Most Holy Rosary Parish, Midleton

Parish Newsletter March 12th 2017



Your prayers are requested for the repose of the following souls: Moss McCarthy, Seán Keohane, Rosaleen Cashman (nee Rose O'Donovan), John O'Brien, Patrick (Paddy) Barry, Brendan Hennessy, Marian Barton, John J. O'Donovan,

May they rest in Peace

We welcome the new member of our Parish Community:

Dylan Denis Walsh

who was recently Baptised

Special Blessing For Expectant Parents

At all Masses on the weekend of 25th and 26th March, there will be a special Blessing for those expecting babies in the coming months. This weekend was chosen as the Feast of the Annunciation is celebrated on March 25th, remembering the joyful acceptance of Mary to be the Mother of Jesus, in response to the Archangel Gabriel's message. We welcome all expectant parents in a special and loving way.

Jesus teaches us how to Pray

"When Jesus prays he is already teaching us how to pray. His prayer to his Father is the path of faith, hope and charity of our prayer to God. But the Gospel also gives us Jesus' explicit teaching on prayer. Like a wise teacher he takes hold of us where we are and leads us progressively towards the Father. Addressing the crowds following him, Jesus builds on what they already know of prayer from the Old Covenant and opens to them the newness of the coming Kingdom. Then he reveals this newness to them in parables. Finally, he will speak openly of the Father and the Holy Spirit to his disciples who will be the teachers of prayer in his Church."

from paragraph 2007 of The Catechism of the Catholic Church

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Feast of our National Patron is a Holy Day of Obligation. Vigil Mass at 6.10pm on Thursday – Masses on Friday morning as on Sunday. The 10.30am Mass will be <u>As Gaeilge</u>. There will be <u>no</u> 7.30pm Mass on the Feast Day

This is an occasion when we think of our Emigrants and remember them in our prayers. The collection on St. Patrick's Day goes entirely towards supporting the Irish abroad and people are asked to be as generous as possible.

RURAL STATIONS

<u>Ballyspillane & Killeendooling:</u> Friday March 24th in the home of Josephine and Brendan McGrath at 7.30pm

<u>Kilbree, Kilorga, Gurteenina</u>, <u>Attiquin</u>: Thursday, 30th March 7.30pm at the home of Mary O'Brien

<u>Cahermone & Carrigshane</u>: Friday 31st March 7.30pm at the home of Olive & Denis O'Brien

The following Stations will be celebrated in Holy Rosary Church on Wednesday, March 22nd: Elfordstown & Gurtacrue; Broomfield & Killeagh; Milltown & Bilberry.

All Ballinacurra Stations will take place in the GAA Pavilion on Thursday March 23rd at 7. 00pm.



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