



CHURCH OF ST. CRONAN BRACKENSTOWN PARISH PARISH NEWSLETTER

3rd April 2016 — Year C



"Peace be with you. As the Father sent me, so am I sending you."

Itinerary

- 2:45pm Welcome
- 3:00pm Introduction and Blessing of Image
- 3:10pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the beginning of Confession
- 3:15pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy
- 3:30pm Rosary followed by Veneration of the Image and Blessing with the Relic of St. Faustina
- 4:00pm Stations of the Cross
- 5:00pm Benediction
- 5:30pm Celebration of the Eucharist

During the afternoon, tea & coffee will be available in the Parish Pastoral Centre

MASS INTENTIONS

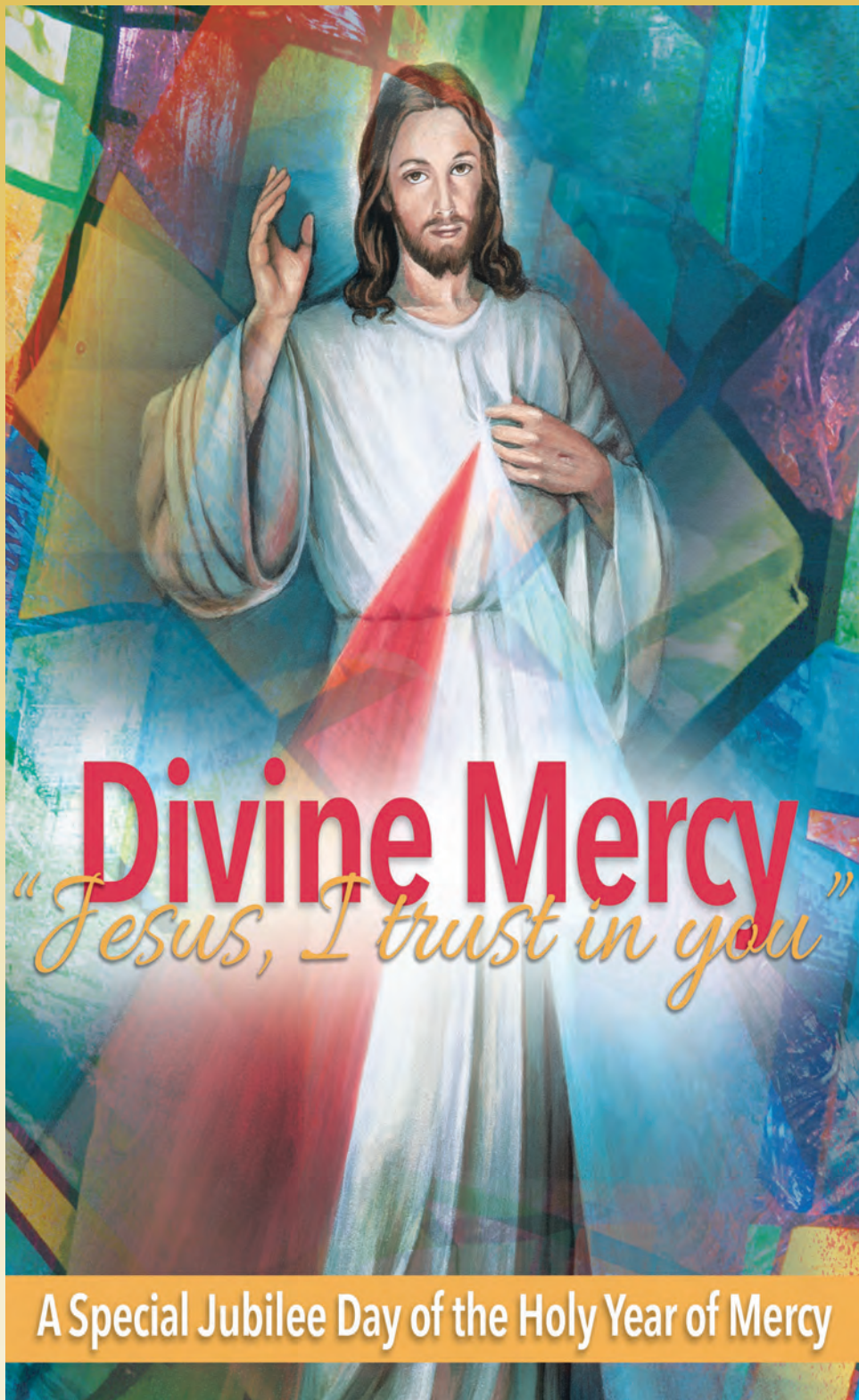
- 6:30pm Bernard McGlynn (A)
- 9:00am Altar List of the Dead
- 11:00am Anne, James, Teresa & Anthony Marmion (A)
- 12:30pm Eileen Brown (4th A)
- 5:30pm Francis & Angela O'Brien (A)

