



# St Brigid's Parish Cabinteely



## Sunday Jan 12th — The Baptism of the Lord

### *Spirit Energy*

Today, **J**esus' baptism by **J**ohn, was a special moment the real coming of **G**od's **s**pirit upon him. It was the same **S**pirit who had come upon **M**ary at the moment of **J**esus' conception, and would come to **J**esus at his last moment on the **C**ross.

The spirit brings him new energy. The feast marks that something new is happening, and that Jesus is the beloved and son; from eternity and into time.

The Spirit came upon him – but not just for himself. He would send the Spirit later to us – of forgiveness and of perseverance in doing good.

Today is about energy. Jesus found a new spirit in himself after his prayer and he heard words he would never forget. Maybe you have heard words of love from someone you will never forget. They give energy to the heart and soul, making us people always on the go, ready for new life within us.

The Spirit pours the energy of **G**od into bread and wine and they are changed forever. He sends himself forever. It is sending the love and presence and energy of **G**od.

**We** know that we can get stuck.

We need new infusions of the **S**pirit to give new energy. Can we be the type of people who others think it's good to meet? Open to the **S**pirit of **G**od,  
open to new life, new love,  
being really fully the person I can be?

*May the waters of baptism, **O** Lord,  
bring us the new life of your love.*

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

#### Saturday Vigil Jan 11th — 5.30pm

John Carroll —18th Anniversary  
Mary Devitt —Anniversary  
Anthony Naughton —4th Anniversary

#### Sunday Jan 12th — 10am

Margaret Cunningham —Anniversary  
Maureen Newman —Months Mind  
Brian Brennan—7th Anniversary  
John Costigan—2nd Anniversary

#### Sunday Jan 12th — 12noon

Maggie & Jack Donohoe — Anniversary  
Eileen Corrigan —Anniversary  
Nancy & Christy Swords —Anniversary  
Joseph & Betty Hackett - Anniversary

#### Recently Deceased

Kay O'Hanlon

#### Monday - 10am

Gerry Moynihan—Recently Deceased

#### Tues -10am

Jean Brennan —4th Anniversary

#### Thurs -10am

Paul Tonge—Recently Deceased

#### Fri -10am

Parish of St Brigid's Cabinteely

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## Change in Sunday Mass Times

**Reminder that our second Sunday mass is now 12noon and not 12.30pm**

### **KNOCK PILGRIMAGE**

Escorted Tour to Westport, Knock & Co Mayo, 10<sup>th</sup> February 2025. €699.00 pps. Price includes return train, 4 nights' in 4\* Castlecourt Hotel, Westport with Dinner, Bed & Breakfast. Lunch on three days. All entertainment, excursions and transport included. Visit Knock, Galway City, Kylemore Abbey, Croagh Patrick, Fr. Peyton Centre, Quiet Man Museum. Single supplement on Enquiry. Contact 094 900 6426 or 087 1890 236 or email [knockpilgrimages@gmail.com](mailto:knockpilgrimages@gmail.com).

### **ANNIVERSARY PILGRIMAGE**

800th anniversary of the Canonisation of St Laurence O'Toole. 10th May – 12th May 2025. Three-day Pilgrimage to Rouen and Eu with Fr Ivan Tonge with Archbishop Farrell and Archbishop Jackson. **Booking is now open. Contact Marian Pilgrimages, Dublin, at 01 878 8159.**

### **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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#### **Second Collection**



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### **Separated, Divorced, Widowed Are you coping?**

Few people are able to cope alone with the pain and loneliness following the loss of a life partner. Do you find that you need more support than family and friends can provide? Beginning Experience is a peer support group dedicated to helping those who are navigating life alone whether through death, separation or divorce.

A team of trained facilitators, who are themselves widowed, separated or divorced share with you how they coped with their loss. A 3 day Coping with Life Alone Programme will take place— Sat. 25th, Jan. 8<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2025 (Advance Booking Essential) Carmelite Community Centre, Whitefriar Street, D2. For further info contact Beginning Experience 086 0877379 or email: [bedublin@gmail.com](mailto:bedublin@gmail.com)

**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**

Have you ever dreamed of walking the **Camino de Santiago?** Breakthrough Cancer Research are taking on the 'Portuguese Way' from the 13th - 20th of June 2025. Starting in the charming town of Baiona, experience camaraderie and reflection as you walk toward Santiago de Compostela, creating lasting memories on this historic pilgrimage. You can enjoy this amazing adventure with our experienced guide and help Make More Survivors. For more info contact [edel@breakcancer.ie](mailto:edel@breakcancer.ie) **021 422 66 55**

### **Open Day- Shrewsbury House, Dementia Specific Day Care Centre**

**Friday, 17th January: 14:00 – 17:00**

**Saturday, 18th January: 10:00 – 14:00**

**Location: Shrewsbury House, Cabinteely – D18 KX60**

### **Johnstown/Killiney Parish invite you to the first Men's Breakfast of 2025,**

on **Sat 25th Jan at 8am to 9.30 in** Johnstown Centre Churchview Rd, Killiney,. Small donation (€3-€4) welcome. Our guest speaker is **Robbie Burns** - no relation to the National Poet of Scotland. Robbie is a businessman from Kiltiernan who runs his own electronic business and is passionate about Alpha and rugby. **Please confirm attendance** by texting your name to 087 2382941 or email [johnstownmensbreakfast@gmail.com](mailto:johnstownmensbreakfast@gmail.com).

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