

## **PARISH OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE**

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*Saturday/Sunday – 10<sup>th</sup> / 11<sup>th</sup> September 2022*

### **TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 11<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2022**

The theme of all three readings is that of God's mercy towards sinners.  
Jesus welcomes sinners.

#### **FIRST READING: (Ex. 32.7-11; 13-14)**

Moses intercedes with God for the people because they have fallen into idolatry.



#### **SECOND READING: (1Tim.1:12-17)**

In his conversion Paul is a witness to the fact that Christ came into the world to save sinners.

#### **GOSPEL: (Lk. 15:1-32)**

Through telling these parables Jesus justifies his concern for sinners.

### **REFLECTION**

*Lord Jesus, we pray for those sheep who are lost.*

*Watch over those who are still straying.*

*Guide them along the paths that are safe.*

*Send shepherds to look for them.*

*And open the eyes of society so that we may cease to regard property as more important than people.*

### **ST. MARY'S CHURCH OF IRELAND CLONSILLA**

Ecumenical Graveyard Service With Blessing of the Graves

**Sunday 11th September 3.00 pm.** All welcome.

**Note:** The Castleknock Churchyard blessing will be held on

**Sunday 13th November at 3.00 pm**

**Glasnevin Cemetery** has organised its annual Mass and blessing of graves for **Sunday, September 11**, at 3pm.

## **MASS TIMES FOR THE COMING WEEK**

Monday to Friday at 10.00 am - Saturday Vigil Mass: 6.30 pm

Sunday Masses: 9.30 am, 11.00 am and 12.30 pm

(St Philip the Apostle, Mountview – 6.00 pm)

### **ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION**

The monthly outdoor collection in aid of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will take place after all Masses **this** weekend.



**The Children's Choir** will resume mid-September. We are welcoming new members from 2nd class and above. Practice takes place Saturday at 1pm and we sing at 9.30 Sunday morning. Contact Louise 087-9182269



**Day Chapel activities** will start back this weekend at the 9.30am Family Mass. All children are welcome to join us for Gospel-based activities during Mass.

**Crosscare Annual Appeal 2022:** The Annual Crosscare Collection will take place at all Masses next weekend September 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup>. We would ask for your support for Crosscare in next weekend's second collection or by donating online at [www.crosscare.ie](http://www.crosscare.ie)



## **MASS INTENTIONS**

<b>SATURDAY:</b>	<b>6.30 pm</b>	<b>BRIAN DUNPHY (Anniversary)</b>
<b>SUNDAY:</b>	<b>9.30 am</b>	<b>DERMOT SMYTH (Recently Deceased)</b>
	<b>11.00 am</b>	<b>PATRICK QUINLAN (Anniversary)</b>
	<b>12.30 pm</b>	<b>MARY COOLAHAN (11<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)</b>

## **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Nancy Clarke, Patsy Bourke, Ivan Hendy, Charles McCarthy  
(Recently Deceased).



We pray also for – Sean and Mary Finlay, Thomas, Emily and Tommy Dunne, George Caffrey, Joe Caffrey, Paddy Bourke, Mary O'Brien, Joe Murtagh, Elizabeth Naughton  
(Whose anniversaries occur at this time)

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Edmund Rice College, Phoenix Park Racecourse, Parkway Road, Castleknock, Dublin 15 invites 5th and 6th class students and their parents/guardians to our **OPEN EVENING** on Wednesday 28th September 2022 from 6.30pm to 8.30pm.

**Adoration** - takes place in the Church every **Wednesday** from **8 p.m. to 9 p.m.** All welcome. Also available on the parish webcam: [www.laurelodgeparish.ie](http://www.laurelodgeparish.ie)

**FUNDRAISING EVENT:** Night of music, song, poetry and storytelling entitled "From Clare To Here" to be held in the Tennis Club, Castleknock on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September at 8pm. All proceeds going to the charity Bekind Ireland. Tickets 20 euros each available from Margaret Darragh at 0877588753 or email : [maggiedarragh.kalibu@gmail.com](mailto:maggiedarragh.kalibu@gmail.com)

**CAKE SALE** - A cake sale, coffee & chat, sale of work will be held in the Parish Centre of Our Lady Mother of the Church Castleknock after the 6pm Mass on **Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> Sept** and on **Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> Sept** after the 10 am and 12 pm masses in aid of the Holy Family Mission Centre, Glencomeragh House, Kilsheelan Tipperary. Holy Family Mission is a residential place of Catholic Faith Formation for 18–30-year-olds. Over 80 passed through our formation program since 2016. Young people are the future and indeed the present of the Church and desperately need the light of the Lord. Your help would be greatly appreciated to ensure the authentic beauty of our Faith is passed on to young missionary disciples!

## **TEEN HOPE**

Information Meeting for Parents/Guardians 15<sup>th</sup> September  
**TEEN HOPE** is a parish-based faith outreach to teenagers (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year post-primary level). We're launching this programme in September 2022. Sessions will be held on a monthly basis in the Pastoral Centre beside St. Bridget's Church, Blanchardstown. For further information, Parents/Guardians are invited to an Information Meeting on **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm** in Blanchardstown Church Extension. The team delivering the programme have been trained by the Diocese and are fully vetted. Consent Forms signed by a parent/guardian are required for all participants in the programme.

## **30 DAYS OF PRAYER FOR OUR CHILDREN**

With schools, universities and colleges starting back soon, help us make September a month of prayer for our young people (our children and grandchildren). Please share this little resource, use it and remember to say at least one short prayer for them each day in September. **You can download, print and share this short resource.** For more information contact Frank Brown, Parish Pastoral Worker in Saggart-Rathcoole, at [frank.brown@dublindiocese.ie](mailto:frank.brown@dublindiocese.ie).

