



St Brigid's Parish Cabinteely



Oct 27th 2024 – 30th Sunday in Ordinary time

ALL THAT HE NEEDED

When we feel compassionate, we are reaching out to others. Someone's tears get us crying, or joy gets us laughing. Compassion reaches into the needs of another, and simply wants to be there and to help.

Our gospel is a response to an illness – of a blind man who shouted at **J**esus to hear him. No whispered or shy prayer here! His faith made him shout to **J**esus, and to believe that he could be better. He threw away all he had – a cloak – and knew he had found all he needed - the faith that made him strong. This faith gave him energy as he jumped at the sound of **J**esus' name.

His sight returned later; the first gift was faith. Our faith helps us see the world as **G**od sees it. We see creation as the beauty of **G**od and care for it, and men and women as images of **G**od and we care for them. We see beyond labels and categories to everyone as a child of **G**od, and our brother and sister. This is the 'eye of faith'.

The way of **J**esus is the way of light, and of healing, so that nothing inside ourselves can block us from receiving the light of **G**od, the light of his love.

Imagine the dawn gradually bringing light to the darkness.

*Does this remind you of what light of **G**od you might pray for? **L**ighten our burdens lord, and enlighten our darkness and may we walk in your ways.*

Donal Neary SJ

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

MASS INTENTIONS

Weekdays

Mon. Tues. Thurs. Fri. at **10am**
Including Bank Holidays
No mass on Wednesday.

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

Saturday Vigil Oct 26th — 5.30pm

Sunday Oct 27th — 10am

Christina Lynch—Anniversary
Betty Ryan—Anniversary
Esther Bracken—Anniversary
Bridget Cleary—Anniversary

Sunday Oct 27th — 12.30

Mary Brady—Recently Deceased
Jerry O'Connor—Recently Deceased
Robert & Ann Fegan—Anniversaries
John Slater—Anniversary

Bank Holiday Monday - 10am

Tues - 10am

Thurs 10am

Mae O'Connor — Anniversary

Friday 10am

First Friday

Parish of St Brigid's Cabinteely

www.cabinteelyparish.ie : email info@cabinteelyparish.ie

Fr. Paul Ludden – PP. 01 -2858835

Fr Arthur O'Neill and Fr Tom O'Keeffe

Child Safeguarding Representative— 01 -2858835

Office/Sacristy 01 2858835. Monday - Friday 9 - 1pm

Registered Charity Number (RCN) 20016166 & CHY 7424

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Change to **Bank Holiday Monday** Mass time. Please note that mass on a Bank Holiday Monday is now **10am** not 11am as before.

St Colmcille Partnership of Parishes

Faith Formation classes commencing in Sept 2024.

These will prepare children attending non catholic school for the *sacraments* *contact* 089 4335973 OR SEE sallynogginandglenagearyparish.com/sacraments.

Bereavement Support

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

AWARE offer a free weekly group for people in the community who may be struggling with depression, anxiety, bipolar disorder & mood related conditions in Cabinteely. Details are on **Aware.ie website**. This group takes place in the **Ash Room, St Brigid's Pastoral Centre, Johnstown Road, Cabinteely, D18YP96. Time: Every Wednesday at 7pm.**

November **Altar list of the Dead** now available in the church porches

SENIORLINE

Would you like someone to talk to? **SeniorLine** is Ireland's national telephone service for older people open every day of the year. Callers may feel isolated, alone, wish to discuss a problem in confidence, or for company during their day. SeniorLine's older volunteers are trained to listen, to support, to discuss options and to refer callers to other helpful services if necessary. So don't be alone if sharing a problem would help. **Phone SeniorLine 1800 80 45 91, open every day of the year 10am-10pm.**

Thank You For your Generosity

Sincere thanks to all who contribute so generously and regularly to our parish collections. The two collections during Mass go to the central administration of the diocese. The First Collection [plus dues] is used to pay the priest's salaries, both working & retired. The second collection (**Share**) pays for the services provided by the diocese and is used to support parishes that are struggling financially. If you want to support the parish at local level, you can use the weekly envelopes or pay by standing order (details in parish office). If you would like to make a donation by credit/ debit card, simply scan the QR code using the camera on your phone and it will take you to our secure online donations page, where you can enter your card details.

First Collection



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SENIOR CLUB DRIVERS

Our St Brigid's Parish Senior Club has been a very important connection point for our local senior community and has been offering a variety of fun afternoon sessions in our parish centre for over 30 years. Transport to and from these get togethers is a vital part of facilitating the club and we have an urgent need for more drivers! We meet **Wednesday** afternoon during school term times only and if we can find a few extra volunteer drivers, the commitment would only be a few hours on **Wednesday** afternoon, once a month. A simple Garda Vetting process will be put in place for all applicants. For more information please contact Maura in the Parish Office.

Autumn Outreach Initiative in Cherrywood

St. Colmcille's Partnership of Parishes is organising an **Alpha** course (which introduces the basics of the Christian faith in a friendly focused way) in Starbucks Cafe, Cherrywood starting on **Thurs.19th Sept at 7.30pm** and continuing until **December**. If you know a friend or family member who might benefit from Alpha please take a flyer from the back of the church. Please also pray for the success of this mission outreach.'

All Day Adoration

Our Lady of Victories Sallynoggin
After 9am Mass every morning [except Sunday when it's after 11am mass] until 6pm each day.

Bayside Alpha are hosting on Zoom Bishop Barron's 7 week film series '**Seven Deadly Sins, Seven Lively Virtues**', starting on **Sunday the 27th Oct.** at 7.30pm
To join this free course email alphabayside@gmail.com

The November Mass for our **Faithful Deceased** will take place on **Friday November 15th at 7pm.**

St John of God Hospital would like to publicise their upcoming **Minding the Mind** public lecture series. These free events focus on important mental health topics and are designed to provide valuable support and guidance to individuals and families.

4th November: Stress – Friend or Foe. Speaker: Denise McGinley, Nurse Specialist Health Promotion
Time: 7:30-9:00pm
The lectures will take place at St John of God Hospital, Stillorgan, Co. Dublin, A94 FH 92

First Saturday Book Sale

The November **First Saturday** Book Sale, which supports the Shankill Old Folks Association, will take place from 10 to 1pm on **Sat. Nov. 2nd** in the Shankill Day Centre, Lwr Rd, Shankill, and all are welcome to attend. This will be an excellent opportunity to obtain some first class reading material for the winter months. Donations of books, which must be in clean and good condition, will be accepted from donors on the day and are limited to two bags per donor.