

Archdiocese of Dublin

SHARE

NEWSLETTER

November 9/10, 2024

A message from Archbishop Dermot Farrell

I am writing to you today about Share, the Diocesan Development Fund, the second collection at Sunday Mass, which depends wholly on the generosity of parishioners across the Archdiocese. Contributions to Share have not fully recovered since COVID-19. I appeal to you today to consider increasing your contribution throughout the year to this important fund which reflects practically our solidarity, support and care for each other as Church across the Archdiocese.

At this time in the Archdiocese, through the *Building Hope* initiative, we are learning to renew parish life by engaging in conversation, listening to each other, and working together in partnerships of parishes. The recently published *Building Hope Pastoral Strategic Planning Resource 2025–2027* provides us with a real possibility of looking together at new ways of expressing our cherished Catholic tradition, vision and way of life.

Through your contributions to Share, essential support for these significant parish and partnership conversations, and planning for the future, is offered from our diocesan offices. As well as day-to-day support, and the provision of important governance policies and guidelines, the personnel in these offices are available for consultation, training, formation and guidance concerning local pastoral, education, strategic leadership, safeguarding and communications initiatives, and in meeting statutory obligations in administrative and operational matters such as finance and fundraising, property, health and safety, and data protection.

The Mission & Ministry team provides continuing pastoral



development support for our parishes and partnerships of parishes. They accompany teams, offering training and formation opportunities, and support the development of voluntary ministries in parishes across the Archdiocese.

While the purpose of the Share collection has evolved over the years, it is a significant source of funding and encouragement in the Archdiocese, strengthening parish life and ministry.

Importantly, Share also provides much needed financial support to disadvantaged parishes where alternative funding cannot be secured. It is necessary for all of us to become more aware of the challenges faced in different parishes in our Diocese. Through Share we

show practical support for parishes beyond our own parish partnership, particularly those in most need.

Scripture today rejoices in those who give generously from the little they have (Mark 12:41–44): 'Jar of meal shall not be spent; jug of oil shall not be emptied' (1 Kings 17:14). What a difference we can make to others when we share what we have with them. We may never fully know the value and impact of our generosity to others.

Thank you in anticipation for giving what you can on this Share Appeal Sunday, and for your continued support for Share at the second collection every Sunday throughout the year, as together we seek to build up and renew the Church locally.

Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us,



+Dermot Farrell
Archbishop of Dublin

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SHARE RESOURCES AND SUPPORTS PARISHES AND PARISH PARTNERSHIPS AS THEY PRAY, REFLECT AND PLAN TOGETHER



Kirsten Mahon with a break-out group at a workshop in Crumlin



Discussions under way at a recent *Building Hope* workshop at St Mochta's Parish Pastoral Centre, Porterstown



Peter Siney of the Office of Mission & Ministry leading a group at a *Building Hope* workshop in October at the Dominican Retreat Centre in Tallaght



Fr Gareth Byrne, chair of the *Building Hope* Pastoral Strategic Implementation Group, speaking at a meeting in Yellow Walls parish in February

YOUR WEEKLY SUPPORT FOR SHARE HELPS TO SUSTAIN THE LIFE AND MISSION OF THE CHURCH HERE IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF DUBLIN

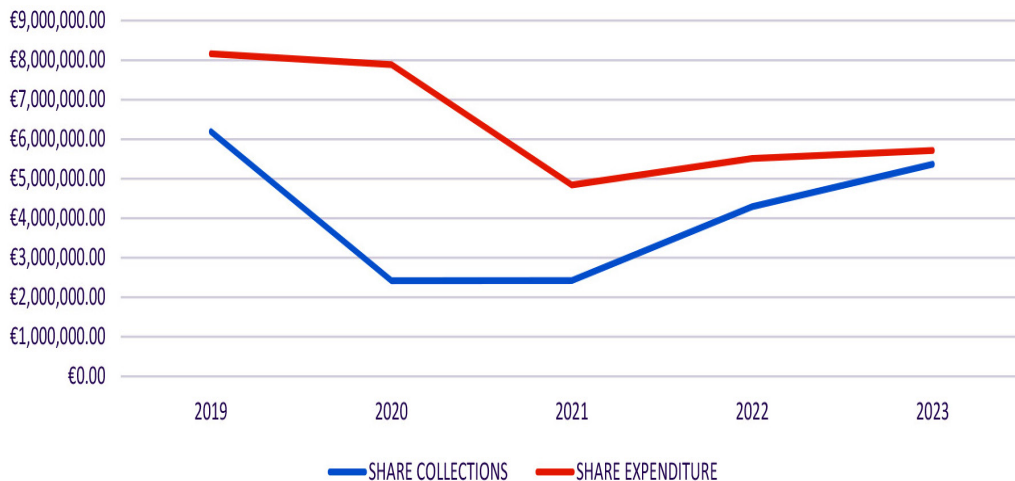


Parish partnerships across the Archdiocese are holding their own meetings, such as this one for the Ringsend, Sandymount and Haddington Road Partnership at the Avila Retreat Centre in March

