

WELCOME TO ST. PATRICK'S ESKER/DODSBORO/ADAMSTOWN
NEWSLETTER

5TH JUNE 2016



Welcome To
St Patrick's Esker/Doddsboro/ Adamstown
June 5, 2016

Mass Intentions for coming week: Weekend: Saturday, 7pm: James



English (A); Remember Jimmy Byrne (A); Peter Timmons (M.M.); **Sunday, 9am:** Caroline Clynes (RIP); **10.30am:** Paddy & Bernadette O'Driscoll (A); **12 noon:** Maura & Richard Daly (A).

Monday, 10am: Colm Dorgan (RIP); Marie King Intentions; **Tues. 10am:** Kevin McDermott (RIP); Andrew Ryan (RIP); **Wed. 10am:** All those starting state exams; Kevin McNamara (RIP); Holy Souls in Purgatory; **Thurs. 10am:** Bridget McHugh (RIP); Michael McHugh Intentions; Paddy Tuohy (RIP); **Fri. 10am:** Sr. Madeline (RIP); Mary Kiernan (RIP); **Sat. 10am:** Winifred Anderson (RIP); Annette Wade Intentions.

Remember in your prayers this week – Thomas Doyle and Teresa & John Moloney whose anniversaries occur.

Baptisms: Welcome into the Christian Community this weekend – Dubheasa O'Brien, Eibhlin O'Hanlon and Ava Guinan



Sun. 5th June: ~ Christ has come to conquer death and give life and so as we gather for our Sunday Eucharist we come in thanksgiving and respect for the precious gift of life and all that it brings us.

Readings for Today – Sun. 5th June: - *The First Reading:* A



widow's faith and patience is tested but God rewards her perseverance and brings new life and faith to her situation of loss. *The Second Reading:* St. Paul makes it

clear that God has revealed his Son to him in order that the gospel be brought to those outside traditional religious boundaries. *The Gospel:* Jesus transforms grief to joy causing those who witness his life-giving act to see it as a visit from God himself.

Parish Notices: Collections: Sunday, 29th May: 1st Collection: €1,145: This money goes to pay the salaries of the Priests of the Parish; Priests in Poorer Parishes; Priests in non income-earning appointments; Priests on study leave; Priests who are ill or retired. 2nd Collection (SHARE) €1,535: For Diocesan Development, Poorer Parishes and Parish Projects. Planned Giving (Envelopes) €673 & Standing Orders (€505): This money is the major source of income for Parish Expenses, Salaries; Maintenance; Development. We thank all those who contribute faithfully every week.



Bethany Bereavement Support Group – We meet on the third Wednesday of each month from 8-9pm in St. Patrick's Pastoral Centre. This is a free, confidential service and is available to everyone in Lucan and the outlying areas. We can be contacted on 089 250 7213.

Anam Cara Monthly Meeting: Anam Cara is holding its monthly Parent Evening on Monday 13th of June from 19:30 to 21:00 in Dominic's Community Centre, Tallaght, Dublin 24. Anam Cara will be taking a break over the Summer, the next parent evening will be on Monday 12th of September. All Anam Cara Services are available free of charge to bereaved parents. For further information contact 01 4045378.



Exam Prayer:

Lord Jesus, As I now prepare for my exams

I ask you to grant me strength of mind and constant hope.

Take from my mind all fear, anxiety, regret and tension.

May your gift of the Holy Spirit guide and enlighten my mind.

At this difficult time, give to me the gift of self-assurance

That you will hear my prayer, answer my need and continue to guide me

As I pursue life's journey

I ask this prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen.

St. Patrick's Prayer Group: This group will no meeting this Monday night because of the Bank Holiday.