



St Brigid's Parish Cabinteely



TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - OCT 19TH 2025

A passionate spirit

Irish people have long memories of helping the missions - collecting stamps, mission groups in schools, maybe aunts and uncles 'out foreign'. It is an essential part of the Church, because Christ is missionary, sent not just to one, but to all, to make a better world, founded on the gospel of Christ. Even if people are not baptised, the Church wants to point out the way to a truly human life - in the way, truth and life who is Christ, and committed to the world of justice

With so much hunger, ill health, and lack of education, the missionary spirit is passionate about wanting to improve things with the message of the gospel.

Today we pray for all our voluntary missionaries, religious, clerical and lay men and women. They are helped by our prayers in what is often a lonely life for them.

Maybe we might even think about giving some time in volunteering in the poorer world; or decide to vote for people who are concerned for the developing world and who will maintain our aid to the world in need; and we can encourage the young to think globally.

We pray for courage for our people overseas and also for ourselves that we can live as Jesus in different ways.

All are missionaries as Pope Francis says -

'Each individual Christian and every community is missionary to the extent that they bring to others and live the Gospel, and testify to God's love for all, especially those experiencing difficulties. Be missionaries of God's love and tenderness!

Be missionaries of God's mercy,

which always forgives us, always awaits us and loves us dearly.'

*May our lives be lived in love and service
of you, Lord God, and of each other.*

Donal Neary S.J.

Mass times - 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

Parish of St Brigid's Cabinteely

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

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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Feast Days

Monday 20th —

Tuesday 21st —

Wed 22nd Oct—St. John Paul II, Pope

Thurs 23rd Oct — St. John of
Capistrano, priest

Fri 24th Oct — St. Anthony Mary
Claret, Bishop

Mass Intentions

Saturday Vigil Oct 18th — 5.30pm

Ethyl Walsh - 4th Anniversary
Pat Kissane — 23rd Anniversary

Sunday Oct 19th — 10am

Betty Ryan — 10th Anniversary
Sister Teresa — Anniversary
Bridget Cleary—Anniversary
Get Well Mass

Sunday Oct 19th — 12.30pm

Robert & Ann Fegan—Anniversary
Sarah Clarke —11th Anniversary
Sheila Meehan —14th Anniversary
Joan Sammon —12th Anniversary
David Brocklesby—Recently Deceased

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Ethel Kilbride
Nuala Bennett
Kathleen Ryder

Monday - 10am

Birthday Remembrance

Tues—10am

Ronan Murphy — Anniversary

Thursday—10am

Christina Lynch —18th Anniversary

Friday—10am

Special Intention

PLEASE TAKE HOME A COPY OF THIS NEWSLETTER

This weekend, we will celebrate **World Mission Sunday**, the Holy Father's annual appeal to support overseas mission and missionaries. Please call **Missio Ireland** on (01) 497 2035 or go to www.missio.ie for further information. **The Mission Sunday collection on the 19th October replaces the Share Collection.**

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

Faith on Fire Fellowship

The local prayer meeting for the St. Colmcille Partnership of Parishes -The Faith on Fire Fellowship is held every 2nd and 4th Friday of the month at 7.30pm in Johnstown Pastoral Centre. It's a lovely meeting with good music, testimony, Bible teaching and small groups to 'talk about the talk'. All are welcome and, if you can, invite a friend to come with you.



Manresa Jesuit Centre of Spirituality

(426 Clontarf Rd, Dollymount,) is offering the following:
Advent Triduum Retreat
Mon-Fri, 1-5 Dec or 8-12 Dec 2025. *A silent retreat guided by the Jesuit community, offering space for prayer, reflection, daily Mass, adoration, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation, in preparation for Christmas.*

New Year Retreat

Mon, 29th Dec 2025 - Thurs 1st Jan 2026. *Welcome the New Year in a spirit of peace and prayer. This silent retreat offers time to reflect on the year gone by, seek God's grace for the year ahead, and be guided by daily prayer and liturgy.*

Oasis Day

Sat, 15th Nov, 6th Dec, or 13th Dec. *Take a sacred pause before the year ends. Choose any one of these single-day retreats to rest, pray, and be refreshed in spirit.*

Come away and rest for a while." (Mark 6:31)

Bookings can be made online (manresa.ie), by email at reception@manresa.ie, or at +353 1 5529 448.

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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There will be **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** this Thursday [and every Thursday unless notified] from 10.45 to 12noon. **ALL WELCOME**

Enrolment for Junior Infants for both St Brigid's Boys & Girls Schools is now open.

It will close at 2:30pm - Friday, October 24th, 2025.

For more info. please check the school websites

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**

SENIORLINE

Would you like someone to talk to? **SeniorLine** is Ireland's national telephone service for older people open every day of the year. 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**

For those who are looking for something new to support and inspire their daily prayer experience (or even just to begin it!) we highly recommend checking out the following two Prayer apps.

1. 'Pray As You Go': Listen to guided prayer, for free, every day.

A 10 to 13 minute daily prayer session with a mix of music, scripture and short reflective questions **Pray As You Go** offers a kind of 'audio sanctuary', enabling us to find space in our lives in which to root and recharge, animated with heartfelt guidance and wise insight.

2. Christian Art App/Website:

'**Christian Art**' offers a unique approach to the daily Gospel readings. Each day, a work of art is selected relevant to that day's scripture passage and a short reflection is offered on both the piece of art and the reading.

St Colmcille's Parish Partnership now offers **Catechism classes** for children who are preparing for sacraments but who do not attend a Catholic school. contact the Director of Religious Education Rosemary Swords Phone: 089 433 5973 Email: drestcolmcille@gmail.com

ANNUAL BEREAVEMENT MASS

The special Mass to remember our loved ones who have died will be held on **Friday Nov 7th at 7.30pm in St Brigid's Church.**