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SHARE HELPS PARISHES, PRIESTS, DEACONS AND LAY PEOPLE WORKING TOGETHER ON THEIR SHARED MISSION

SHARE FUND COLLECTIONS vs EXPENDITURE 2019–2023



To learn more about how collections, gifts, donations and bequests support the work of the Church in the Archdiocese of Dublin, contact Patricia Clifford at the Office for Financial Development at 01 8087527 or patricia.clifford@dublindiocese.ie

SHARE FUND COLLECTIONS vs EXPENDITURE 2019–2023

YEAR	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	% DECREASE 2019 - 2023
SHARE COLLECTIONS	€6,191,367.00	€2,421,222.00	€2,428,717.00	€4,295,536.00	€5,362,751.00	(13%)
SHARE EXPENDITURE	€8,160,079.00	€7,887,678.00	€4,842,615.00	€5,510,374.00	€5,714,291.00	(30%)

SHARE FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENT

INCOME & EXPENDITURE FOR THE 12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2023

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INCOME	
COLLECTIONS (See list overleaf)	5,363
DONATIONS AND LEGACIES	250
BANK INTEREST & OTHER INCOME	15
	<u>5,628</u>
EXPENDITURE	
ASSISTANCE TO PARISHES (See breakdown on this page)	-728
CENTRAL DIOCESAN ADMINISTRATION SUPPORT SERVICES	-3,163
PARISH PASTORAL WORKERS	-510
MAINTANCE EXPENSES ON SHARE PROPERTIES & DEPRECIATION	-367
CONTRIBUTION TO NATIONAL INITIATIVES	-505
CONTRIBUTION TO THIRD PARTY INITIATIVES	-218
BANK CHARGES	-38
OTHER EXPENSES	-185
	<u>-5,714</u>
OPERATING LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR	-86

ASSISTANCE TO PARISHES

PARISH	AMOUNT€
BALLYFERMOT UPPER	30,000
CHAPELIZOD	17,054
CHERRY ORCHARD	6,000
INCHICORE ST MICHAEL	3,638
JAMES'S STREET	54,000
JOBSTOWN	12,000
KILMORE ROAD WEST	42,454
MULHUDDART	32,635
NEILSTOWN	12,000
PRO-CATHEDRAL	152,000
ROWLAGH	48,000
SAGGART	59,136
SALLYNOGGIN	23,144
ST AUDOEN HIGH STREET	25,860
TRAVELLING PEOPLE	99,257
UNIVERSITY CHURCH	77,000
WESTLAND ROW	33,971
	<u>728,149</u>

