



St Brigid's Parish Cabinteely



23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time — Sept 6th 2026

Each Other's Keepers

In any group, small and big, things cause friction. Everyone thinks his or her way is right. We can fight over who is right. Some things are worth a fight, others not.

In the big questions of life, we need the advice, support and love of the other. Many people ask themselves, "Why I didn't give an honest opinion about a decision like marriage or a job or a course of studies which seemed ill-advised to everyone?" We all have good and not-so-good tendencies. We can only advise as best we can, sensitively and wisely, and hope we get a hearing.

We are afraid to hurt, to be rejected. Why do we let so many people drink themselves into trouble and never tell them? The terror of a neighbourhood, no matter what age, needs to be confronted.

The problem of drugs in a neighbourhood is not confronted.

Crime is not reported.

In small and big things we are each others' keepers. Jesus is saying something like that today. Parents can find this difficult as they try to guide the family well and not lose them. We have social responsibility in the family and in the neighbourhood and even worldwide for the common good.

God wants the best for each of us. We can help each other to goodness, we can support each other, advise each other, pray for and with each other, and help each other on our way to God.

Recall an occasion when someone gave you good advice, even when you may not have liked it at the beginning.

Be grateful!

Give me wisdom, Lord, when others ask me for advice or an opinion



St Colmcille Partnership of Parishes
Sallynoggin-Glenageary, Johnstown-Killiney, Cabinteely,
Ballybrack-Killiney, Loughlinstown, Shankill.



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 Saturday 5.30pm vigil Mass and the Friday 10am Mass in the side chapel

www.churchservices.tv/cabinteely

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You can contact St Vincent de Paul at www.svp.ie or by phoning 01-8550022.

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

FEAST DAYS

Tues 8th. - The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat Sept 5th — 5.30pm

Pauline Barker Benfield — RIP

Helen O'Leary — Anniversary

William & Nell Noonan —Anniversaries

Frank Murray—Birthday Remembrance

Sunday Sept 6th — 10am

Lyn Mason— 11th Anniversary

Annette Connolly—Birthday Remembrance

Sunday Sept 6th — 12.30pm

Marian Clarke — 5th Anniversary

Bridgie Devine — Recently Deceased

Robert Barr—10th Anniversary

Don McDonald—25th Anniversary

May O'Donnell — Anniversary

Monday - 10am

Michael Murray—Recently Deceased

Tues—10am

Sé Quirke — Birthday Remembrance
Special Intention

Thurs—10am

Mary O'Boyle—Anniversary

Friday –10am

John Canniffe—Recently Deceased

PLEASE TAKE HOME A COPY OF

"Our local conference of **St. Vincent de Paul** will hold their usual monthly Collection at all masses NEXT weekend (the 12th & 13th Sept). The team would like to sincerely thank all those who support us regularly. If you are struggling and need their help, you can contact us at www.svp.ie or by calling 01-8550022"

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Resumes Thursday Sept 17th Sept
10.45 to 12noon. **ALL WELCOME**

Centering Prayer

"Be still and know that I am God" psalm 46:1
If you would like to know more about/experience this ancient form of silent Christian prayer join us on Wednesday evenings at 7pm in the parish centre. Restarting on Wed. 16th Sept. Enquiries to Siobhan Semple 086 3778085

Memory Walk takes place on **Sun, 20th Sept** with walks happening at locations all around the country. Participants simply register online through the Memory Walk website and choose the location they'd like to attend or you can also register and do your own walk. Once registered, they'll receive all the information they need ahead of the event in their Memory Walk Pack, including t-shirt and details of where to gather on the day. You can find out more/
<https://alzheimer.ie/memory-walk-locations-2026/>

Sincere thanks to **Cabinteely's Men Shed**, particularly Dan & Pat who very kindly undertook a renovation project this week in the parish centre. They expertly replaced the cabinet doors on our kitchen and its looking brand new. **Thank you so much.**

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

Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its monthly Parent Support Evening on **Mon 14th Sept at 7.30pm in the Maldron Hotel, Whitestown Way, Tallaght**. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age the 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

The Irish Cancer Society is seeking compassionate volunteer drivers to join our pool of drivers. As a volunteer driver you would be bringing patients undergoing chemotherapy to the hospital and back home for their treatment. Gifting your time means that cancer patients will have comfortable (one on one) transport to attend appointments for their lifesaving treatment. If you can spare 2 days per month, have a valid driving licence, and a safe, reliable vehicle, you are the perfect candidate to make a significant difference. The Irish Cancer Society will provide you with training before you start as a driver for us. Your generosity not only eases the journey for many during a challenging time but also offers comfort and support when it's needed most. For more information and to become a volunteer driver, please contact Monica or Emily at volunteer@irishcancer.ie

Barnardos Giving Day takes place on **Friday 18th September** with a very exciting one day takeover of Ireland's Classic Hits Radio. The station will also be broadcasting live from Dundrum Town Centre – and that's where you can help! **We are looking for friendly volunteers to help our bucket collection in Dundrum Shopping Centre between 10am and 8pm, shifts are flexible throughout the day. We also require bucket collection volunteers Saturday 12th September at The Square Tallaght - Flexible shifts between 10am and 7pm.** Every hour you give will help us raise vital funds for services that support vulnerable children and their families. No matter how long you can spare, your time will make the world of difference to them.

If you're free to join us, simply reply to jo.garry@barnardos.ie who will follow up with you. Feel free to invite a friend or colleague to get Involved too – the more the merrier!

Thank you for your continued support. Together we can help improve the lives of children and make a lasting difference – **because childhood lasts a lifetime.**