



ST. GABRIEL'S NOTES



8th December 2013



St. Vincent de Paul Sunday

The Second Collection at all Masses today is the annual National appeal for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

It replaces the usual Share Collection.

Christmas cards in aid of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul are available in the Parish office, €6 for pack of 12.

Vincent's Shop in Coolock is open every Sunday till Christmas 12-4 pm

Do This in Memory

We welcome all the boys and girls preparing for their First Holy Communion and their families to the 12.00 Family Mass this Sunday for this month's special Mass as part of their preparation.



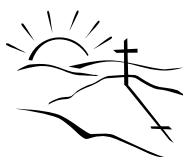
TOY SUNDAY!

On behalf of those less fortunate, we thank you for bringing your gifts of toys to be given to families in need this Christmas



Rest in Peace

We extend our sincere sympathy to the family and friends of **Lorcan Murphy**, Dollymount Park, whose funeral took place here on Saturday. May he rest in peace.



Christmas Choral Extravaganza in St. Gabriel's Church

Next Sunday 15th December at 8pm

40-Piece Orchestra, Guest Soloists
All four choirs from St. Gabriel's
Choirs and soloists from all
Clontarf/Dollymount churches

Tickets €10 available in the parish office.

Proceeds in aid of Central Remedial Clinic - Following the recent controversy regarding the CRC we have received an email from Veron Elliott of their Fundraising Department, confirming that funds received from our concert will be ring-fenced for the purchase of assessment equipment for their occupational therapy or speech therapy departments.

We hope that these matters will not stop you coming and enjoying what promises to be a truly spectacular evening of music and song.

Thanks

Many thanks for the HUGE response to Crosscare's appeal for food last weekend. Collections continue for each Sunday of Advent and items may be left in the baskets in the Church.

Crosscare vans collected all the stuff on Tuesday and will return again each week.

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St. Gabriel's Notes also available on www.stgabrielsparish.ie



Mass Intentions

Sunday 8th December

Sat 6.00 † Tom Ryan (16thA)
 Sun 9am † Mary & Denis Murnane (A)
 10.30 † Jack Smith (9thA)
 12 pm † Bridget Murray (50thA)
 6.00 pm † Marie Milligan RIP
 Mon 10am MASS FOR THE SICK
 Tues 10am † Bridie Rusk RIP
 Wed. 10am † Peggy Hickey (2ndA)
 Thurs 10am † Diane Blaisdell, RIP
 Fri. 10am † Dan Hampson (A)
 Sat 10.30 † Roger & Mary Kelly (A)

Sunday 15th December

Sat 6.00 † Brian Malone (10thA)
 Sun 9am † Mary & Denis Murnane (A)
 10.30 † ALTAR LIST OF THE DEAD
 12 pm † Dermot Kavanagh RIP
 6.00 pm † Jim & Alice Lee (A)



A Treat for All of Us

Belgrove Senior Boys
 will come to the Church for their Carol
 Service on Friday next, 13th Dec. at 11.30

The Senior Girls
 will come on the following Monday, 16th Dec.
 also at 11.30

The confidential phone no. for the St. Vincent de
 Paul society is **087 2733961**

St. Gabriel's Seniors Club

Tues 10th Dec Art with Eleanor at 10.30
 Go for Life class 12.15pm
 NO Ballroom dancing until the new year.
 Creative Writing Fri 2pm
New Year Celebration Wed. 8th Jan.
 Radisson Blu Hotel Stillorgan. Lunch &
 afternoon entertainment with Bryan Hoey.
 Coach transfer from / to St. Gabriel's Parish
 Centre. Cost €40. Book your ticket in the
 Parish Centre tues. 10th Dec 11.30-12.15
Tues. 17th Dec Final morning for 2013
 Special Christmas celebration at 10.30 –
 mulled wine, mince pies, music & fun. Music
 provided by Tomás Foxe

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Last year, through the generosity of one
 parishioner, the Parish Centre was opened
 every evening from Christmas to New
 Year's Eve for anyone who might be on their
 own or looking for a bit of company.

This year we journeyed in hope, love and
 prayer towards a renewed Parish and a
 deeper sense of community. Christmas
 Cheer was mentioned many times as a true
 example of community spirit working and
 this Christmas we want to repeat it, but with
 more volunteers helping each evening.

A meeting will be held in the Sacristy next
 Tuesday at 7.30 to decide what we have to
 do to build on last year's success.

Everyone is welcome or if you have any
 queries please phone Anne in the Parish
 office on 8333602.

MASS TIMES

St. Gabriel's

Sat 6.00 pm
 Sun 9.00 am (*As Gaeilge*)
 10.30 am;
 12.00 (*Family Mass*)
 6.00 pm (*Youth Mass*)

St. John's

Sat 6.00 pm
 Sun 10.00 am (*Family*)
 11.15 am
 12.30 pm (*Youth*)

St. Anthony's

Sat 7.00 pm
 Sun 10.00 am (*Family*)
 11.30 am