MONKSTOWN PARISH NEWSLETTER

Mass Times: Weekdays (Mon – Fri) @ 10 AM Saturday. Vigil Mass @ 6 PM Sunday. 10:30 AM



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33rd Sunday of the Year - November 14th / 15th 2026

NOTICES



We remember in our prayer at mass this weekend the following whose anniversaries and month's mind occur at this time:

- **Tom Walsh (A)**
- **Nano Treacy (A)**
- **Stephen Fitzsimons (A)**
- **Maura Kiely (A)**

COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

Our local conference of St. Vincent de Paul will take up their monthly collection next weekend. Thank you for your support.

Thank You Fr. Kevin

Fr Kevin will return to concelebrate Mass with us **next Sunday 22 November**. This will provide parishioners with an opportunity to thank him and wish him well.

Sacrament of Reconciliation



The Sacrament of Reconciliation is a wonderful opportunity to experience God's mercy and peace. Fr Eugen is available before and after morning Mass each day. Please speak with him in the sacristy if you wish to celebrate the Sacrament.

DOMINICAN SISTERS

Community Administrator / Coordinator

Part-time, Permanent Position

The Dominican sisters in South Dublin are looking for an organized and reliable person to help with the smooth running of the community and home. The hours are 15 hours per week worked flexibly over 7 days.

The role is to coordinate and support a small staff team, oversee house maintenance and arrange repairs as needed, do the household shopping, help sisters with everyday IT issues (phones, laptops, e-mail and similar), drive sisters to medical appointments if required.

They are looking for a person with good people skills and a kind, patient manner. The ability to work on your own initiative, basic IT skills and a full clean driving license.

Email your CV and a short cover note to admindunlaoghaire@gmail.com before 5pm on Monday 23rd November.

BETHANY

Bereavement Support Group

Are looking for volunteers

The Bethany Bereavement Support group are a voluntary community and parish-based service. Their objective is to support the bereaved through the grieving process and their services are totally free of charge and confidential within the law.

Training for this voluntary service is 5 full days which are spread over 5 weeks. Further information can be found by emailing bethanybereavement1982@gmail.com or visit their website www.bethany.ie

FROM THE DEACON'S DESK

This Week's Gospel



Matthew 25:14-30

The parable of the talents can sound at first like a lesson about money or success. Yet Jesus is speaking about something much deeper. The talents represent all that God has entrusted to us: our faith, gifts, opportunities, time, and ability to love and serve others.

The servants who invest their talents are praised, not because they make a profit, but because they respond generously and courageously to their master's trust. The third servant allows fear to guide him. Rather than risk failure, he buries his gift and leaves it unused.

As the Church year draws towards its close, this Gospel invites us to reflect on how we are using the blessings God has given us. Faith is not meant to be hidden away or kept safely buried. It is a gift to be lived, shared, and put into action.

The Lord continues to place His trust in us. May we have the courage to use our gifts generously, so that our lives bear fruit for God's Kingdom and for others.

Deacon Eric

PARTNERSHIP PARISHES MASS TIMES

KILL O' THE GRANGE
(Holy Family)
Mon – Sat @ 10 am
Sat Vigil 5 pm Sun 10 & 12
Web: www.holyfamilyparish.ie

BLACKROCK
(St. John the Baptist)
Mon – Fri @ 1:05 pm
Sat Vigil 6:30 pm Sun 10 & 12
Web: www.sjb.ie

NEWTOWNPARK
(Guardian Angels)
Mon – Sat @ 10 am
Sun 9:30 11 am
www.newtownparkparish.com

FOXROCK
(Our Lady of Perpetual Succor)
Mon, Tue, Thurs & Fri @ 10 am
Sat Vigil 6 pm Sun 10 & 11:30
Web: www.foxrockparish.ie