



Knocklyon Parish

PARÓISTE CHNOC LIAMHNA

ST. COLMCILLE'S CHURCH

DIVINE WORD MISSIONARIES

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Mass Times: **Mon - Fri: 10 a.m.; Sat: 10 a.m. / 7 p.m. [Vigil]**
Sun: 9.30 a.m. / 12 noon
Holy Days: 10 a.m. / 7 p.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Wednesdays after the 10 a.m. Mass and when feasible.

Confessions: **Saturdays after 10 a.m. Mass and 6 p.m. – 6.45 p.m.**

Administrator: Fr. Eamonn Donnelly, SVD

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SUNDAY READINGS

1 Reading Ex 34:4-6, 8-9

The Lord is a God of tenderness and compassion.

Ps Dn 3:52-56, R/ v 52

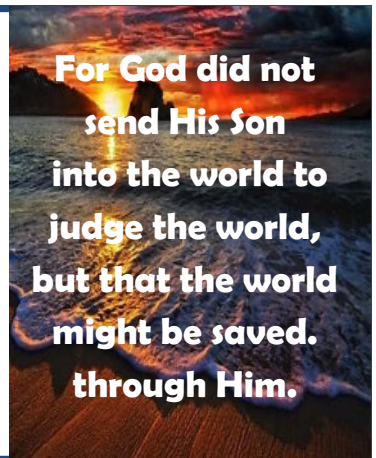
You are blest Lord God of our fathers.

2 Reading 2 Cor 13:11-13

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit.

Gospel Jn 3:16-18

God sent His Son so that through Him the world might be saved.



REFLECTIONS ON THE TRINITY

Although the mystery of the Trinity is central to Christian faith and theology, it remains one of the difficult doctrines to explain. The earliest representation of the Trinity is preserved on the “*Dogmatic Sarcophagus*”, an art work from the mid-fourth century C.E. which can be seen in the Lateran Museum in Rome. The three persons of the Trinity are portrayed as three bearded males, in the act of creating Eve while Adam lies nearby in a deep sleep.



In 1425 C.E., Andrew Rublev, a Russian monk, painted an icon of the Trinity in which three angelic figures are seated around a small table, engaged in intimate conversation. On the table is a chalice, in the background is a tree. The trio of figures and the tree are reminiscent of the visit which angelic messengers paid to Sarah and Abraham at the Oak of Mamre. As they enjoyed the generous welcome of Sarah and Abraham, the messengers announced the unexpected birth of Isaac [Gen 18] whom Abraham would later be willing to sacrifice if God willed it [Gen 22].

Underlying each of these pictorial renderings of the Trinity is one common factor: the human experience of the mystery of God who has chosen to reveal Himself as tri-une. As Karl Rahner explained, the history of the revelation of God’s saving plan puts us in touch, as it were, with the ineffable mystery of the unoriginated God who is called Father, who does not remain in metaphysical remoteness but who seeks to impart Himself to us as eternal life and truth.

Without the continuing experience of Father, Son and Spirit in salvation history, humankind would be incapable of conceiving of the mystery which is Trinity. Therefore, this gathered assembly is privileged today, not only in commemorating a doctrine, but in celebrating a communion of Persons who have loved us into being, redeemed us from ourselves and who call us each to fuller experience, deeper knowledge, and closer union.

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Useful Information

PARISH FORUM MEETING - WEDNESDAY 21 JUNE AT 8 P.M. IN THE IONA PASTORAL CENTRE

Each meeting of the Parish Forum is open to members of the parish who would like to attend. The Forum meets 6 times a year, and is made up of people like YOU!

ANNUAL ECUMENICAL PRAYER SERVICE at St. Colmcille's Well, [top of Ballycullen Road] Sunday 11 June 2023 at 3 p.m.

There will most probably also be a pilgrim walk, leaving from the SUPERVALU Cark Park in Knocklyon at 2.15 p.m. arriving at the Well prior to the start of the Service.

