



Skerries Parish Bulletin

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09 – 16 October 2022

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Kings 5:14-17, Psalm 97:1-4, Paul to Timothy 2:8-13, Luke 17:11-19

In the first Reading, Naaman the leper carried out the instructions of Elisha and immersed himself in the Jordan and was cleansed. He wanted to show Elisha his gratitude. Elisha explained that he was only serving God and would accept nothing.

“Sing a new song to the Lord for He has worked wonders”

In the Gospel, we hear the account of the ten lepers who were cured but only one returned to give thanks to the Lord.

“The Lord has made known His salvation; has shown His justice to the nations. He has remembered His truth and love for the house of Israel”

It is always important to remember to give thanks when we receive an answer to our prayers.

Here is a saying that you can rely on:

If we have died with Him, then we shall live with Him. If we hold firm then we shall reign with Him.

If we disown Him, then He will disown us.

We may be unfaithful, but He is always faithful, for He cannot disown His own self.

Church Readers

MASS INTENTIONS

- ✦ **Sat 8th 10am:** Pauline Roche (MM), Matt Brennan & deceased members of the O’Toole family, Peggy Russell
- ✦ **Sat 8th 6pm:** Alfred Coleman (MM), Florence Clinton (MM), Michael White, Dr. Dermot Fitzgerald, Michael Monks, Patrick Monks, Patrick Leonard,
- ✦ **Sun 9th 9.30am:** Mary Martin, Leah O’Shea (BR), John Chapman, Hugh McDonnell,
- ✦ **Sun 9th 11am:** Joe Howard, Margaret & Joseph Howard, Charles Flanagan, Seamus Murphy, Johnny Murray, Mary & Mike Keating, Josie & Christie Rogan, Pat Coleman
- ✦ **Mon 10th 10am:** Mass Card Intentions
- ✦ **Tue 11th 10am:** John & Alice Collopy (Golden Wedding Anniversary), Deceased members of the Collopy & Keeling family, Teresa McCann
- ✦ **Wed 12th 10am:** Deceased members of the Brennan family, Ken Drumm Snr.
- ✦ **Sat 15th 6pm:** Deceased members of the Quinn family, Rose Grimes
- ✦ **Sun 16th 11am:** William Hoare, Isabella Nelson, Betty Molloy.

FEASTDAYS

Tue. 11th Oct – St. John XXIII – Pope/St. Canice
Sat. 15th October – St. Teresa of Avila

OUR SYMPATHY



To the families of Tommy McArdle, Balbriggan Rd, Skerries & Ken Drumm Jnr, Skerries/London who died recently. May they Rest in Peace.

WE WELCOME

Ava Veronica Gibbons, Conor Dermot Fleming, Eabha Noelle McCarthy, Niall Anthony Moore & Maurice Gerard Moore who were recently baptised into our parish family.



NOVEMBER ALTAR LIST ENVELOPES

As we approach the month of November and we remember our loved ones, Altar List of the Dead Envelopes are now available in the church.

NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCE MASS 2022

The annual Mass to remember our loved ones who died during this past year will take place on **Monday 7th November at 7.30pm.**

🎵 DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

On Saturday **November 12th** at 8pm Cór Fingal [Irish Institute of Music & Song] will perform Faure’s Requiem in the church. Also, on Thursday **15th December** at 7pm come to a concert for all the family and enjoy 'Hallelujah Christmas Concert'. More information on both events later.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Monthly Collection is on **October 16th**. Any contribution, no matter how small, will be truly appreciated.

Donations can be made in the following way -
Online Donation to AIB Bank

- IBAN IE 19 AIBK 93224809851094

- BIC Code AIB KIE 2 D.

Printed Blue Envelopes, which are available in St. Patrick's Church and the Parish Office and also to our individual Members who might be known to you personally.

SCOIL RÉALT NA MARA



Enrolment for Scoil Réalt na Mara Junior Infant classes 2023/2024 is currently taking place. Closing date for receipt of applications is Friday 20th January 2023. Please see

details on the school website

www.realtnamara.ie or contact the school office on 01-8490049.

ST. PATRICK'S JUNIOR NATIONAL SCHOOL

Enrolment for St. Patrick's JNS Junior Infant classes 2023/2024 is currently taking place. Closing date for receipt of applications is 20th January 2023. Please see details on the website www.stps.ie or contact the office on 01-8490836.

SKERRIES HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Skerries Historical Society will host The Annual General Meeting for members on Tuesday, 11 October 2022 at 8pm in Skerries Bowling Club. Dominic McQuillan will launch Of Time and Tide, Vol 13, at 9pm.

FORGET-ME-NOT CAFÉ



Skerries Forget-me-not Café is a new meeting place for people living with dementia, their carers, friends and family. It will open for the first time on **Wednesday 12th October** from 11am to 1pm in Skerries Harps clubhouse on the Dublin Road. Come to make new friends, exchange stories and ideas, to find out more about dementia services in this area and to have a little fun. It's free but if you can let us know you're coming it helps with planning. New volunteers are always welcome:
email skerriesforgetmenotcafe@gmail.com or text 083 1192972.

HOLMPATRICK CHURCH RESTORATION FUND

Tickets for the 200 Exclusive draw are still available - 1st Prize €1000, 2nd Prize €750, 3rd Prize €500, 4th Prize €250. A maximum of 200 tickets will be sold. Tickets - €50.00 each are available from Bobby Swarbrigg, text, call, Whatsap: 087 2277563. Draw will take place at Skerries Mills on Monday, **October 31st** at 3.00pm.

The Restoration Fund will present an evening of "Autumn Airs & Graces" featuring the wonderful Caitriona Grimes on **Friday 21st October** in Holmpatrick Church. Further details to follow.

30 YEARS AGO IN THE PARISH

Frances Hogan was giving four talks on the Gospels on Tuesday evenings over the month of October.

The IWC was hosting a talk and slide show on Owls, by the well-known Don Conroy in Skerries Sailing Club.

SKERRIES HARPS GAA CLUB



Intermediate Footballers exited the Championship at the Quarterfinal stage, Junior team lost to Kilmacud-Crokes but qualify for the Quarterfinal. Ladies team was defeated by Parnell's, away, in League Div. 2 game. Juvenile teams field each weekend with 21 teams playing last Sat/Sun.

Sun 9 Oct. U15 boys v Fingallians, at 10.30 at Comm. Centre. Minor boys v Castleknock on Main pitch at 1.30 followed by Ladies v O'Dwyers, at 3 pm.

U13 girls v Brigids at Kelly's Bay, 1.30, U14 girls A v Lucan at 1.30 at Comm. Centre and B team v Olafs in Ballast Pitch also at 1.30.

Juvenile Academy every Saturday morning at 10 - 11am. Club Shop open Saturday mornings during Academy for Teas/Coffees, sports gear/leisure wear etc. and on Thursday nights at 7.30pm.

Zingo result for 2 Oct.: 6,7,4,1,2,3,5. No winners. Jackpot now €1,800. Draw on Sunday in Clubhouse at 6.30 pm with free In-house draw. Play online - just download the Clubforce App.

Entry to Zingo is €2 or 3 lines for €5. Just match the numbers 1 to 7 to win.

For all club news follow our Facebook page or see www.skerriesharps.ie

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