

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

NEWSLETTER

13TH AUGUST 2017



Welcome To
St Patrick's Esker/Doddsboro/ Adamstown
August 13, 2017

Mass Intentions for coming week: Saturday, 7pm: Ray Moran (A);



Sunday, 9am: Frank Hand (A); John & Teresa Hogan (A);
Annie & Jack Doyle (A); Mary May (A); **10.30am:**
Patrick Hyland (Rec Decd); Mary May (A); **12 noon:** Sr.
Mary Cuddy (Rec Decd); Mary May (A).

Monday, 10am: Charlie Buckley (Mass Bouquet); Noreen Conroy (A); Sheila O'Callaghan (A); **7pm – Vigil Mass:** Thomas Gannon (A); **Tues. 10am: Holy Day:** Colleen Eithna Crowley; Darren O'Brien (Get Well); John Mullins (RIP); Eamonn Dukes (RIP); **Wed. 10am:** Sr. Stella Smith (RIP); Paddy Melody (Rec Decd); Billy Rutledge (Rec Decd); **Thurs. 10am: Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion;** **Fri. 10am:** Kathleen Kelly (RIP); Chriss McDermott (Rec Decd); Darren O'Brien (Get Well); **Sat. 10am:** Tony McLoughlin (Rec Decd); John Kellett (Rec Decd).

Remember in your prayers this weekend – Frank Costello whose funeral took place during the week.

Change of Mass times on Holy Days –

As and from August 2017, Holy Day Mass Times will be as follows: Vigil Mass 7pm; Mass on the Feast Day, 10am (the Noon Mass is being discontinued).

Thursday Masses for the Month of August:

Please note that on Thursdays for the month of August there will be no celebrations of the Eucharist. The Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion will be celebrated on 17th, 24th and 31st August.

Baptisms: Welcome into the Christian Community



this weekend – Callum Fitzpatrick; Hannah Walsh,
Seamus Kelly, Mason Quearney and Hollie Harrison.

Readings for Today – Sun: 13th August: *The First Reading:* From

the first book of Kings, finds the prophet Elijah discovering God's voice in the gentle breeze. *The Second Reading:* From Romans, sees St. Paul passionately profess his love and respect for his Jewish community. *The Gospel of Matthew:* Presents a challenge from Jesus to Peter that he keep faith amid the stormy waters.

Parish Notices: Collections: Sat & Sun 5th & 6th August: First Collection

€908; 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): €765: For Diocesan Projects. Many thanks for your generosity. Planned Giving (Envelopes) €1,149; For Parish Maintenance & Development. We thank all those who contribute faithfully every week.

National Novena at Knock: The National Novena to Our Lady of

Knock will run from 14 – 22 August. Speakers, Workshops, Mass and a Witness Walk will all take place this year at the National Novena. The theme for this year's Novena is 'Living Life to the Full'. During the nine days of prayer and reflection there will be a strong focus on appreciating the gift of life and finding beauty in the everyday. The programme for this year includes a wonderful line-up of guest speakers and workshops to help enrich and enliven faith. Ceremonies will take place at 3.00pm and 8.30pm and workshops at 12.00 noon and 6.00pm daily. Archbishop Martin, Archbishop of Dublin and Host of WMOF2018, will highlight family life when he offers a reflection on the theme 'When Plates Fly! Pope Francis on the joys and challenges of family life'. On the same day Fr. Timothy Bartlett, Secretary General of WMOF2018 will deliver workshops on how to make technology more family friendly. Also taking part are: Dr. Mary Healy, Fr. Seamus Enright, CSsR, Fr. Michael Cussack, CSsR, Marty Morrissey, Rev. Kevin O'Gorman, Bernadette McNeive, Darren Cawley, Rt Rev. Patrick Rooke, Prof. Salvador Ryan, Most Rev. Philip Boyce, Fr. Daniel O'Leary, Bishop Kevin Doran, as well as Dr. Aoife McGrath, Maria Steen and Cora Sherlock. For more information email: mariahunt@knockshrine.ie – see www.knockshrine.ie

Cemetery Sunday: Esker Cemetery Sunday takes place on Sunday, 27th August at 3pm.