

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

NEWSLETTER

3RD JUNE 2018



Welcome To
St Patrick's Esker/Doddsboro/ Adamstown
June 3, 2018

Mass Intentions for coming week: **Sat. 7pm:** James & Elizabeth English



(A); **Sun. 9am:** Eamonn Byrne (RIP); **10.30am:** Ann Kinsella (RIP); **12 noon:** Kathleen Kelly (A).

Mon. 10am: Mary Byrne (RIP); Ann Kennedy (RIP); **Tues. 10am:** John & Margaret O'Sullivan (A); Frederick Byrne (RIP);

Bridie Gorman Intentions; **Wed. 10am:** Timothy Moynihan (A); Stephenson & Fahy Families & Favours Received; **Thurs. 10am:** Eileen King (RIP); Anthony & Mary McGinty (RIP); **Fri. 10am:** John Dowd (RIP); John Malone (RIP); **Sat. 10am:** Nancy Byrne (RIP); Bridie Gavern (RIP).

Remember Edith & Patrick Hand and Johnny Griffin whose anniversaries occur this weekend.

Baptisms: Welcome into the Christian Community

this weekend – Daniel Walsh, Reggie Rooney and Amelia Lynch.



Sunday, 3rd June – Corpus Christi: In the Eucharist, the Lord has left us the gift of his body and blood. It is this gift that gathers us together each Sunday.

Readings – Sun. 3rd June: *The First Reading* – The earliest roots of the Eucharist lie in the sacrifices offered to God by his people Israel. But now, it is the Lord who gives himself to us. *The Second Reading* - The letter to the Hebrews shows that Christ is the fulfilment and the perfection of all the earlier sacrifices. The blood of animals was once used to restore people to holiness, but now, it is the blood of Christ himself that is shed for us. *The Gospel* – At the supper, Jesus took some bread, he blessed



it, broke it and gave it. These four actions taking, blessing, breaking and giving, are central to every celebration of the Eucharist.

Collections: Sat. & Sun. 26th & 27th May: First Collection - €1,120;

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): €1,020: For Diocesan Projects. Thank you for your generosity. Planned Giving (Envelopes) €724; Standing Orders €576: For Parish Maintenance & Development. Thank you for your weekly contributions.

Exams: Best wishes to all students in the parish who are beginning their Leaving and Junior Certificate examinations this week. May the Holy Spirit enlighten and guide them on their journey.

Anam Cara South Dublin: The organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on Monday, 11th June 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 more information see www.anamcara.ie or call or Information Line on 085 2888 888.

Barnardos: Barnardos is seeking parishioners to support them with 1-2 hours of their time to help collect funds on **Barnardos National Collection Day, kindly supported by Dell, on Friday, 14th September 2018.** We need volunteers to help with organised bag-pack or on-street collections in their local community. All money raised on the day will help change the lives of vulnerable children and their families in communities around Ireland. Every hour of volunteered will give hope and create brighter futures. To hear what's planned in your community for the day and how you can get involved please contact Robyn Macken on 01 7080418 or email buckets@barnardos.ie

St. Patrick's Prayer Group: This group will not meet this Monday night due to the Bank Holiday, but will resume again the following Monday night, 11th June.