

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

5<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2017



Welcome To  
St Patrick's Esker/Dodsboro/ Adamstown  
November 5, 2017

**Mass Intentions for coming week:** **Saturday, 7pm:** Andrew McDonnell (A);



Remember Christian Warda (A); **Sunday, 9am:**  
Jimsir, Marie & Nicola Behan (A);  
**10.30am:** Philip McManus (RIP);  
**12 noon:** William & Annie Wall (A);  
Remember Desmond & Jamie Kelly (A).

**Mon. 10am:** Joan Hudson (RIP); Dave Lonergan (RIP); **Tues. 10am:** Niall McCann (RIP); Michael Moran Jnr (RIP); **Wed. 10am:** Joan Hudson (RIP); Derry Duggan (RIP); **Thurs. 10am:** Jim Hopkins (RIP); Breege Lynn Birthday Remembrance; Rose Jameson Intentions; **Fri. 10am:** Philip McManus (RIP); Christina Fitzharris (RIP); Martha Heffernan Intentions; **Sat. 10am:** Frank Stephenson (A); Elizabeth Taylor (RIP).

**Remember in your prayers – Christina Fitzharris who died recently.**

**Baptisms:** Welcome into the Christian Community  
this weekend – Caoimhe Aoife Lynn and Leah Kate  
Roche.



**Sunday, 5<sup>th</sup> Nov:** Our God is a God who does not forsake us: we are never, ever 'God-forsaken'. With this confidence, we come into God's presence.

**Readings for Today – Sun: 5<sup>th</sup> Nov:** *The First Reading:* God's



priests here receive a warning. God's word and his blessings are not to be tampered with. His righteous demands are not to be overlooked. *The Second Reading:* St. Paul rejoices because people have accepted the gospel as 'God's message and not some human thinking'. With God's help, may we do

the same. *The Gospel:* Ambition and arrogance are permanent temptations for people in positions of influence. Our Lord gives a simple but direct remedy: 'The greatest among you must be your servant'.

**Parish Notices:** Collections: Sat. & Sun. 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> Oct: First Collection -

€1230; 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): €1065: For Diocesan Projects. Many thanks for your generosity. Planned Giving (Envelopes) €850; Standing Orders €576: For Parish Maintenance & Development. We thank all those who contribute faithfully every week.

**Annual Mass:** To remember Parishioners who have died during the year takes place on Friday, 10<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm. All are welcome.

**Miscarriage Association of Ireland:** Will hold its Annual Service of Remembrance on Sun. 12<sup>th</sup> Nov 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.

**Confirmation Mass:** The next mass for the young people of the parish preparing to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation will be at the Saturday evening Vigil Mass 7pm on 11<sup>th</sup> November.

**Anam Cara:** Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its next monthly Parent Evening on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November from 19:30 to 21:00 in the Maldron Hotel, Whitestown Way, Tallaght, Dublin 24. This event is open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether the death was recent or not. For more information see [anamcara.ie](http://anamcara.ie) or call our Information Line on 085 2888 888.

**Photographs:** Seeking copies of parish events and places that may be useful for a proposed book on the parish of Esker/Dodsboro/Adamstown. Photos may be left into the parish office marked for the attention of Maria Murphy. Thank you.