

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

NEWSLETTER

24<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2019



Welcome To  
St Patrick's Esker/Doddsboro/ Adamstown  
February 24, 2019

**Mass Intentions for coming week:** **Sat. 7pm:** Margaret & Edward

Redmond (A); **Sun 9am:** Kay Curry (RIP); Harry Murphy (RIP); **10.30am:** Barbara Sullivan (RIP); **12 noon:** Paddy Byrne (A). **Remember:** Patsy Craig, Joan Purcell, Kevin O'Reilly, Maria Callaghan, Ann Redmond, Sean Flynn and Ellen Mongan whose anniversaries occur and Jack Dempsey who died recently.

**Mon. 10am:** Cecilia Burrows (RIP); Mary Vahy (RIP); John Thompson (RIP); **Tues. 10am:** Sadie Delehanty(A), Joan Purcell (A); Phyllis Boyce (RIP); Kit Manning (RIP); Michael Roosello (RIP); **Wed. 10am:** Cormac Hayes Intentions, Una O'Keeffe Intentions, Henry & May Kennedy Skipton (RIP); Aine Keating (RIP); **Thurs. 10am:** James Dunne (RIP); Purcival Family Intentions; Intentions of Marymount Care Home from Maureen McNulty; **Fri. 10am: First Friday – Altar List of the Dead;** **Sat. 10am:** Patricia McDonnell (RIP); May Donachie (RIP).

**Sun. 24<sup>th</sup> February** ~ At the heart of our relationship with God is trust: trust in his goodness and in his mercy. Let us renew that trust as we begin this celebration of the Eucharist.

**Readings – Sun. 24<sup>th</sup> Feb:** **The First Reading:** David shows mercy to someone who had sought to harm him. Mercy is not a generic, spineless matter: it is a concrete decision in favour of those who have not shown one favour. **The Second Reading:** As a wise teacher and catechist, St. Paul finds it useful to draw comparisons and contrasts between the sinful Adam and the sinless Christ. Indeed, he 'nicknames' Jesus 'the last Adam'. In Adam, sin had the first word, but in Christ, sinlessness has the last. **The Gospel:** There is only one way Jesus can have spoken these words with conviction: he was convinced of the love of God the Father. Only those who know they are loved by God can find the wherewithal to love those who do not love them.

**Bethany Bereavement Support Group:** 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. To contact telephone 089 250 7213.

**Diocesan Survey on the Sacraments:** I am involved with the diocese in compiling views on sacramental practice as it now stands. The attached link will take you five minutes to fill in. It is private, however, there is a space to list your parish. Thanks. Fr. John. <https://www.dublindiocese.ie/survey-on-sacraments/>

## Adamstown Youth & Community Centre: Centre Attendant (Part-Time) - Adamstown Youth & Community Centre

(AYCC) is a modern multi-purpose facility. The Sports Hall and Facilities are shared with the local community and the adjoining Adamstown Community College. The centre consists of a large Sports Hall, a Fitness Suite, two All-Weather Pitches and three Community rooms. AYCC would like to invite applications for a **Part-Time Centre Attendant**. Details of the position and the job description and an Application Form can be requested by mailing [jobs-aycc@gmail.com](mailto:jobs-aycc@gmail.com). Official Completed Applications should then be submitted by email only to [jobs.aycc@gmail.com](mailto:jobs.aycc@gmail.com) for the attention of the Chairperson, Adamstown Youth & Community Centre before 5pm Mon 25<sup>th</sup> Feb 2019.

## Liffey Sound 96.4FM: "GREAT NEWS FOR FANS OF TRAD & FOLK!

Brian Hughes, award winning programme, CEOL GO LEOR will now be broadcast over an extended 2 hour weekly slot on Liffey Sound 96.4 FM, at the new time of Sunday morning from 8 to 10am. Starting Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> February, tune in and enjoy 2 hours of great music to get your Sunday off to a flying start. **LUCAN LIVE** - Among guests on next Wednesday's "LUCAN LIVE" at 3pm will be Lucan man, Turlough Downes, who recently helped solve the cosmic riddle on the birth of the black holes and Frances Fitzgerald, TD. [www.liffeysoundfm.ie](http://www.liffeysoundfm.ie) or catch up on Facebook.

**First Inaugural Table Quiz** for Scoil Áine and St Thomas's Schools takes place on Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> March in the Lord Lucan at 8 p.m. Promises to be a good night with many prizes! All Welcome.