



# St Brigid's Parish Cabinteely



## TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 28TH SEPT. 2025

### *Faith in action: On fire with hope*

This story of Jesus highlights the inequality of rich and poor. Jesus appeals to our sense of justice, right and goodness. There is no need for anyone to come back from the dead to warn us of this inequality. The doors between rich and poor can often be locked as were the doors between Dives and Lazarus. Those outside can only knock, protest and even try to break down the doors. The doors must be opened from the inside. This message of justice and hope for an equal share of the world's goods for everyone is strong in the gospel of Jesus. His heart was on fire with the hope of a better life for the poor. He went to help them simply because they were poor.

The Christian Church, if its to be faithful to the gospel, should be involved in many ways in the creation of a more just world. The Christian parish takes a special care of ~ the refugee, the migrant, the war and climate challenged, ~the new poor and ~the old poor, ~the unborn, ~The disabled (Mental/ Physical, ~ the sick, ~the elderly, ~and the dying, in fact all whose voices may not be usually heard.

The parable is meant not to scare with images of punishment, but to make us as aware of the huge inequalities that exist in our world, and in the exploitation of resources in the developing world. Maybe we can pray not to be tormented by any of the pains of this story, but be tormented into action by the hunger, poverty and injustices of our world. Maybe then more doors can be opened from the inside of wealth to the outside of poverty. *Lord, may we build with you a world of justice and peace.* **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](http://www.churchservices.tv/cabinteely)

Parish of St Brigid's Cabinteely

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Fr. Paul Ludden – PP. 01 -2858835

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## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

### Feast Days

**Monday 29th** — Saints Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael, Archangels  
**Tuesday 30th** — St. Jerome, Priest & Doctor of the Church  
**Wed 1st Oct** — St Thérèse of the child Jesus  
**Thurs 2nd Oct** — The Guardian Angels  
**Fri 3rd Oct** — Blessed Columba Marmion Abbot

### Mass Intentions

#### Saturday Vigil Sept 27th — 5.30pm

Christine O'Reilly — Anniversary  
Jim McCann —Months Mind  
Noreen Brien—6th Anniversary

#### Sunday Sept 28th — 10am

Bob Conan — 10th Anniversary  
Mary Lavery—Recently Deceased  
Kay Lynch—Recently Deceased

#### Sunday Sept 28th — 12.30pm

Karl O'Flynn—Recently Deceased-  
Imelda Brady—Recently Deceased  
Cynthia Clark Disken—RIP

#### Monday - 10am

Peg Gibbons — Anniversary

#### Tues—10am

#### Thursday—10am

Jim & Anna Keegan—Anniversaries

#### Friday—10am

First Friday

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### The Bells of the Angelus!

We are delighted to inform our parishioners that the church bells will be reactivated from Tues 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. They will chime for the Angelus at 12noon and 6pm and 15 minutes before each mass

### 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 7.30 pm 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.!



### Our Wednesday Afternoon Senior Club

resumed on **Sept 17th**. All are welcome. Please contact the parish office on 01- 2858835 if you require transport to the parish centre

### Centering Prayer

In Centering Prayer we enter, what Jesus refers to in Matt.6:6, as the inner room. The room of the heart. Come and join us for this gentle form of Silent Prayer. Wednesday at 7pm in the parish centre. Newcomers welcome. For more info. Contact Siobhan 086 3778085.

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

Dominican Knock Family Day takes place on Sunday 12th Oct. See poster at back of church for full details.

### 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 from 11am –12noon each Friday [unless otherwise notified ] **All Welcome**

We will have mass here this week on **Wed. Oct 1<sup>st</sup>** in honour of the feast of St Thérèse of the child Jesus

### 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**

### Breast Cancer Awareness Month

takes place October 1st-31st. For further info. please log onto **www.breastcancerireland.com."**

### Sacristan Vacancy Church of the Apostles Ballybrack

The Church of the Apostles has a vacancy for the position of Sacristan. This is a part-time paid role, for 10 hours per week, on Tuesday, Thursdays and Sundays. For further information, please contact the Parish Office on 01 2822567 Tues/Thurs/Fri between 10am and 2pm. or email: **ballybrack.killiney@gmail.com**

### The Old Dublin Society

Las Fallon will recall 'The Dublin Great Whiskey Fire of 1885' at 6 pm on Wed Oct 1st in the Conference Room of Dublin City Library & Archive, 139-144 Pearse St. D2. All are welcome – admission is free and no booking is required.

### Fear. Hope. Mercy. A Recollection Weekend on the Four Last Things. Date: 31st Oct.-2nd Nov.

**Tí Chulainn Centre, Mullaghbawn Co. Armagh**

An opportunity for adult Catholics who would like to go deeper in their faith and life more truly in the light of that for which they were created to come together in prayer and reflection. Sacraments, Conferences, Silence, Community and more. Retreat leader: Fr Patrick Desmond OP. Fully residential with full board - non residential rates available also - all details online. Early bird closes Mon. 29th Sept. For more info visit **www.thecollect.ie** or email **info@thecollect.ie**