

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

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*Saturday/Sunday – 15<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup> October 2022*

## **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)

## **TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 16<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2022**

Prayer and faith are closely related; it's because we have faith that we pray.

Prayer also makes our faith stronger.

### **FIRST READING:** (Ex. 17:8-13)

The Israelites gain a victory over their enemies through the power of God which comes to them as a result of the prayer of Moses.

### **SECOND READING:** (2Tim. 3:14-4.2)

Paul instructs Timothy to remain in the doctrine which he has been taught from childhood.



### **GOSPEL:** (Lk. 18:1-8)

Jesus exhorts his disciples to pray continuously and never be discouraged.

## **REFLECTION: Prayer by Mahatma Gandhi**

I am neither a man of letters nor of science,

And I humbly claim to be a man of prayer.

It is prayer that has saved my life.

Without it I would have lost my reason long ago.

If I did not lose my peace of soul in the midst of many trials,

It is because of prayer.

Prayer is the key to each morning And the lock to each evening.

**Adoration** - takes place in the Church every Wednesday from 8 pm to 9 pm. All welcome. Also available on the parish webcam:

[www.laurellodgeparish.ie](http://www.laurellodgeparish.ie)

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION – THANK YOU:** The monthly outdoor collection in aid of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul amounted to €2,945.36 for which we are very grateful.

## **CASTLEKNOCK LIONS CLUB: “TOOLS FOR SOLIDARITY APPEAL”**

We urgently need small hand tools that are clean and in good working order for shipping to developing African Communities.

Date: 22/10/2022 – Drop Off Location: Laurel Lodge Community Centre

Time: between 10am and 1.00 pm

For more information WhatsApp: 087 321 1234

**\*Parish Alpha News and Dates\*:** Alpha: a series of talks and discussions exploring life, our Christian faith, and the meaning of life in a friendly, inclusive environment. Alpha continues this Monday 17th October at 7.30pm in Our Lady's Parish Centre, Castleknock, followed by Monday 24th October. Alpha will **NOT** be held on Bank Holiday Monday - 31st October. We will be back on Monday 7th November, then 14th, 21st and 28th November, and 5th and 12th December. All welcome to as many evenings as suits you, or even just one to try Alpha. Booking is not required. Please email [alphacastleknock@gmail.com](mailto:alphacastleknock@gmail.com) with any questions.

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

<b>SATURDAY:</b>	<b>6.30 pm</b>	<b>Declan Fitzpatrick (1<sup>ST</sup> Anniversary)</b>
<b>SUNDAY:</b>	<b>9.30 am</b>	<b>Anthony O'Connor (2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary)</b>
	<b>11.00 am</b>	<b>Eva Duggan (5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)</b>
	<b>12.30 pm</b>	<b>Bairbre Reilly (1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary)</b>



## **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Please pray for: Fr. Brian Maguire PP, John Delaney, Edward Boyle  
*(Recently Deceased)*

Kevin Manning, Bob and Lena Furlong, Mary Hall, Patrick McCague, Joe McLaughlin, Mary Finnegan, Jimmy Leydon, Eamon and Mary Hall and Eamon Jnr., Barry Walsh, William Harmon

*Whose anniversaries occur at this time)*

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**SCOIL OILIBHÉIR**

Open Night NURTURING AND ENRICHING EVERY CHILD, THROUGH THE MEDIUM OF IRISH, TO ACHIEVE THEIR FULL POTENTIAL

**19 OCTOBER 18:00 - 20:00**

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**VERDI'S REQUIEM WITH OUR LADY'S CHORAL SOCIETY**

The magnificent Verdi Requiem featuring Our Lady's Choral Society with the RTÉ Concert Orchestra and wonderful soloists conducted by Proinnsias Ó Duinn. This concert will be dedicated to the many families and friends of those who died from Covid-19 during the pandemic. Orla Boylan, soprano; Jennifer Johnston, alto; Andrew Gavin, tenor; Markus Suikonen, bass. National Concert Hall, 8pm, **Friday, October 21.**

Visit [www.olcs.ie](http://www.olcs.ie).

**HAIL HOLY QUEEN CONFERENCE 2022 IS LIVE ON RADIO MARIA IRELAND FROM 2PM ON SATURDAY 15TH OCTOBER.**

Speakers include FR. VINCENT STAPLETON, ANTONIA MOFFAT, FR. BRIAN MCKEVITT OP, KATRINA LEYDEN.

Radio Maria Ireland can be listened to by downloading the Radio Maria Ireland APP, Saorview Channel 210 or listen live at (01)4373277

**"Laudato Si, Caring for our Common Home":** A perfect opportunity to reflect on how we have been called to act for Climate change. An on-line meeting this Tuesday 18th October to explore "Laudato Si, Caring for our Common Home", exploring a chapter per week, (6 chapters in total). The meeting runs from 7.45 to 9pm, it's free, and you may join all or some of the meetings as you wish. Text Phil Greene 087 2395640 for more details.

**Autumn Floral Design Workshop**

Why not come along and create your own seasonal Autumn Wreath and Pumpkin Floral Arrangement to decorate your home in St. Mochta's Parish Centre on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> October

From 7pm – 9pm

€70

All materials provided

Hosted by Jean Martin Floristry

To book contact Jean on 085-085122956

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