PRAY FOR

Mr & Mrs J. Sheridan (A)
Paddy Power (3rd A)

MASSES NEXT WEEK

- Mon: Maoliosa & Bobby McCourt (A)
- Tues: William & May Nolan (A)
- Wed: Fergus MacAlevey (A) & Dcsd Family Members
- Thurs: Michael O'Toole (A)
- Fri: Marie Dillon (A)
- Sat: Ann Farren (A)



A Special Jubilee Day of the Holy Year of Mercy

Please take this Newsletter home with you

PARISH DIARY

DATE	EVENT	VENUE
APRIL		
9th	Do This In Memory Mass	6:30pm
10th	Do This In Memory Mass	12:30pm
15th	Evening of Healing Led by Eddie Stones	7:00pm

THE PARISH DIARY IS AVAILABLE ON THE WEBSITE

Blessing of the Pastoral Centre



The Official Opening and Blessing of the Pastoral Centre

Archbishop Diarmuid Martin has accepted the invitation of the Parish Pastoral Council to open and bless the Pastoral Centre. This will take place on Sunday 5th June. Archbishop Martin will celebrate the 12:30pm Mass and afterwards will bless the Centre.

The Parish Pastoral Council are looking for suggestions as to how we will celebrate this occasion and will also be looking for people to be involved with organizing and running the celebration.

Holy Land - Year of Mercy Christian Solidarity Pilgrimage

Led by Archbishop Eamon Martin

9 September 2016 - 8 nights
direct flights

€1,495.00 pps half board

Contact MAP Travel

01 8783111 www.maptravel.ie

A Stop Smoking Course commences in Swords Health Centre for Women and its free of charge! It's from 6th April at 7pm-9pm. You can self register on the website www.cancer.ie or contact

Nuala 01 826 0345

Jillian 01 877 1550



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QQI Level 3, 4 and 5 courses to get you on the road to work:

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Wednesday 6th April
10.30am - 12.30pm

Come along and see what we have to offer.

We are available to answer any questions you may have!

National Learning Network

Balheary Road, Swords, Co. Dublin (Beside Atlas Tyres)

For more information & to book your place today, phone: 01-8404120



MSZE SWIETA

Msze Swieta w Jezyku Polskim w
Niedziele 13 Marzec, o godz
18:45. (Spowiedz 18:15 - 18:40).

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



Mon: 10.30 am - 11.30 am

Wed: 6.00 pm - 11.00 pm

Fri: 10.30 am - 5.45pm

Sat: 10.30am - 11.30am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place the last Sunday of every month from 4pm-5pm. Can you stay one hour with me? We encourage new people to come and join us.

PRAYER MEETING

Prayer Meeting on **Tuesday next, 5th April**, from 8pm-9pm in Sister's House, 29 Brackenstown Village (opposite School). This Prayer Group promotes devotion to Servant of God, Frank Duff, Founder of Legion of Mary. Everybody most welcome.

FAMILY OFFERING

We thank all those parishioners who support the running of the parish through the Parish Family Offering fund.

Jan Standing Order €3,857

Outdoor Collection €648.54

Annals/Half Yearly 0.00

PARISH PASTORAL CENTRE FUNDRAISING

The following are weekly totals:

Buy-A-Brick Appeal € 20,878

Pastoral Centre Donations; €26,586

Parish Centre Appeal Total €47,464.28

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Prayer books, rosary beads, medals, cards etc. for 1st Holy Communion available from Legion of Mary in main porch after Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses.

DIVINE MERCY CANDLE SETS

Replacement Candles available main porch after weekend Masses.

Please support The Ronald McDonald House

Annual Cycle Fundraiser

Ronald McDonald House #Cycling4Families

The Cycle takes place around the
Blessington Lakes in Co Wicklow on Saturday April 16th 2016.

Register now at www.rmhc.ie or email fundraising@rmhc.ie

Many thanks to all who have left back their Trócaire Boxes. If you have a Box to be returned, you can leave it into the Sacristy or the Parish Office.



PATH FOR LIFE

Retirement Workshop

Throughout your working life, how often have you said... "When I retire I'm going to..."

Now is the time to fulfil your dreams. This workshop will draw on the wisdom of your life experiences and help you explore the freedom and gift of retirement. It will bring you on a journey of guided discovery through many questions as you contemplate this stage of your life:

- ◇ How do I relate to this stage of my life?
- ◇ What is life presenting to me now?

Workshop runs each Thursday from 14th April-5th May 2016
7:30pm-9:30pm in St. Cronan's Pastoral Centre, Cost €60.00

Contact Ann at: ac1pathforlife@gmail.com

Or phone 087 6138 680

Live for the present—it is alive and full of potential!



