



# St Brigid's Parish Cabinteely

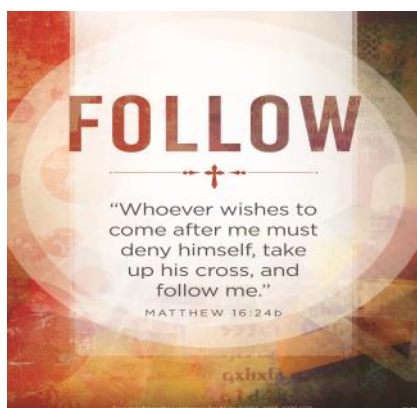


## September 3rd 2023—22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isn't it easy to relate to Peter? One moment Jesus announces Peter's deep communion with God the Father. The very next, when he rejects the logic of Jesus' suffering and death, Jesus calls Peter Satan. We Christians shouldn't be too shocked when we experience both spiritual highs and lows, when we perceive breath-taking contradictions in our hearts.

Like the great apostle, you and I are recipients of unfathomable graces. God dwells in us, calls his beloved children, and takes care of our every need. And we also continually fail to embrace our sufferings with trust in Jesus. We know the truth of the creed, but we easily scorn the weight of the cross.

The good news is that, like Peter, we are never abandoned by the Lord even at our worst moments. Peter will eventually learn the beauty of the cross when he is willingly crucified. But it took time for him to get there. And it takes time for us, too. This week let's not be too shocked at these divisions in our hearts but accept them and patiently seek to be more obedient to Jesus' cross-shaped plan for us. — **Father John Muir**



Parish of St Brigid's Cabinteely

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

#### **Sat Vigil Sept 2nd —5.30pm**

Special Intention

#### **Sunday Sept 3rd — 10am**

Lynn Mason — 8th Anniversary

Denis Cleary — Anniversary

#### **Sun Sept 3rd —12.30am**

Maurice Power — 10th Anniversary

Clodagh Kelly — Recently Deceased

#### **Monday - 10am**

Tom Wallace — Anniversary

#### **Tues —10am**

Frances—McHugh — RIP

#### **Thurs 10am**

#### **Fri 10am**

**PLEASE TAKE HOME A COPY OF THIS**

St Brigid's conference of **St Vincent de Paul** will be holding their monthly Church Gate Collection after all masses next weekend. If you do not carry cash but wish to donate you can do so by using the **QR code** below or online at [www.svp.ie](http://www.svp.ie) or online direct to St Vincent de Paul St Brigid's —**BIC BOFIE2D IBAN IE92 BOFI 90118317728620**.

The local volunteers are very grateful for your continued generous support that enables us to help those in need.

If you, or anyone you know, are experiencing serious financial concerns please know that SVP can listen/help. If you need help, you can phone head office on 01-8550022 and always be assured of our complete confidentiality



### **BE STILL AND KNOW THAT I AM GOD (Psalm 46)**

Our Centering Prayer group is restarting on **Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> Sept. @7pm** in the Parish Centre. If you feel drawn to deepening your relationship with the Divine within, please join us for this beautiful form of silent prayer. No experience necessary.

### **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.

**Anam Cara South Dublin**, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding it's monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on **Mon 11th Sept.** at 7:15pm in the Maldron Hotel, Whitestown Way, Tallaght. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not.

### **Diocesan Youth Leadership Course**

Beginning in September, a new Diocesan Youth Leadership Course will take place. This course will equip young adults to take on leadership roles in their parish setting and for peer-to-peer ministry, as well as training those looking to accompany young adults in their parish. Each month, new skills are learnt and will be put into practice at the retreat day which will be shaped and organised by the course participants. For more info. email [natalie.doherty@dublindiocese.ie](mailto:natalie.doherty@dublindiocese.ie). Register here: <https://forms.office.com/e/vnhG5552SW>

### **Website of the Week: The Ecological Examen**

As we continue to celebrate the global and ecumenical 'Season of Creation' (which runs from 1st Sept to 4th Oct., a special 'Ecological Examen' has been developed as a tool for reflection and action to help deepen our call to care for creation and the most vulnerable. The 500-year old Ignatian Examen is a daily prayer of review, used across many Christian denominations. The purpose of the Ecological Examen is to discern the ways in which God has been present to you, the times when the Holy Spirit was drawing you towards life and care for all created things. Access this very valuable resource at: [www.newpilgrimagepath.ie](http://www.newpilgrimagepath.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](#)



### **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](http://www.cabinteelyparish.ie)

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

### **FRIENDS OF THE ELDERLY**

Friends of the Elderly, a charity dedicated to alleviating loneliness and isolation among older people urgently requires volunteers. We have numerous volunteering roles available, home visitation, friendly callers, shop volunteers, social club events and hamper delivery drivers. If you are interested, please contact Jodie at 01 8731855 or [jodie@friendsoftheelderly.ie](mailto:jodie@friendsoftheelderly.ie).

### **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](http://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*