



Skerries Parish Bulletin

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13th-20th November, 2022

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Malachi 3:19-20, Psalm 97:5-9, St. Paul to the Thessalonians 3:7-12, Gospel Luke 21:5-19.

In the 1st Reading of the Prophet Malachi, we read of the destruction of the crops of those who are evil doers. We should believe in the Lord because we shall be saved - "the sun of righteousness will shine out with healing in its rays". The Lord says this "my people will see the difference between the righteous and the wicked"

In the Psalm, we should acclaim the Lord our God with trumpets and the sounds of music and praise.

"For the Lord comes, comes to rule the earth,
He will rule the world with justice and the peoples with fairness."

St Paul in the 2nd Reading, tells the people to keep working hard even though others do not. In other words we should lead by example.

In the Gospel again we hear of destruction of all the fine stone works of the Temple,.... earthquakes, plagues and famine. The people questioned as to when all this would happen and what sign will there be that this is about to take place. Even though you may suffer persecution because of your faith, remember that the Lord is always with you and therefore you will be saved.

Church Readers

We offer our sympathy



To the families and friends of Marie Richardson (née Attley) and Hilda Simpson, The Square, who died

recently in our Parish

Living Water Prayer Group



We meet to pray fortnightly.

Where: No.42 Strand Street, across the road from front of church.

When: Wed. 16th Nov at 8 p.m. Please

join us to pray for everyone in our church, our town, our country and the entire world.

A thought for November - Table Prayer



What do you do with all those memoriam cards? Here's an idea. When you gather to eat, you might place one of the cards in a glass and light a candle in front of it. You could use this prayer or one from the particular card.

God of hope. May your eternal light and peace shine on our friends today. We remember them with us at this table. May they enjoy the banquet of love prepared for them. Amen.

ANNIVERSARIES AND SPECIAL INTENTIONS REMEMBERED

SAT, 12th: 6 p.m., John Costello(1st anniv.), Kieran Bowers(anniv. & b'day remembered), Raymond & Patricia Bowers,(remembered)

SUN 13th: 9.30: Irene Martin, Roisin O'Leary 11 a.m: Angela Burke(month's mind), Ultan Ryan (1st anniv.), Kathleen & Tommy Wherity

MON 14th: 10 a.m., special intentions

TUES 15th: 10 a.m., May Ryan

Wed. 16th: 10 a.m., Henry Sheridan, Marie Murray

FRI 18th: 10 a.m., Nancy & Eddie Dunne

SAT 19th: 6 p.m., Maureen Delaney, Connor O'Connell

SUN 20th: 9.30 a.m., Sadie Garrett (1st anniv.), decd.members of Dunne & O'Neill families, Rita Clinton

11 a.m., Anne & Noelle Lacey, Joe & Colette May, Dr. John Keane & Mary B. Keane, Kitty Quinn

Christmas Mass Cards



Christmas Mass Cards are available in the Parish Office. As in previous years proceeds from the sale of the Christmas Mass Cards will go to Brother Kevin, Capuchin Homeless Day Centre, Dublin

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FEASTDAYS THIS COMING WEEK:

14th Nov – St Laurence O’Toole

18th Nov – Dedication to the Basilica of Ss Peter & Paul

ANNUAL SERVICE

The Miscarriage Association of Ireland will hold its annual Service of Remembrance **this Sunday, Nov. 13**, at 3pm in St Teresa’s Church, Donore Avenue, off South Circular Road, Dublin 8. All parents, siblings, grandparents and anyone else affected by the loss of a baby are very welcome to attend, regardless of whether the loss was recent or long ago

MASS OF THANKSGIVING

The annual Mass of Thanksgiving for the Gift of Priesthood, organised by St Joseph’s Young Priests’ Society, will be held on **Sunday, November 20**, at 3.30pm in St Andrew’s Church, Westland Row. The celebrant will be Fr Seamus McEntee, our Diocesan Chaplain and Director of Vocations for the Dublin Archdiocese. The homilist will be Fr Stephen Kennedy of the Institute of the Incarnate Word community.

Musical Treats for your Diary



Sun. 4th Dec: Skerries Sea Sharps choir’s Christmas concert takes place in the church at 7 p.m..

Thurs 8th/ Fri 9th: Skerries Community Choir are delighted to

be back with their Annual Christmas Concert in Holmpatrick Church

Thurs 15th: Hallelujah Concert for all the family, in the Church at 7 p.m.

SCRIPTURE CONFERENCE

Totus Tuus Scripture Conference 2022 is live on Radio Maria Ireland from 2pm on **Saturday, November 19**. Speakers include Sister Caitriona Kavanagh OP, Brian O’Driscoll (Paving the Way Home), Fr John McCarthy (Cloyne Diocese) and Fr Terence Crotty OP. Radio Maria Ireland can be listened to by downloading the Radio Maria Ireland app, Saorview Channel 210 or listen live at 01 4373277.

30 YEARS AGO IN THE PARISH

*Living Spirit Together were setting up a group to meet to reflect and discuss the Scriptures

*An Ecumenical Carol Service was being planned and all instrumentalists and singers were invited to take part

*Centenary Supper to mark 100 years of Holmpatrick School was to be held in the Windmill

*The Active Retirement Group were holding their annual dinner with an evening out in the Golf Club

*Skerries Youth Club would welcome any donations of board games

Worried about escalating energy bills?



Enquire at our local Library (Church St., beside Supervalu) about borrowing the Home Energy Saving Kit. This allows you to identify common household issues such as lack of insulation, poor ventilation and appliances which may be driving up your electricity bills. The kit, which is easy to use, is free to borrow with your Library ticket !

SKERRIES HARPS GAA CLUB

Minor footballers defeated Fingalians, away, to qualify for the Championship semi-final.

Sat 12 Nov. **Under 21** Football Semi-final v Ballinteer, away at 2.15 pm; **Under 16** football v Whitehall, away, at 3 pm in Shield semi-final.

Sun 13 Nov. Minor Camogie Shield Final in Skerries at 10.30 am v St Annes. **Under 13** Camogie v Finians, away, at 1.30 pm in Shield Final

Juvenile Academy each Saturday morning at 10 am. Club Shop open Saturday mornings during Academy for Teas/Coffees and sports gear; also, on Thursday nights from 7.30 pm till 8.30 pm.

Juvenile Awards night on 26 November in Community Centre and the Club’s Annual General Meeting will be held in the Clubhouse on 1st Dec. Members will be notified.

Clubhouse rooms available for functions, parties etc. For bookings, contact Pat 087 2505479 or email bookings.harps@gmail.com

Zingo result for 5 Nov. 1, 2, 5, 4, 3, 6, 7. Jackpot now €2,300. Draw on Sunday in Clubhouse at 6.30 pm. To play online download the Clubforce App.

Our sympathies to Tracey Moore and family on the passing of her mum, Marie Richardson, RIP.

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

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