#### **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:**

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> 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.

#### **Annual Legion of Mary Rosary Procession**

On Sunday 5th October, leaves St John's Church, Falls Road at 3pm processing to St Agnes Church where there will be a short service of Benediction. Refreshments afterwards. Rosary beads and leaflets provided. All welcome.

#### Parish of St Teresa of Avila ---- Festival of Flowers

To celebrate the 5<sup>th</sup> Centenary of the Birth of St. Teresa of Avila (28<sup>th</sup> March 1515) a Festival of Flowers, based on her life and work will take place in the Church of St. Teresa of Avila, Glen Road, from 11<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> Oct. (11am to 4pm) Everyone welcome. Refreshments available in the Parish Centre.

#### St Anne's PTA

Bus trip to Kildare Outlets on **Saturday 11th October** Tickets £20.

Return Luxury Coach Departs: 8:30am - Returns approx. 8pm
Enjoy a VIP Shopping experience at Kildare Outlet Village inc.

VIP Coupons Tea/Coffee in VIP Lounge with
Optional Afternoon Tea @ €15 per person
to book a seat on the bus please contact Anne on 07762936262 or email:

stannesparentsassoc@gmail.com

#### **Ballroom Dancing Classes**

Commence on **Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> September** at 8.15pm in the Parish Centre Everyone Welcome!!!!!!!

## St. Anne's Parish

### Very Reverend Feargal McGrady, PP

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# Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time 28<sup>th</sup> September 2014 Year A Psalter Week 2

#### First Reading: Ezekiel 18:25-28

A sinner's conversion means so much to God that he forgets all the sin that has gone before and showers the convert with mercy and life. This may seem unfair to those who count on their own self-righteousness. In their desire for justice (a justice on their terms), they have forgotten mercy and have alienated themselves from God who is love. Love demands a total gift of self and not a calculating reliance on our own righteousness.

### Responsorial Psalm: 24 Remember your mercy, Lord -

#### Second Reading: Phillippians 2:1-11

Paul appeals to our life in Christ, to the Spirit we have in common, to love, tenderness and sympathy in urging the community to be united in love. He gets to the core of what being a Christian is so as to encourage us to live as Christian's. Humility is the key to putting others first. And in Jesus we have the perfect example, who "was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross".

#### **Gospel: Matthew 21:28:32**

In Jesus' parable the vineyard can again be seen to represent Israel or the Church. All are called to work in it. Yet, it is not what we say that counts but what we do. Sometimes, by our words, we can convince ourselves that we are doing the Lord's work, when in fact we have not even entered the vineyard. Our self-righteousness and pride blinds us to the task.

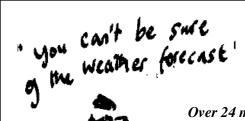
#### **Recently Deceased**

Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of:
Samuel Tracey who died recently
Barbara McKenna, Walery Wiegowski, Jim McKee, Gabrielle Durkan,
Denis O'Callaghan & William McCann
whose anniversaries are at this time and those whose names are in the Book of Remembrance. May they rest in peace. Amen.

#### **St Anne's One World Group**

Fairtrade & Secondhand Book Stall after all masses next weekend. 4<sup>th</sup> / 5<sup>th</sup> October - Traidcraft Goods, cards etc. will be availabe & a wide range of S/H Books Tea Coffee and Juice.

Come along & show your support



#### The ALPHA COURSE

answers all the big questions;

- \* Why are people leaving the Church?
- \* Why does God allow suffering?
- \* How can we forgive wrongdoing?
- \* Does God always answer prayer?

Over 24 million people in 169 countries have experienced ALPHA.

In partnership with Lowe Memorial, Finaghy, join us, St Anne's at Balmoral Golf Club at 7 15 on Wed 1st October. The course will run throughout Oct/Nov. \* listen to a short talk share food

\* discuss the big questions

' in the UK, Holy Trinity Brompton, the Church that pioneered ALPHA, has become a model of vibrancy within the Anglican Church, teeming with young adults and inspiring many other Churches across the world '

....The Irish Times. Sept. 9th 2014 More info from alphafinaghy@gmail.com or phone the Church office 02890610112.

#### **Important Message**

The St. Vincent de Paul as a Christian Society strives to help genuinely needy people. Neither poverty nor the Society discriminates. Sadly and increasingly we have bogus callers who abuse the Christian generosity of our parishioners whose support we depend on. It is difficult to refuse someone who presents as "seemingly" distressed as we may mistake the genuine for the bogus but we ask parishioners to direct anyone who approaches them seeking help, either at their homes or in the church to call 90601899 or 90351561.

Thank you for all your support of our work.

#### Regional Cenacle of the Movement of Priests & Laity

St. Peter's the Rock

**Saturday 4th October 2014** 10.30 am - 4.00 pm Bring packed lunch!

#### **Oueen's Handball Club**

New members welcome....... We train on Wednesdays from 5.30pm/8pm. Anyone interested would be welcome at training any Wednesday or contact Richard on 07860895505 or John on 07796338934

#### **Preparing for the Sacraments**

Parents whose children attend schools other than St. Anne's Primary School and wish to have their children enrolled in the Parish for the Sacraments of: First Penance, First Holy Communion and Confirmation should contact the Parish Office immediately with their details. Preparation Classes starting soon.

#### St. Anne's Parish Pastoral Council

Classic documentary film screenings in St. Anne's Parish Centre opening performances Friday October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7.00 pm

Produced by the internationally renowned Radharc Films Company, and screened on RTE when transmissions were not available in the North of Ireland, these special showings offer audiences first time opportunities to see truly inspirational films made to bring reports from around the world on the theme of the Christian gospels understood in their widest sense.

Thus the subjects included human rights, faith, religion, injustices, Irish Christian heritage and struggles against persecution. In total some 400 thirty minutes films were transmitted from the 60's to the 90's, bringing wide-spread acclaim to the production teams headed by two young Dublin priests sent to the USA to learn the skills of modern day film production. And indeed the background to the making of theses films is a story for another occasion.

So join us in the Parish Centre for the showings of the first two films brought to you by the Parish Pastoral Council. Admission is free, tea and coffee will be served, and if you wish, a small donation to help cover the cost of buying the films would be very welcome.

Film 1: John the 23<sup>rd</sup>, Man of the Century (1990) and Film 2: Malachy of Armagh (1982. Narrated by Cyril Cusack)

Doors open 6.30. Films commence at 7.00

For further information visit www.radharc.ie or www.radharcfilms.com

"The Irish Pilgrimage Trust would like to invite children and young adults with special needs on our annual pilgrimage/holiday to Lourdes at Easter. If you would like an application form or to receive more information, please contact Janine Kelly on 07703281899 or visit our Trust website, www.irishpilgrimagetrust.com.

Applications close 31st October 2014.'

#### **Parish Finance**

The weekly collection amounted to £1918.75 Sincere thanks for your continued generosity Altar Society: Church Cleaners: Group D this week