of Ireland's Requirements for the teaching of Religious Studies at post-primary level. It entitles teachers holding Department-recognised degrees and teacher training qualifications to teach up to 15 hours' Religious Education per week in a secondary school. This programme combines online modules with some on-campus attendance to fit around your other life commitments. Visit sppu.ie/courses or contact us at pgadmissions@sppu.ie or 01 708 3391. See <https://sppu.ie/courses/higher-diploma-in-theological-studies> for more information

Sunday 27th August - St Michael's Church

Dún Laoghaire - 8:00pm - David Adams

Sunday at 8:00pm in St Michael's Church Dún Laoghaire a concert of solo organ works will be presented by David Adams featuring works by J.S. Bach, J. Demessieux, M. Reger & more. Tickets are €15.00 Standard and €10.00 Concession and this includes a free programme.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

The Irish Hospice Foundation provides a free Bereavement Support Line. This Freephone Service is available from 10am to 1pm, Mon to Fri, by calling 1800 807077. Visit www.hospicefoundation.ie for more information.

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 & information & most importantly help people who are in distress to know they are not alone in their experience For more info. <https://www.aware.ie/support/support-groups>

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 Donal