



Skerries Parish Bulletin

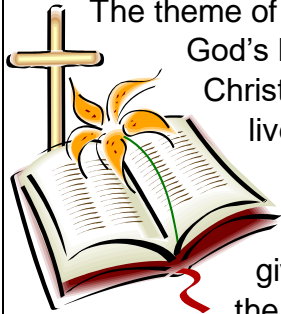
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5th – 12th May 2024

***“As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you.
Remain in my love.”***

6th Sunday of Easter

READINGS: Acts 10:25-26,34-35,44-48. Ps 97:1-4. Letter of John 4:7-10, Gospel of John 15:9-17.



The theme of the Readings centres very much on love, not so much as our love for God but as God’s love for us. That love, which began in God the Father, is shown to us in Jesus Christ and is implanted in us by the Holy Spirit. If we remain in God’s love by living good lives and fulfilling our Christian duties, we are signs of God’s life in the world.

This week may we look on ourselves with gentleness and know that the Lord is with us, “I call you friends “. May we go out to those we meet in a spirit of service given with empathy, understanding and love. At the end of each day, let us thank the Lord for all the good he has enabled us to do, for all the love he has enabled us to show and for all the failures he has forgiven us.

Church Readers

ANNIVERSARY / SPECIAL INTENTION MASSES

- ✦ **Sat 4th 10am:** Raymond O’Farrell (1st A), Denis O’Farrell, Sean Murtagh (BR), Nora O’Keeffe (RD), Special Intention
- ✦ **Sat 4th 6pm:** Elizabeth Oakes, Emily Grimes, Eileen McCormack, Aisling Lawless, David & Jackie Gilsean, Hyacinth Maguire, Willie Mooney, Mary Mooney
- ✦ **Sun 5th 9.30am:** Kay Thornton, Walter Ruigrok, Seán McCann, Special Intention
- ✦ **Sun 5th 11am:** Walter Meehan (1st A), Colum Boyle, Bobby Beggs, Matt & Marie Grimes, Anne Moore (BR), Patrick (Paddy) & Marie Richardson (BR), Maurice Walls, Paddy & Peggy Coleman
- ✦ **Mon 6th 11am:** Mass Card Intentions
- ✦ **Tues 7th 10am:** Frances (Fran) Justice (1st A)
- ✦ **Wed 8th 10am:** John Grimes, Cora Cannon (BR)
- ✦ **Fri 10th 10am:** John Clinton (1st A), Joseph Bradley, James & Mary Slattery, John & Mary Dolan, Sarah Cullen, Peadar Clerkin, Dorothy Murray (BR)

- ✦ **Sat 11th 11am:** Communion for St Patrick’s Junior National School
- ✦ **Sat 11th 6pm:** Peadar Clerkin, Gerald (Gerry) Griffin (BR), James & Katie McGirl, Desmond McGirl
- ✦ **Sun 12th 9.30am:** Mary Mullins, May & Tom Redmond, John Dwyer (1st A)
- ✦ **Sun 12th 11am:** Noleen Beggs Taaffe, Mary Lunny, Helen, Kay & Kevin Branagan, Sarah Jane Branagan, Kathleen & Jack Toner, Tony & Tilly Noone, Fr Anthony Bannon (BR)

DATE TO NOTE: 6th May is a Bank Holiday and morning mass is at **11.00** am.

OUR SYMPATHY

To the family of **Margaret Leonard, Greenlawns**, who died recently. May she Rest in Peace.



FEASTDAYS

4th May – St Conleth, 8th May – Blessed John Sullivan, 10th May – St Comgall, 12th May – Ascension of the Lord

LEGION OF MARY



are having Mass to Commemorate the 80th Anniversary of Venerable Edel Quinn on Saturday 11th May at 3pm in St Saviours Church, Dominick St, Dublin 1.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION –



The children in 2nd class from St. Patrick's JNS, will celebrate their 1st Holy Communion on Saturday 11th May 11am. As a result there will be **NO 10am**

Mass that day.

On Saturday 18th May the children in 2nd class from Scoil Réalt na Mara NS, Holmpatrick NS, Scoil Mobhi, Milverton and ETNS will celebrate their 1st Holy Communion – once again there will be **NO 10am Mass that morning either.**

PINK ENVELOPES

There are some boxes of the new envelopes for this coming year yet to be picked up. They are available in the Parish Office after all Masses over this weekend.

ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY AT KNOCK SHRINE



The All-Ireland Rosary Rally is back this year on Saturday, June 1, in Knock. The day begins with a

Marian Conference at 9.30am in St John's Centre. Bishop Phonsie Cullinan will be the Main Celebrant of the 3pm Mass, which will include Anointing of the Sick. For more information and to see a list of buses going from around Ireland please visit www.AllIrelandRosaryRally.com.

For the north Dublin area a bus leaves from Donabate Church at 8am and from Whitehall Church at 8.15am. Cost €30. Contact Lóirín at 087-241-2611 or Aisling at 083-345-3205 for more details.

SKERRIES FORGET ME NOT CAFÉ



Wednesday 8th May 11am – 1pm
Skerries Harps GAA, Dublin
Road, Skerries K34HC89.

The café is free of charge and is open to people living with dementia, their families, carers and friends. Come for tea and biscuits, a chat, and to meet others on a similar journey and to learn more about dementia services in the area. To make sure we don't run out of cake please let us know you are coming!

For more information, please contact us on skerriesforgetmenotcafe@gmail.com or phone /text 083 1192972.

SKERRIES HARPS GAA CLUB



Senior footballers played out a draw with Lucan and both Under 15 boys teams were defeated in the Feile football finals – the

same group play the Hurling Feile on Sun 12 May. Good luck boys.

Wed. Senior football v Ballymun, away at 7.15 pm and Inters v Lucan, home at 7.15 pm.

Sat. Senior football v Lusk, home at 6.30 p.m. Check fixtures at

www.skerriesharps.com

Thanks to all who supported our first Bingo session on Monday night. Next Bingo Mon 27 May. Annual Primary Schools

Tournament starts Mon 6 May - for boys/girls. Finals on Mon 3 June.

Sunday 5 May. Retro 80's Night Disco in the Clubhouse. No Cover Charge.

Zingo for 28 April: 7, 3, 5, 6, 4, 2. 1. No

winners. Jackpot now €1,900. Draw on

Sunday at 6 pm. Golf Society first outing to Balbriggan G.C. on Friday 17 May. Contact Tony 087 6498177.

The club extends our deepest condolences to the Canning family (Raheny), on the passing of former player and club member, Sean Canning. May he Rest in Peace.