



# St Brigid's Parish Cabinteely



## Fifth Sunday in Ordinary time - Feb 9th 2025

### **Alive**

**P**eter got great joy out of being a fisherman/ a business-  
man/ with his business partners. Especially when the catch was  
good and the money was flowing in from Rome and the cities  
east and west of Galilee.

**J**esus offered more – for then/ for now and for always. Life to  
the full was to follow, even in suffering/ humiliation and death  
for Peter.

**C**hrist is alive

~ in love of our family network/

~ in our deep friendships/

~ our care for the needy and our care for the earth.

~ in Our volunteers in many places they work bringing the  
fullness of life of **J**esus.

**T**he fish in the story represent all the people who will be  
found for **C**hrist.

And he said to Peter, '*look at the fish and think of  
the people and know that I am alive*'.

**S**haring and educating in faith is bringing **C**hrist to life. The  
teachers and chaplains, priests, religious, parish personnel, all  
educators, all parents, all families in faith are in partnership with  
the **L**ord **J**esus.

**A**ll sincere faith knowledge leads to love of **G**od and each  
other. Conversion is being in love with **G**od and his creation,  
with each and with everyone. We want to be in a state of love.

Only the one who can love can know **G**od, for **G**od is love.  
That's the challenge to all of us in passing on the faith as best  
we can to another generation. We pass on our faith in love.

**I**t's not just a catechism but the conviction, belief and joy  
that **C**hrist is alive. To us **C**hrist would say there will always  
be fish to be caught and people to be served, the generous gift  
of **G**od. To us he says I'm calling you, and that call is a the  
generous gift of **G**od,

*Lord, help me to find you in all things,  
and then we can do all for your greater glory.*

**Donal Neary SJ**

Parish of St Brigid's Cabinteely

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## **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 & 12.30pm**

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 Feb 8th — 5.30pm**

Special Intention

Mary Harkin—Anniversary

Special Intention

#### **Sunday Feb 9th — 10am**

Charlie & Nora O'Connell—Anniversaries

Agnes Corish — RIP

Brendan Henderson -Months Mind

Special Intention

#### **Sunday Feb 9th — 12.30pm**

Deirdre Corr—Recently Deceased

Gerard Comiskey—Anniversary

Marie O'Connor— 20th Anniversary

Mary Brophy—5th Anniversary

Mary O'Connor—Recently Deceased

Brendan Lyons—Recently Deceased

#### **Recently Deceased**

Michael Kenny

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

Angela Ward—RIP

Dympna Mooney— RIP

#### **Tues—10am**

Special Intention

Get Well Mass

#### **Thurs -10am**

Nan & Jack Flavin—Anniversaries

Esther Mooney — RIP

#### **Fri -10am**

Special Intention

Derval & Anne Earl—Remembrance

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### Change in Sunday Mass Times

**Our second Sunday mass has resumed its previous time of 12.30pm**

Please bear with us while we work through some intermittent issues we have with our sound system. We hope to have it resolved very soon.

### **MARRIAGE PREPARATION FACILITATORS**

Accord Catholic Marriage Care Service CLG is currently recruiting volunteers to train as marriage preparation programme facilitators.

Might this be you? Contact Aisling at 01 5053112 or [marriagepreparation@accord.ie](mailto:marriagepreparation@accord.ie), and for further information see [www.accord.ie](http://www.accord.ie).

### **FAITH FORMATION TALKS**

Dr. Jessie Rogers, Maynooth, will come to Ballybrack-Killiney Parish to assist with our Faith Formation. She will speak in Church of the Apostles, Ballybrack on Wednesdays at 19.30hrs on the following dates.

5th February, 5th March, 9th April, 21st May

This years talks will focus on The Psalms - the great poetry of Scripture. **All are welcome**

### **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.**

**Volunteers needed** for the weekly cleaning of the Church. If you can help in any way please give your name in to the parish office.

### **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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Our local conference of **St. Vincent de Paul** will hold their usual monthly Collection at all masses **THIS weekend (the 8th and 9th February)**. The team would like to sincerely thank all those who support us regularly. If you are struggling and need our help, you can contact us at [www.svp.ie](http://www.svp.ie) or call 01-8550022.

**ANAM CARA**, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its monthly Parent Support Evening on **Monday** 10th Feb at 7.30pm 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 how recent their death was. You do not need to register in advance. We also offer an online support group meeting. To find out more call 01 4045378 or email [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie)

### **Partnership Life in the Spirit Seminar for Lent**

Lent is coming up quickly with Ash Wed being on the 5th March so our St. Colmcille Partnership of Parishes plans to run a Life in the Spirit Seminar along with the Community of Nazareth on 7 Friday evenings from 7.30pm to 9pm starting on Fri 28th Feb. It will start in Johnstown Parish Centre on Fri 28th for 4 Fridays and finish in Shankill Parish Centre on the following 3 Fridays. Pope Francis has asked us to share the Baptism in the Holy Spirit with the whole Church, As the Jubilee Prayer says: "May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us... a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth (including in Johnstown, Cabinteely, Ballybrack, Shankill, Loughlinstown and Sallynoggin). Please mark the dates in your diary. More details later.

**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**

### **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)**

The annual collection for **ACCORD** Dublin, the Diocesan Agency for marriage and the family will be made at all masses on the weekend of 15th & 16th Feb 2025. Accord offers Marriage preparation courses, Counselling for couples and individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships and a relationship and sexuality programme for schools