

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

11<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2018



Welcome To  
St Patrick's Esker/Dodsboro/ Adamstown  
March 11, 2018

**Mass Intentions for coming week: Saturday, 7pm:** Louie Pacini (A);



Especially remember Eileen Floody (A); Anita Curran Walsh (A);  
Remember Marie O'Dwyer (A); Michael & Marie O'Dwyer  
Birthday Remembrance; **Sun: 9am:** Bridie O'Leary (RIP);  
Deceased members of Phelan Family;

**10.30am:** Ada, Gerard & Maura Doyle (A); Bridie Brady (RIP); **12 noon:** Marie Coleman  
(A); Mary O'Brien (RIP); Remember Teresa & John Maloney (A); Anthony & Julia  
Goldrick (A); Frank Duffy, Eugene Tully & Maura Murphy (A) .

**Mon. 10am:** Vera Scott (RIP); Niamh Rankin (RIP); **Tues. 10am:** Charlie Murray (A);  
Sean O'Hara (RIP); **Wed. 10am:** Molly Kenny (RIP); Jim Valentine (RIP); Anita Walsh  
(A); **Thurs. 10am:** Pat Clarke (RIP); Tina Flynn (RIP); **Fri. 10am:** Anne Mullally (A);  
Michael Lindsey (RIP); **Vigil - 7pm:** Ann Duffy (RIP); Niamh Rankin (RIP); **Sat. 10am:**  
Mark Hogan (A); Kathleen Boyle (RIP).

**St. Patrick's Day Masses: Vigil Mass 7pm on Friday**

**10am on Saturday**

**Baptisms:** Welcome into the Christian Community this  
weekend – Seán McCrory, Cody Byrne Heeney, Megan Wren  
and Alayia Petts .



**Readings – Sun. 11<sup>th</sup> March:** The season of Lent is a time of joyful  
reconciliation. In this Eucharist, we take part joyfully in the sacrifice of Christ which  
reconciled us to God.

*The First Reading* – At the centre of this reading we hear the chilling words, 'there was  
no further remedy'. Sin brought its inevitable suffering to God's people. But as time  
passed, it became clear that grace and mercy would have the last word.

*The Second Reading* – 'God loved us with so much love.' These opening words of the  
reading are a consolation and a challenge. Nothing gives more than love – and nothing  
asks more. *The Gospel* – It is a terrible thing to fear the light on account of one's  
deeds. It is a beautiful thing to seek the light out of a good and clear conscience.

**Collections:** Sat. & Sun. 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> Feb: First Collection - €1,485: 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. 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection (SHARE): €1,135: For Diocesan Projects. Thank you for your generosity. Planned Giving (Envelopes) €990; Standing Orders €576: For Parish Maintenance & Development. Thank you for your weekly contributions.

**Anam Cara South Dublin:** The organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on Monday, 12<sup>th</sup> March from 1930 to 2100 in the Maldron Hotel, Whitestown Way, Tallaght, Dublin 24. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death or whether their death was recent or not. For further information see [www.anamcara.ie](http://www.anamcara.ie) or call our Information Line on 085 2888 888.

## What's Happening for Lent

**DAILY MASS FOR LENT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH 10AM AND  
EVENING MASS ST. MARY'S CHURCH, LUCAN 7.30pm**

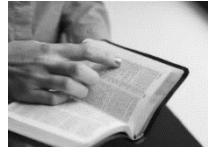
***"AS THE FATHER SENT ME, SO I SEND YOU"***

ECUMENICAL SCRIPTURE REFLECTIONS

WHERE: ST. PATRICK'S PASTORAL CENTRE

WHEN: MONDAYS, 12<sup>th</sup>, & 19<sup>th</sup> MARCH at 7.30pm.

(LEAD BY MINISTERS OF THE FOUR MAIN TRADITIONS -  
CATHOLIC, CHURCH OF IRELAND, PRESBYTERIAN, METHODIST)



### **ICONS OF THE HOLY FAMILY**



PARISH RETREAT LEAD BY FR. DAMIAN McNEICE  
(ASST. TO ARCHBISHOP OF DUBLIN DIARMUID MARTIN)  
DAILY MASS DURING THE RETREAT AT 10am ON  
WEDNESDAYS, 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, & 28<sup>th</sup> MARCH WITH  
PRESENTATION TAKING PLACE IMMEDIATELY

AFTERWARDS IN THE CHURCH (FOLLOWED BY REFRESHMENTS IN THE  
PASTORAL CENTRE)

**Parish Book Launch:** You are invited to the launch of "*A Parish*

*Journey*" by **Maria Murphy** - the story of St Patrick's Esker, Dodsboro, Adamstown in the Lucan Spa Hotel on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March at 8pm (St Patrick's Eve). RSVP by Mon. 12<sup>th</sup> March to 01 6281018 or email [stpatrickschurchesker@eircom.net](mailto:stpatrickschurchesker@eircom.net).