



BEAUMONT PARISH

Church of the Nativity of Our Lord

Parish Newsletter 21st August 2022



MASSES

Monday to Friday: 10:00
Saturday Morning: 10:00
Bank Holidays: 11:00
Saturday at 18:00 (in anticipation)
Sunday at 10:00 am (Solemn) & 12:00 pm.

The 10am Mass is broadcast daily by webcam & telephone

CONFESSIONS

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated in the confessionals after the 10am and 6pm Masses on Saturdays.

CHURCH OPENING TIMES

Monday to Friday: 07:00 - 19:00.
Saturdays & Sundays: 09:45 - 19:00.
Weekdays when the school is closed: 09:45 - 19:00

BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism is normally celebrated on the first and third Saturdays of each month at 12.30pm. Please contact the Parish Office to complete a registration form and to arrange the Baptism.



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MASS INTENTIONS

(FROM SATURDAY 20TH AUG - SATURDAY 27TH AUG 2022)

Saturday 6pm		
Sunday 10am	Robert Laird	Anniversary
Sunday 12pm	Declan McHugh	10 th Anniversary
	Laurence Dodd	5 th Anniversary
Monday 10am	Mary Thomas	Special Intention
Tuesday 10am		
Wednesday 10am		
Thursday 10am	Paddy Neylon	2 nd Anniversary
Friday 10am		
Saturday 10am	Gertie Lawlor	Anniversary

If you would like your Mass intentions to be included in the parish newsletter, please submit them to the Parish Office on or before the Tuesday preceding the requested date of the Mass.

COLLECTIONS SUNDAY 14TH AUG

First Collection	€829
Second Collection	€772.10
Envelope	€1401.50
Upkeep	€41

Thanks to all who generously support our collections

MONTHLY COLLECTIONS

June Tap to Donate	€1002
June Standing Orders	€2,790.43

Many thanks for your continued support and generosity

BAPTISMS

We congratulate and welcome the following people into our Parish:

Oisín Aaron Thompson
Jack Peter Redmond
Ria Sophie McDermott
Jay Richard Hanna
James Aiden Gibbons



RECENTLY DECEASED

We express our deepest sympathies to the families of:

Denis McKenna – Elm Mount Road
Sister Tryphonia Joanes – Beaumont
Maura Morton – Montrose Drive

May They Rest in Peace. Amen.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"There is but one door of salvation and Christ said, 'I am the door.'"
--- Charles H. Spurgeon

ARCHDIOCESE OF DUBLIN OFFICIAL PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

The Archdiocese would like to invite parishioners to join the Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes as Associates. To become an Associate, please enrol your intentions on the special blue sheets after Mass this weekend, which will be placed at the grotto when the Archbishop celebrates Mass there during the pilgrimage. Associate members are invited to make a voluntary offering. The money that is collected from the Associate Membership will help to defray the expenses of the pilgrimage. Mass will be offered for all the Associate Members at the Grotto in Lourdes. It will also be possible to enrol in the Associate Membership in the Parish Office during the week.

FUNERAL TEAM (FRED NEEDS HELP!)

Some new volunteers are urgently needed for the funeral team. The Funeral Team assist by carrying the cross and candles at funerals and by their prayerful presence. Attendance at any particular funeral is at your own discretion and we can work around your availability. Full training will be given. If you are interested please contact the Parish Office or talk to Fred – 087 287 0226

PATHWAYS: EXPLORING FAITH AS AN ADULT

Pathways is a two-year, one evening a week, Adult Faith Development course on Thursday evenings, run by the Dublin Archdiocese in DCU St. Patrick's Campus, Upper Drumcondra Rd., Dublin 9.

Late September to May (7.00p.m. – 9.30p.m). Application is now open for September 2022. **Early application advised.** Contact: [Pathways Director, Eileen Houlahan at \(01\) 8087594 or pathways@dublindiocese.ie](mailto:PathwaysDirector, Eileen Houlahan at (01) 8087594 or pathways@dublindiocese.ie).

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CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

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The difficulty will not me offend,
For I perceive the way to life lies here.
Come, pluck up, heart, let's neither faint nor fear.
Better, though difficult, the right way to go,
Than wrong, though easy, where the end is woe."

John Bunyan, *The Pilgrims Progress*

CARE FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Mass is broadcast daily at 10am on the parish website, by telephone (018477740, option 6) and by Parish Radio.

If you know somebody in the Parish who would like to receive a visit from a priest for Confession, Holy Communion and/or the Sacrament of the Sick, please contact the Parish Office.

LEGION OF MARY CENTENARY CONCERT

To mark the 100th year anniversary of the Legion of Mary, a concert will take place in St Patricks Cathedral, Dublin, on Saturday 3rd September. Special guests include Celine Byrne, the Dublin Concert Band, Lorraine Mathews. Book tickets at: www.eventbrite.ie

BOOKS AVAILABLE IN PASTORAL CENTRE

There are a selection of popular fiction books available in the pastoral centre if anyone would like to take them. The pastoral centre is opened between 10am and 1pm Monday to Friday.

WORLD YOUTH DAY – LISBON 2023

Parishes and Individuals are now invited to register their interest in either attending WYD Lisbon or organising a parish group to participate.

World Youth Day will take place August 1 to 6 in Lisbon 2023. Those in our parish between the ages of 16 and 29 who may like to attend are asked to contact the Parish Office to register their interest.

CASA COLLECTION

There will be a collection outside the church gates this Sunday the 21st of August after 10.00 and 12.00 Mass for CASA – the Caring and Sharing Association supporting people with disabilities.

ST BERNARDS PRAYER TO THE VIRGIN MARY

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother. To thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy, hear and answer me. Amen.



ON THIS DAY IN CHRISTIAN HISTORY

August 20, 1912: William Booth, founder and first General of the Salvation Army, dies. His Christian movement spread from London, England, to many parts of the world and is known for being one of the largest distributors of humanitarian aid.

ST BERNARD OF CLAIRVAUX (1090 – 1153)

On August 20 the Church celebrates the feast day of St. Bernard of Clairvaux, a Doctor of the Church thanks to his writings and sermons which greatly influenced Europe during the 12th century, and his numerous efforts which helped to avoid a schism in the Church in 1130. Bernard was a man of great holiness and wisdom, and although he was often in very poor health, he was active in many of the great public debates of the time. He strongly opposed the luxurious lives of some of the clergy, and fought against the persecution of the Jews. He was also a prolific writer, of an inspiring rather than a technical kind. Bernard was canonized just 21 years after his death by Pope Alexander III.



Christ Embracing St Bernard
By Francisco Ribalta