MATT TALBOT WALK - Walk in the footsteps of Matt Talbot, **Sunday, June 4, at 1 p.m.**, visiting key places associated with his life. Walk begins from the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, Sean McDermott Street. Wear suitable footwear. Mass of Healing at 3 p.m.

'HEART SPEAKS TO HEART' CONCERT - The Newman Vocare Ensemble's summer concert *'HEART SPEAKS TO HEART'* takes place on Sunday, June 17 at 7pm in Newman University Church, Dublin. When St John Henry Newman became a cardinal in 1879 he chose the motto "heart speaks unto heart" for his coat of arms. This concert is free but there will be a collection taken for Pieta House. Pieta House provides a range of services to individuals who experience suicidal ideation, are engaging in self-harm, or bereaved by suicide. Visit: www.pieta.ie.

BLESSING OF GRAVES

Bohernabreena:	Sunday 18 June - 3 p.m.
Kilmashogue:	Sunday 16 July - 11 a.m. in the church
Glenasmole:	Sunday 23 July - 3 p.m.
Mount Venus Cemetery:	Sunday 27 August - 11 a.m. in the church

Mass Times in nearby parishes

FIRHOUSE – Church of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Sat. Vigil: 6 p.m. Sunday: 9.30 a.m.
Daily: 10 a.m. [subject to change]

BALLYROAN – Church of the Holy Spirit

Sat. Vigil: 7 p.m. Sunday: 10 a.m. 12 noon
Daily: 10 a.m. Holy Days: 10 a.m.

RATHFARNHAM – Church of the Annunciation

Sat. Vigil: 6.45 p.m.
Sunday: 8.30 a.m. 9.30 a.m. 10.45 a.m. 12 noon
Daily: 10 a.m. Holy Days: Vigil 7 p.m. / 10 a.m.

Our Sunday Leaflet may be viewed by opening the parish website.

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† MASS INTENTIONS - JUNE †

JUNE

Sat 03	10 a.m.	BILL/JOAN/MARIE McMAHON ... <i>Anniv.s.</i>
	7 p.m. Vigil	SEÁN/JOHN/MARGARET LEE ... <i>Anniv's.</i>
Sun 04	9.30 a.m.	MARY LAVIN ... <i>Anniv.</i>
	12 noon	PAMELA SAVILLE ... <i>Anniv.</i>
	All Masses:	TOM / JACK LONG ... <i>Anniv's.</i> TONY KELLY ... <i>Anniv.</i>
Mon 05	10 a.m.	SHARED MASS INTENTIONS
Tues 06	10 a.m.	NORA O'CONNELL ... <i>Anniv.</i>
Wed 07	10 a.m.	EVELYN HARPUR ... <i>Anniv.</i>
Thurs 08	10 a.m.	KENNETH LYONS... <i>Anniv.</i>
		DENISE McCARNEY ... <i>Anniv.</i>
Fri 09	10 a.m.	PATRICK / MARGARET FARRELL ... <i>Anniv's</i>
		P.J. FARRELL / KATHLEEN DAVIS ... <i>Anniv's.</i>
Sat 10	10 a.m.	PÁRAIC CONWAY... <i>Anniv.</i> CONWAY FAMILY ... <i>Anniv's.</i>
	7 p.m. Vigil	JACK WALSH ... <i>Anniv.</i>
Sun 11	9.30 a.m.	JAMES FOLEY... <i>Anniv.</i>
	12 noon	DENISE McCARNEY ... <i>Anniv.</i>
	All Masses:	EVELYN HARPUR / JIMMY FREIR ... <i>Anniv's.</i> NICHOLAS FFRENCH ... <i>Month's Mind</i> KATHLEEN BUCKLEY ... <i>Month's Mind</i>

Pray for the recently deceased

APRIL 2023

Rena Kenny - Greenacre Court
 Stephen Rahaman Marshall - T'Roan View
 Imelda Lowe - Cremorne
 Imelda Lowe ... Knocklyon



MAY 2023

Christopher Burnell Shouldice - Knocklyon Castle
 Kathleen Buckley - Knockaire

*Those we love don't go away, they walk beside us every day.
 Unseen, unheard, but always near, still loved, still missed and very dear.*