

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Sat Vigil Dec 9th — 5.30pm**

Jack Roy—2nd Anniversary

**Sunday Dec 10th - 10am**

Nicholas Lynch—Anniversary

Deirdre Dolan—2nd Anniversary

**Sun Dec 10th —12.30pm**

Cyril Corrigan—Anniversary

Maggie & John Donohoe

Jack Mooney—Recently Deceased

### Recently Deceased

Jim Kirwan

Hannah Phelan

**Monday - 10am**

Anne Carter—Remembrance mass

**Tues—10am**

Jim Quinn—1st Anniversary

**Thurs- 10am**

**Fri 10am**

Peter & Chris Heffernan—

Anniversaries

## MASS TIMES

### 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 & weekday mornings after mass - on request

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

## PARISH OF ST BRIGID'S CABINTEELY —DECEMBER 10TH 2023

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Our local conference of **St. Vincent de Paul** will hold their annual **Christmas Collection** at all masses **THIS weekend (the 9th/10th Dec)** replacing the usual 'Share' collection.

By giving what you can, your kindness and generosity helps families struggling to buy food, keep their lights on and stay warm this winter. Your continued support and generosity is very much appreciated. If you'd like to make a donation by credit or debit card, simply scan the QR code here using the camera on your phone, and it will take you to our secure online donations page, where you can enter your card details.



### ADVENT IN THE PARTNERSHIP

**Dolmen Theatre presents a Christmas Evening at St Brigid's Church Cabinteely with all proceeds going to SVDP Sun 17th Dec at 4pm -5.30pm. Tickets 10e/Family Ticket 20e**

[at the door] Cabinteely Gospel Choir accompanied by Girls & Boys 5th class choir will perform some beautiful Christmas carols. Geraldine Plunkett, Rose Henderson & Isobel Mahon will return to read their favourite Christmas poems and stories. Refreshments after in the parish centre

### Carols by Candlelight

Habemus Chamber Choir

Accompanied by Will Woods

**Sunday 10th Dec at 7.30pm**

**St Anne Parish Shankill** Tickets 10e

[at the door] Proceeds in Aid of St. Anne's Parish. Mulled Wine & Mince Pies

### Church of the Apostles, Ballybrack

Advent Service Followed by Mince pies etc. **Dec 13th at 7.30pm**

**Christmas Carol Service—Holy Trinity Church Killiney Dec 17th at 4pm**

**Christmas Pageant with the Choir & Schools, St Coumbanus Parish, Loughlinstown Dec 19th at 7pm**

### ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT

On behalf of the Parish Finance Committee I would like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank each one of you who supports our parish financially throughout the year. As you will appreciate, there is considerable expense involved in keeping the church and parish centre going with heat and light, insurance, staffing, office and stationery costs etc.

The finance committee have prepared an outline of income and expenditure for last year and that is available at the back of the church today. Hopefully this will give you an idea of the costs involved in running the parish and of the support we receive to meet this challenge. Thank you once again for your support in the past and I hope we can continue to rely on your generosity in the future.

**Fr Donal**

### 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 & address on the envelope we can claim the tax back on it.... **Fr Donal.**

### Christmas Penitential Service 2023

Monday, 18<sup>th</sup> December in St Anne's Shankill at 7.30pm

Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> December in Johnstown Parish at 7.30pm

Please note there is no penitential service in St. Brigid's Parish Church, Cabinteely. Confessions will be heard in the church on Friday 22nd Dec 10.30 – 11.30 and on Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec from 11am – 1pm.

### 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, for more info. <https://www.aware.ie/support/support-groups>

### GOSPEL CONTEMPLATION

Gospel Contemplation, also known as Ignatian Contemplation, is a method of prayer which makes use of guided imagery in a Gospel passage of Jesus's life. Our group meets every Friday from **11-12am** in the Pastoral Centre. If this is a type of prayer you would be interested in trying you are more than welcome to join any Friday morning. We will be restarting, for Advent, on Friday **Dec 8th**. There is no charge for this group. All are welcome. **Where:** Pastoral Centre Cabinteely. **When:** Friday morning, starting **8th December from 11am-12noon**

### CROSSCARE CHRISTMAS FOOD APPEAL

Crosscare, the Archdiocese's social care agency, is seeking support for its **Christmas Food Poverty Appeal** at this challenging time for many families and individuals. This year, they have worked with almost 1,000 families and their children, not just giving them essential food and supplies but advising them and guiding them out of food poverty in the long term, giving them a hand up, not just a handout. Anyone wishing to contribute can donate online at [www.crosscare.ie](http://www.crosscare.ie), call 01-8360011, or send a cheque or postal order to Crosscare **Christmas Appeal**, 2 St Mary's Place North, D07 Y768, Dublin

### BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

The Irish Hospice Foundation provides a free Bereavement Support Line. This National Freephone Service is available from 10am to 1pm, Monday to Friday, by calling 1800 807077. Visit [www.hospicefoundation.ie](http://www.hospicefoundation.ie) for more information.

Our new Parish Partnership will be known as **St Colmcille Partnership of Parishes** has issued a list of mass times in the area. See notice at the back of the church and on our website for more information.

## Hymns for Sunday Mass

### O COME O COME EMMANUEL

*O come O come Emmanuel  
And ransom captive Israel  
That mourns in lonely exile here  
Until the Son of God appear*

#### Chorus

*Rejoice rejoice Emmanuel  
Shall come to thee O Israel*

*O come Thou Wisdom from on high  
And order all things far and nigh  
To us the path of knowledge show  
And cause us in her ways to go*

#### Chorus

*Rejoice rejoice Emmanuel  
Shall come to thee O Israel*

### HOW GREAT THOU ART

*O Lord my God when I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the works thy hand hath made,  
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,  
Thy power throughout the universe displayed*

*Then sings my soul, my Saviour God to Thee  
How great Thou art, how great Thou art  
x2*

*When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation  
And take me home what joy shall fill my heart.*

*They shall I bow in humble adoration,  
And there proclaim my God how great Thou art.*

We have a customised **St Brigid's Cabinteely Christmas Card** on sale in the Parish Shop. These cost **1.50e** each or 4 cards for **5e**.

All proceeds to Parish funds

Christmas masses here in St Brigid's will be **Christmas Eve 5.30pm & 8pm** and **Christmas Day 10am & 12.30**.

A full schedule of masses in the partnership of parishes will be available shortly.