Celebrating the Liturgy

Weekend Mass Times Confessions

Sat. (Vigil) 6.30pm Saturday after 10.00am Mass

Sunday: 10.00am & 12 Noon 5.30 - 6.15pm

Weekday: **Adoration of Blessed Sacrament**

Monday 7.30pm Wed. & Thurs. 10.30am – 9.00pm

Sat. 10.30am - 12.00 Noon Tues - Sat. 10.00am

Divine Office Marriage

Morning Prayer: Mon. 10.00am 6 months notice required

(Followed by Rosary) Please contact Fr McGrady

Thurs: 10am (followed by Mass)

Baptism

1st & 3rd Sundays of the month at 1.15pm

Contact the parish office to book - One month's notice is required.

Knock Pilgrimage

St Pio Weekend 14th & 15th September Overnight accommodation and all meals in Park Hotel Cost £120 For details and booking please contact Lucy Cranney 90742589

All Ireland Rally For Life

Saturday 6th July in Dublin. The Rally will be preceded with the celebration of a Special Mass in St Saviour's Church in Dominick Street at 12.30pm and followed by a Rosary Procession to the Rally assembly point at Parnell Square. Please make a big effort to attend and make your voice heard.

For further information contact: 028 90278484

Trust Library

Please feel free to borrow any reading material. We hope you find it interesting and trust you will return it when finished. You may donate other reading material, please place on the table or leave in the Parish Office.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje

2nd – 9th October, 7 nights Dubrovnik House Hotel

For further details and full programme contact Rita O'Neill 90623186

Bereavement Support Group

Have you suffered bereavement? If you wish to talk in confidence – please ring the parish office 90610112 leave your name and phone number a member of the Group will contact you.

St. Anne's Parish

Very Reverend Feargal McGrady, PP

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> Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 7th July Psalter Week 2 - Year C

First Reading: Isaiah 66:10-14

The prophet speaks of a time of peace and joy to come. Those who are loyal to the Church, to "Jerusalem" will have no need to fear. God will comfort them. God speaks personally to his people; he will care for them like a mother cares for her young. These words are especially directed to those who rejoice with the Church, but to those who are opposed to the Church and those who persecute it, God promises "fury".

> Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 65 Cry out with joy to God all the earth -

Second Reading: Galatians 6:14-18

Paul speaks about the new creation that has come about with the death our Lord Jesus Christ. In that moment when the world put him to death we can no longer glory in that old world, it is dead to us. We must now be Christ- centered. We must change our minds and our hearts. We are called to live lives of holiness, of good works and to attain the virtues.

Gospel: Luke 10:1-2, 17-20

The time is short before Jesus' death and there is still much to do. He appoints seventy-two of his disciples and commissions them to go to the places he has not yet been on a two-fold mission: to heal and to preach. Healing showed the coming of the Kingdom and in preaching they told all about this Kingdom.

Recently Deceased

Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of: Martin Beare, Carmel Hurl, Frank McKelvey & Mary Allen who died recently. May McHenry whose months mind occurs at this time Mary McCarthy & Felix Mulligan whose anniversaries are at this time, and those whose names are included in the Book of Remembrance. May they rest in peace.

When you thought I wasn't looking!!

A message every parent should read, because your children are watching you and doing as you do, not as you say ...

When you thought I wasn't looking, I saw you hang my first painting on the refrigerator, and I immediately wanted to paint another one.

When you thought I wasn't looking, I saw you feed a stray cat, and I learned that it was good to be kind to animals.

When you thought I wasn't looking, I heard you say a prayer, and I knew there is a God I could always talk to and I learned to trust in God.

When you thought I wasn't looking, I saw you make a meal and take it to a friend who was sick, and I learned that we all have to take care of each other.

When you thought I wasn't looking, I saw you give of your time and money to help people who had nothing left and I learned that those who have something should give to those who do not.

When you thought I wasn't looking, I felt you kiss me good night and I felt loved and safe.

When you thought I wasn't looking, I saw you take care of our house and everyone in it and I learned we have to take care of what we are given.

When you thought I wasn't looking, I saw how you handled your responsibilities, even when you did not feel good and I learned that I would have to be responsible when I grow up.

When you thought I wasn't looking, I saw tears come from your eyes and I learned that sometimes things hurt, but it is all right to cry.

When you thought I wasn't looking, I saw that you cared and I wanted to be everything that I could be.

When you thought I wasn't looking, I learned most of life's lessons that I need to know to be a good and productive person when I grow up.

When you thought I wasn't looking, I looked at you and wanted to say "Thanks for all the things I saw when you thought I wasn't looking".

Please Note.....

Eucharistic Adoration will finish at 6pm on Thursday 11th July.

If Eucharistic Adorers are on holiday please seek a replacement from your friends or family circle.

This is an opportunity to encourage others to "Come and See" Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

If you are unable to provide a replacement please leave your time of absence on the sheet in the Church.

From the Homily of Pope Francis

Christianity isn't a school for teaching a superficial form of being nice to everyone, but it's also not a boot camp where everything is rigidity, rules and long faces, Pope Francis said.

"The Lord calls us to build our Christian life on him, the rock, the one who gives us freedom, the one who sends us the Spirit, who keeps us going with joy on his path, following his proposals," the pope said June 27 during his morning Mass in the Domus Sanctae Marthae.

Pope Francis warned in his homily that too many people today "masquerade as Christians," rejecting either the challenging teachings of Christ and his Gospel or rejecting the joy and freedom the Holy Spirit brings.

"In the history of the church there have been two classes of Christians: Christians of words -- those who say, 'Lord, Lord, Lord' -- and Christians of action, in truth," the pope said.

The Christians who are all talk, he said, fall into two opposing categories: those he defined as "gnostics," who "instead of loving the Rock, love pretty words" and follow a "liquid Christianity" without substance; and those he defined as "Pelagians," who "believe that the Christian life must be taken so seriously that they end up confusing solidity and firmness with rigidity. They are rigid! They think that being Christian means being in perpetual mourning."

Both groups, he said, are missing the key connection to Christ, "the only one who sustains us in difficult times."

"They do not know how to enjoy the life that Jesus gives us because they do not know how to talk to Jesus," the pope said. Because they have no joy, they have no freedom either. They are "slaves of superficiality" or "the slaves of rigidity."

Parish Finance

The weekly collection amounted to £2014.90

Sincere thanks for your continued generosity

Altar Society: Church Cleaners: Group B this week

New Cleaners urgently required to join our dedicated team!