164 Brackenstown Scouts

We are holding a Cake Sale next weekend after all Sunday Morning Masses — your support would be much appreciated!

We are also continuing to collect unwanted clothes, shoes, bags, belts and soft toys to raise much needed funds. Our next collection date is 1 June 2016. Please feel free to drop off any bags to the Scout Den. Thank you for your support from 164 Brackenstown Scouts.



A Night of Healing

Introducing Eddie Stones



"The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light"

Emmanuel House of Providence is a Catholic centre for prayer and evangelisation located in the very heart of Ireland. It was founded by Michael and Annette Cullen who had given their lives to imparting the faith to young people in the United States and in Ireland. In 1985 they were led in faith to Clonfert with the desire to found there a Catholic spirit filled centre. The Irish version of the name, Clonfert, means 'field of miracles' —it is the site of a 6th century monastery of St. Brendan the Navigator. This is the most famous of the many monasteries founded by that great saint.

Emmanuel House of Providence is under the ecclesiastical authority of Bishop John Kirby of Clonfert. The buildings are sited about 300 metres from the old Cathedral. A beautiful new oratory has been built, and a large meeting hall, tearoom, toilet block, ten confessionals and a Divine Mercy Shrine. The old stone farm buildings have been renovated to provide living accommodation, office, shop and other facilities.

Eddie was a successful butcher in his home town of Clara, Co. Offaly, where he lived with his wife Lucy and their children. In 1990, Eddie and Lucy Stones moved to Emmanuel House with their family in response to God's call. The following year God called the Cullen family to a new ministry in Wisconsin, USA, their work of getting Emmanuel House off the ground now complete. The vision of Eddie and Lucy Stones for the centre is that it is a spiritual hospital where people can experience the healing power of God in spirit, mind and body.

Each week at Emmanuel House Eddie conducts a Healing Service with huge numbers in attendance. Every Wednesday at 12, and every Thursday at 7pm. On the last Saturday of every month there is a Healing Day which begins at 10.30am. At each of these services the Sacrament of Reconciliation is available, accompanied with recitation of the Holy Rosary, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, and most importantly the celebration of Holy Mass.

Testimonies of a Few of the Healings that have occurred here

A young boy who never spoke for 5 years; after attending a Healing Service spoke his first words on the way home.

Sr. Shelia, Sligo: Healed of Tinnitus.

Michael, Roscommon: Healed of rapid angina. Now 100 years old.

Tony, Meath. Healed of lung cancer.

Programme for Friday 15th April in St. Cronan's Church

7:00pm Blessed Sacrament is Exposed

Rosary led by Eddie Stones

Sacrament of Reconciliation begins

8:00pm Celebration of the Eucharist

9:00pm Eddie will pray with people individually

The Rosary and other prayers will be ongoing

During the evening the Pastoral Centre will be open for refreshments and bathroom facilities.

Volunteers Needed

For the 15th of April when we will host Eddie Stones Healing Service we need a number of volunteers.

We will need stewards for the night. If you can help please contact Declan Colgan.

We will need people to provide refreshments in the Parish Centre. If you can help please contact Rita Long.

We will need people to lead the Rosary. For this we have divided the Rosary between four groups. Each group needs five people to take a decade each.

Joyful Mysteries: Various groups of the Legion of Mary. If you can help please contact Brona Snow

Sorrowful Mysteries: Ministers of the Word. If you can help please contact Paul Moreland

Luminous Mysteries: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Group. If you can help please contact Mary Martin.

Glorious Mysteries: Ministers of the Eucharist. If you can help please contact Teresa McQuillan.

The Rosary will be prayed after Mass as Eddie prays with individuals.

PARISH INFORMATION

Mass Times:

Sunday: 6:30pm (Sat. Vigil); 9:00am, 11:00am, 12:30pm & 5:30pm

Weekday Mass:

Monday to Saturday 10:00am

Holyday Mass:

Vigil 7:30pm; 10:00am

Confession:

Saturday 10:30am to 11:00am and 6:00pm to 6:20pm

Fr. Paul Thornton, Adm,
Fr. Joseph Njanackal, C.S.T., C.C.
Br. Martin Bennett, OFM Cap. Deacon
Peter Siney, Pastoral Worker
Louise Donnelly, Secretary

After 10:00am Mass on the Thursday before the First Friday
01 8401661 – 087 7404729 – pauljthornton@gmail.com
01 8408926 – brackenstownparish@gmail.com
martbennett@gmail.com
089 4614226 – peter.siney@dublindiocese.ie
01 8401188 – brackenstownparish@gmail.com
Mon to Fri. 9.30am – 1.00pm



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CHURCH GATE COLLECTIONS

2/3 April

VDP Monthly Collection

9/10 April

Scouts Cake Sale

16/17 April

Priesthood Collection

- Replaces Share Collection

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