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AMOUNTS COLLECTED IN PARISHES AND OTHER CHURCHES IN 2023

ARDLEA	18,964	CLARENDON STREET	59,006	HARTSTOWN	12,479	NEWTOWNPARK	65,126
ARKLOW	46,849	CLOGHER ROAD	18,349	BALLYMORE EUSTACE	4,660	NORTH WILLIAM STREET	6,639
ARTANE	14,569	CLONDALKIN	51,760	HOWTH	15,015	PALMERSTOWN	22,061
ASHFORD	23,089	CLONSKEAGH	14,683	HUNTSTOWN	18,741	PHIBSBORO	13,099
ATHY	47,652	CLONTARF ST ANTHONY	35,260	INCHICORE MARY IMM.	3,941	PORTERSTOWN	14,385
AUGHRIM	5,942	CLONTARF ST JOHN	23,415	INCHICORE ST MICHAEL	13,172	PORTMARNOCK	50,707
AUGHRIM STREET	18,026	COISTE TRÉADACH-RES	6,607	IONA ROAD	24,836	PRIORSWOOD	4,993
AVOCA	16,287	CONFEEY	19,535	JAMES'S STREET	5,695	PRO-CATHEDRAL	30,995
AYRFIELD	14,502	COOLOCK	37,175	JOBSTOWN	3,769	RAHENY	46,003
BALALLY	28,688	CORDUFF	14,024	JOHNSTOWN	36,546	RATHDRUM	26,066
BALBRIGGAN	54,949	CROSSCHAPEL	5,740	KILBARRACK-FOXFELD	30,716	RATHFARNHAM	49,863
BALCURRIS	4,698	CRUMLIN	77,272	KILBRIDE-BARNDARRIG	15,111	RATHGAR	34,471
BALDOYLE	22,775	DALKEY	34,524	KILCULLEN	25,224	RATHMINES	37,126
BALLINTEER	57,023	DARNDALE	4,195	KILL O'THE GRANGE	47,132	RIALTO	2,206
BALLYBODEN	20,232	DEANSRATH	3,817	KILLESTER	22,707	RINGSEND	20,213
BALLYBRACK	24,487	DIOCESAN WEBSITE	7,485	KILLINARDEN	5,911	RIVERMOUNT	4,847
BALLYFERMOT	11,225	DOLLYMOUNT	35,188	KILMACUD	67,971	RIVERVALLEY	12,717
BALLYFERMOT UPPER	20,434	DOLPHIN'S BARN	5,709	NARRAGHMORE	5,760	ROLESTOWN	13,397
BALLYGALL	45,625	DOMINICK STREET	5,500	KILMORE ROAD WEST	12,473	ROUNDWOOD	14,670
BALLYMORE EUSTACE	13,559	DONABATE	20,749	KILNAMANAGH	24,221	ROWLAGH	8,827
BALLYMUN	5,174	DONAGHMEDE	35,062	KILQUADE	45,107	RUSH	31,599
BALLYMUN ROAD	29,918	DONARD (DUNLAVIN)	4,068	KIMMAGE	18,758	SAGGART	27,569
BALLYROAN	57,817	DONNYBROOK	89,796	KINSEALY	10,368	SALLYNOGGIN	39,599
BALLYWALTRIM	26,256	DONNYCARNEY	41,153	KNOCKLYON	38,867	SANDYFORD	51,222
BAWNOGUE	6,025	DONORE AVENUE	10,380	LARKHILL-WHITEHALL	38,517	SANDYMOUNT	45,781
BAYSIDE	36,253	DRUMCONDRA	31,468	LAUREL LODGE	63,717	SEAN MCDERMOTT ST	9,240
BEAUMONT	39,931	DUBLIN AIRPORT	5,267	LEIXLIP	61,956	SEVILLE PLACE	9,604
BEECHWOOD AVENUE	21,050	DÚN LAOGHAIRE	43,341	LOUGHLINSTOWN	12,282	SHANKILL	53,525
BELFIELD CHURCH	4,180	DUNDRUM	68,319	LUCAN	61,958	SILLOGE	9,049
BERKELEY ROAD	13,811	DUNLAVIN	18,710	LUCAN SOUTH	15,769	SKERRIES	60,738
BLACKROCK	44,688	EADYSTOWN	9,977	LUSK	28,530	SPRINGFIELD	34,157
BLANCHARDSTOWN	34,401	EAST WALL	6,325	MALAHIDE	55,390	SRULEEN	8,500
BLESSINGTON	19,875	EDENMORE	20,894	MANOR KILBRIDE	5,930	ST ALPHONSUS MONASTERY	2,726
BLUEBELL	11,807	ENNISKERRY	16,516	MARINO	43,717	ST AUDOEN HIGH STREET	13,876
BOHERNABREENA	20,549	ESKER-DODSBORO	51,821	MARLEY GRANGE	23,960	SUTTON	40,401
BONNYBROOK	13,457	FAIRVIEW	20,572	MAYNOOTH	48,692	SWARDS	24,755
BOOTERSTOWN	41,967	FINGLAS	50,544	MEADOWBROOK	13,154	TALLAGHT ST AENGUS	15,112
BRACKENSTOWN	43,184	FINGLAS WEST	10,051	MEATH STREET	6,450	TALLAGHT ST DOMINIC	12,608
BRAY HOLY REDEEMER	43,567	FIRHOUSE	23,742	MERRION ROAD	44,362	TALLAGHT ST MARTIN	19,473
BRAY PUTLAND ROAD	30,825	FOXROCK	83,133	MILLTOWN	37,567	TALLAGHT ST MARY	29,246
BRAY ST PETER'S	12,136	FRANCIS STREET	1,751	MONKSTOWN	16,969	TEMPLEOGUE	41,602
BROOKFIELD	4,019	GARDINER STREET	6,900	MOONE	7,821	TERENURE	40,552
CABINTEELY	26,654	GARRISTOWN	5,058	MOUNT ARGUS	11,000	JOHN'S LANE	9,149
CABRA	23,521	GLASNEVIN	18,035	MOUNT MERRION	60,898	UNIVERSITY CHURCH	12,225
CABRA WEST	23,042	GLASTHULE	23,396	MOUNTVIEW	34,272	VALLEYMOUNT	9,246
CASTLEDERMOT	14,362	GLENDALOUGH	6,679	MOURNE ROAD	30,977	WALKINSTOWN	20,909
CASTLEKNOCK	70,834	GRANGE PARK	19,172	MULHUDDART	7,640	WESTLAND ROW	17,168
CASTLETOWN	4,706	GREENHILLS	40,942	N/A	5,279	WHITEFRIAR STREET	15,255
CELBRIDGE	36,408	GREYSTONES	51,852	NARRAGHMORE	18,455	WICKLOW	50,202
CHAPELIZOD	9,014	HADDINGTON ROAD	41,838	NAUL	7,022	WILLINGTON	46,048
CHERRY ORCHARD	6,318	HALSTON STREET	-	NAVAN ROAD	39,106	YELLOW WALLS	41,788
CHURCHTOWN	32,541	HAROLD'S CROSS	18,383	NEILSTOWN	5,690		
CITY QUAY	1,605	HARRINGTON STREET	39,320	NEWCASTLE	11,230	TOTAL	€5,362,751

Thank you for your generous contributions each weekend