

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

**19<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2019**



Welcome To  
St Patrick's Esker/Doddsboro/ Adamstown  
May 19, 2019

**Mass Intentions for coming week:** **Sat. 7pm:** Marion Tracy (A);



Remember Ray Whelan (A); **Sun: 9am:** David Foran & Family Anniversaries; **10.30 am:** Hannah & William Brennan (A); **12 noon:** Lizzie & Michael Kenny (A) Remember Maura Mulligan, Mary, Philip & Paul Smith,

and Mary Stephenson whose anniversaries occur and Kathleen Balfe whose funeral took place this week.

**Mon. 10am:** Timothy Moynihan (A); Michael Treacy (RIP); Special Intentions; **Tues. 10am:** Mary Stephenson (A); Catherine Fahy (RIP); **Wed. 10am:** Anthony McLoughlin (RIP); Mary Dolan (RIP ); **Thurs. 10am:** Philip McManus Birthday Remembrance; Clare O'Mahony (RIP); **Fri. 10am:** Teresa Burke (RIP); Babs O'Brien (RIP);

**Baptisms:** Welcome into the Christian Community  
this weekend – Jack Hughes



**Sun. 19<sup>th</sup> May** ~ Easter is the season of God's victory over death and of the victory of Christ's disciples over suffering and discouragement. We gather as victors in Christ.

**Readings – Sun. 19<sup>th</sup> May:** **The First Reading:** Paul and Barnabas engage in the wonderful task of 'putting fresh heart' into disciples. **The Second Reading:** The Bible opens with God's creation of heaven and earth. Now, as it closes, the promise of the first creation is fulfilled, in 'a new heaven and a new earth.' **The Gospel:** It is when he is about to depart from his disciples that Jesus leaves them the commandment of love. To love is even more important than to see or understand!

**Collections:** Sat. & Sun 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> May: First Collection - €1170; 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): €1160: For Diocesan Projects. Thank you for your generosity. ENVELOPES: €1085; Standing Orders €576: For Parish Maintenance & Development. Thank you for your weekly contributions.

**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.

**Remembrance Service – ALLF:** A Little Lifetime Foundation (ALLF) will hold a Blessing of Remembrance in Glasnevin Cemetery at the Old Angels Memory Garden on Sunday, 26<sup>th</sup> May at 3pm. This special Blessing of Remembrance is for all parents, family members and friends who lost a baby through miscarriage, stillbirth, cot death or died shortly after birth. This invitation is for all families who have lost a baby – we hope you will find some comfort in coming together to remember your baby in a special way.

**First Holy Communion:** As the school children will be making their First Holy Communion, Saturday morning Mass on the 25<sup>th</sup> May will be at 9.00am. Congratulations to the boys and girls from Scoil Mhuire, Woodview/Airlie Heights, who celebrate their First Holy Communion this weekend. May the Lord guide and protect them always.

**Take a Moment:** No one lives by chance. Everyone, everything has a purpose, a part to play in the grand design that is creation. (*St. Stan's Book of Inspirations*)