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

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

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.

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.

Ceili Dance Class

Is now in full swing every **Wednesday night** at 8.30pm in the Parish Centre Come along, enjoy the craic! All proceeds to Fr Tony Coney.

Fr Liam Lawton

Will be performing in concert in St Mary's Church, Rasharkin on 23rd October @8.00pm. Tickets for the concert are £18, for ticket details contact 028 2957 2072 or 077 1140 5945

Tickets can also be purchased on-line through the parish website, <u>www.stmarysparishrasharkin.org</u> (additional £1.50)

For information concert, please contact the numbers above or email info@stmarysparishrasharkin.org

KUDOS ACADEMY

P6/7 Maths and English Tuition in St. Anne's Parish Hall.

We are now taking bookings for Primary 6 children for our classes beginning in February 2015. Classes will be held on Tuesday from 4.30pm - 5.45pm and also from 6.00pm - 7.15pm. Please visit www.kudosacademy.org

Dunmurry History & Heritage Group

Next Meeting will be held in Beechlawn Hotel, Dunmurry on:

Monday 20th October at 11am

Speaker: Des O'Reilly – Theme: The Colin River A Journey Through Time

St. Anne's Parish

Very Reverend Feargal McGrady, PP

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Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time 19th October 2014 Year A Psalter Week 4

First Reading: Isaiah 45:1, 4-6

The prophet, who lived in Babylon with the exiled Jews. Proclaims that God is the Lord, not only of the Jews, but of all human history and of the whole world. God has chosen the Babylonian leader Cyrus to be the instrument by whom God would bring back his people from exile so they would praise the one true God and make God's sovereignty know from the rising to the setting of the sun.

Responsorial Psalm: 95 Give the Lord glory and power -

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5

These five verses are the oldest lines in the New Testament, the first to be written down. They are the introduction to a letter which St Paul wrote to some converts in the city of Thessolonika, which he visited in 50AD. He begins with a greeting and then praises them for their fidelity to God. He assures them of his prayers and that they might be blessed by the Gifts of the Holy Spirit.

Gospel: Matthew 22:15-21

The word "Pharisee means separated or set apart and although there were many good people among them they usually looked down on the ordinary people of their day. In this gospel they join with the Herodians in an attempt to trap Jesus into conflict. The answer of Jesus is the basis on which his followers fulfil their dual obligations both as citizens of the society in which they live and to the Kingdom to which they belong in faith.

Recently Deceased

Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of:
Eugene (Owen) McKenna, Enda Dolan & Brendan Doran who died recently
Phylis & John McGoldrick, Mary McAleenan, Alphonsus Weir, ,
whose anniversaries are at this time and those whose names are in the Book of
Remembrance. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Christian Aid

Are urging that we take action on Climate Change. Their slogan is..

"Hunger for Justice – Act and pray for our own climate" – 18th -19th October.

They would like people to contact their local politicians and ask them what they are doing about Climate Change. They also recommend prayers so that we have a change of heart about our responsibility for this important matter. A Prayer has been prepared for use at Adoration and is printed below, there are also copies in the porch, please take a copy and visit for prayer. Dunmurry Church of Ireland – Church Avenue are holding a special service on Sunday 19th October at 11.30am which will incorporate Climate Change. St Anne's parishioners are invited to attend if you have a spare moment.

Hunger for Justice - Prayer

Lord, you are our rock, our fortress and our strength; guide us, lead us and have mercy on us.

We thank you for the precious gift of your earth, in all its beauty and fragility. Through it we are each bound to one another in a million ways. For the sake of those facing rising temperatures, drought and water shortages, strengthen our movement for climate change. For the sake of those facing unpredictable weather, disrupted seasons and failed crops, bless our leaders to work together to find positive, lasting solutions.

For the sake of all those who feel the impact of our changing climate, the poor and the vulnerable, bring the hope of a brighter, cleaner future.

Lord hear our prayer and fill our hearts with a hunger for justice.

In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen

Christian Aid

LIVING YOUTH Habitat for Humanity Ethiopia Team 2015:

Following on from our successful Habitat for Humanity projects over the past two years Living Youth is excited to announce recruitment for another youth team due to travel to Ethiopia next summer. Provisional dates: 20 July - 3 August 2015. Applicants should be 18 years or over and all team members will be expected to contribute to the cost of the trip as well as engage in an extensive fundraising campaign. For more information and details of online applications please contact:

Claire Smylie* (028 90232432 8 info@livingyouthni.org Closing Date for Applications: Monday 3rd November 2014

Parish Finance

The weekly collection amounted to £1819.72

Sincere thanks for your continued generosity

Altar Society: Church Cleaners: Group C this week

Mission Sunday.

Today is Mission Sunday. It is the day when we are being asked to dig into our hearts to assist the young local church overseas..

We are being called to play our part in helping to bring the word of God to those who most hunger for it in the form of support for our many young churches. "That they may have life" is our theme for Mission Month and as such our spiritual and financial offerings are crucial for the work of the Church overseas.

Your generous contribution today will be sent in its' entirety to support our mission projects. We can't do it without you. Large or small, it makes a difference and thank you for your help.

World Missions Ireland 64 Lower Rathmines Rpoad, www.wmi.ie

November- The Month of the Holy Souls

How about abstaining from Alcohol this month?

For further information, please contact:

www.pioneersassociation.ie or telephone Pioneer Office on 028 90894070

Concerned About Hereditary Cancer?

Action Cancer is holding an event on the topic of hereditary cancer. The focus will be on gynae, breast and bowel cancers. The event will explore who is at risk, the genetic testing process and support services available. Open to anyone who has been affected by hereditary cancer or is interested in finding out more. Keynote speaker is Professor Patrick Morrison, leading medical consultant in Northern Ireland . To be held in Ramada Hotel, Shaws Bridge, Belfast On: 7th November 2014. To register call Action Cancer 028 9080 3344

Divine Mercy Holy Hour

Thursday, 30th October 7.30pm Church of the Nativity, Poleglas – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, singing of the Divine Mercy Chaplet and Mass.

St. Anne's Parish Pastoral Council

Radharc Documentary Films

Please note that due to unforeseen circumstance the third of our screenings of these films will now take place on:

Friday, October 24th at 7.00 pm in St Anne's Parish Centre and NOT on Friday 31st October as previously advertised.

The Films to be shown are:

Radharc Derry 1964

Communities of Faith: The Emmanuel Community 1997

The Council hopes that this change of date will not now make it inconvenient for anyone previously intending to come and would be grateful if friends could be informed. For further information visit www.radharc.ie or www.radharcfilms.com Free admission, tea & coffee will be served, small donation will be welcome!