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Mon—Sat;
11.00 am
Sat; 6.00 pm
Vigil
Sun; 8.30 &
11.30 am

MASS TIMES:



NEWSLETTER

DUBLIN DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE

The Annual Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes comes an end this weekend. During the Pilgrimage, led Archbishop Farrell, remembered All in prayer especially the Sick. An unusual aspect of our Pilgrimage this time was the use of the Accueil, where the Sick on pilgrimage usually reside with many young and not so young Helpers caring for them. However, those who did travel took part in the Torchlight and Blessed Sacrament Processions as well as Masses, Baths, and Stations of the Cross and Rosaries.

SAINT VINCENT De PAUL SOCIETY

For those experiencing hardship, The Society of St Vincent de Paul are there to lend support. Contact their Head Office (01) 8550022 and they will in turn make contact with you by way of their Local Conference.

SACRAMENTS

Parents presenting their children for **First Holy Communion** and/or **Confirmation** will need a **Baptism Certificate** from their **Church of Baptism**. A child **MUST** be Baptised in order to be presented for these Sacraments. So, if a child has NOT been Baptised, **NOW** is the time to make the arrangements with the Parish please.

COMMUNION TO HOUSEBOUND/SICK

The Sick and or Housebound are welcome to contact the Parish Office to arrange a call with Holy Communion. The Office will contact the person requiring the call or a Family member to make arrangements.

NEW FUNERAL TEAM MEMBERS

The Diocese are offering training for new members of Funeral Ministry Teams over three sessions on Wed 28th September, 19th October and 23rd November from 7.30-9.30pm in the Mission and Ministry Centre of St Paul's Church, Aran Quay. Further Information at (01) 8087572

PARISHES WORKING TOGETHER

After the Summer Break, the meetings to help our three Parishes to work together more effectively will resume. With the guidance of Jim Deeds, our Facilitator, we hope to continue the process already begun. May the Lord hear our prayers as a Community of shared faith and proclaim that faith in answer to our prayers and our changing times.



CALL TO MINISTRY

We have been blessed over the years with Parishioners who have in many cases 'given their all' by giving of themselves in Ministry. As Ministers of the Eucharist, Proclaiming the Word of God, etc. we pay tribute to them for their generosity and commitment to their various roles. As we thank them, we also learn from their example. So, an invitation is extended to all those who have **Not as yet** shared their call to be Ministers of the Eucharist, Proclaimers of the Word/Readers, Collectors, Musicians/Singers etc. Training will be provided for those who volunteer and the healthy tradition of service will be passed on. Think about it and, please God, we will welcome New Faces to serve our parish community as we celebrate our faith together.

CROSSCARE COLLECTION

The Annual Crosscare Collection takes place next weekend 17/18 September at all Masses. Crosscare is the Diocesan Agency to assist those in need. The on-going housing crisis and rising living costs significantly affect the most vulnerable. Crosscare tries to help those trying to avoid homelessness; their Food Poverty Support has helped over 600 families in less than a year! Your support is needed in their **Annual Appeal**.

Twenty Fourth Sunday
11th September 2022