

CHURCH OF ST. CRONAN ✕ BRACKENSTOWN PARISH

8th September 2019 ✕ 23rd Sunday Ordinary Time ✕ Year C



Parish Newsletter

Brackenstown Bible Study Group

is pleased to announce the following talk in
St. Cronan's Pastoral Centre

On MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH AT 7:30PM

"The Story of the Early Church"

Given by Joseph River,
Lecturer in Scripture, DCU

ALL ARE WELCOME!

*On Monday, September 16th at 7.30pm we will
be resuming our study of the Acts of the Apostles
with a review of Acts 17*



RATHBEALE RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

50TH ANNIVERSARY

ASSEMBLY OF BRACKENSTOWN PARISH - ST. CRONAN'S CHURCH



AIM:

TO GATHER TOGETHER AS PARISHIONERS OF ST. CRONAN'S PARISH, BRACKENSTOWN
TO ACKNOWLEDGE, LISTEN, SHARE AND DISCERN NEW WAYS OF ENCOURAGING A
VIBRANT CARING AND WELCOMING FAITH COMMUNITY.

**YOU'RE INVITED TO JOIN US!
YOUR OPINION MATTERS!**

SATURDAY 19TH OCTOBER 2019

St. Cronan's School Hall

12.00 – 18.30

RSVP: On or Before Sunday 13th October 2019 to the Parish Office
Louise PH: 01-8401188
Email: brackenstownparish@gmail.com



A very enjoyable time was had at the 50th Anniversary Mass and Reception for Rathbeale Residents Association last Monday night here at St Cronan's Church.

A crowd of close to 300 enjoyed meeting up with current and former neighbours and recalling events over the 50 years. A special thanks to all who helped with organising the event and to Fr Paul for a lovely Mass especially his words on the importance of building communities and the example of Rathbeale in that regard. The active participation of all attending, especially the lovely hymn singing was appreciated.

SUNDAY MASS INTENTIONS

6:30pm: Ita McArdle (A)
9:00am: Altar List of the Dead
11:00am: Paddy, Annie, Dick & Liam Coscoran (A)
12:30pm: Daniel Delaney (31st A)
5:30pm: Margaret & Frances McLoughlin (A)

PRAY FOR

Pat Bevwyn (RD)
Michael Smith (A)
Patrick Tierney (36 A)

10 AM MASSES NEXT WEEK

Mon: George Shaw (1A)
Tues: Thanksgiving Mass
Wed: Catherine McDarby (A)
Thur: Special Intention
Fri: Tommy & Mary O'Callaghan (Rem)
Sat: Pat & Dick Delamere (A)

HEALTHCARE ASSISTANTS REQUIRED

Tara Winthrop Private Clinic would like to have interested parties apply for the position of Healthcare Assistants in the Nursing Home at Nevinstown Lane, Swords.

This is a very rewarding position in the local area with an excellent reputation for Care in the Community.

If you would like to apply, but are unsure whether you need specialist training or not, please do not worry as training will be provided.

If interested, please apply to:

Ms. Irene Hesse-Mason,
HR Manager,
Tara Winthrop Private Clinic,
Nevinstown Lane,
Swords, Co. Dublin.
Phone: 01 8079631



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 on the last Sunday of every month from 4pm–5pm. Can you stay 1 hour with me? We encourage new people to come & join us.

KNOCK PILGRIMAGE

Annual Pilgrimage to Our Lady's Shrine at Knock will take place on Sunday 29th September. If you would like to travel on this Pilgrimage, please book with Legion of Mary members in Main Porch after Saturday evening or Sunday morning Masses. Details on posters.

THE ROSARY

Praying for a special intention? Praying for peace? The Rosary Statue was blessed for use in the homes of the Parish at the last Candle Light Procession. If you would like to pray the Rosary and have the rosary statue in your home for a week, or get more information, please contact a member of Legion of Mary in main porch after Saturday evening or Sunday morning Masses.

HELP SPREAD THE GOOD NEWS

Could you give 20-30 minutes per month to help spread the Good News in your area? Helpers needed to deliver the free Catholic Paper "Alive!" in a number of areas of the parish... including St. Cronan's, Ormond Estate, Knocksedan and Swords Manor. Information from Legion of Mary members in main porch after week-end Masses or leave your name & phone number with Louise in Parish Office.



"LIKE" Legion of Mary Brackenstown Swords

The Annual Church Gate collection for St. Joseph's Young Priests Society will take place on the weekend of Sept 14 and 15th. The next meeting will take place on Tuesday Sept 10th.



St Joseph's Young Priests Society



Anam Cara North Dublin, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on Wednesday 18th September at 7:20pm in the Carnegie Court Hotel, Swords. 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. Please contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 for any queries.

Come to a reflective day about "God is Love" 1 John 4:8. The strands of time and eternity are intertwined in each/all of us.



Wednesday: September 18

Time: 10am – 4:30pm

Facilitated by: Sally Hyland

Cost €35

The day includes talks, Eucharist, Silence.

Bring a packed lunch, tea/coffee provided.

Carmelite Monastery, Seapark, Malahide

To Book: Contact Sally 087 6226620

Bridge Classes starting on 26th September in BASE
Enrolling Tuesday 10th September at 9-11am & 8-9pm
Phone Mary: 087 6192303

FAMILY OFFERING

Thank you for your support and generosity to the ongoing running costs of the Parish.

July Standing Order: €5,337.00

Family Offering: €695.05

First Collection: €1367.44 (€345.10 for tax reclaim)

CROSSCARE Collection: €3633.51

Meditation & Relaxation, St. Cronan's Parish Centre

"An Hour of Stillness, Calm & Peace"

Every Friday

10:45am to 11:45am

Cost €5



Facilitators: Ann 087 6138680 & Denise 086 0610463

New Sanctuary Furniture

We have had some responses to our fundraising appeal and so far €6,775 has been donated, this includes a donation to cover the cost of the Ambo from the Bible Study Group and a gift from the Marie Reparatrice Sisters to cover the cost of the Sanctuary Lamp. If you wish to make a donation there are envelopes at the display at the Main Door.



Praying with God's Word

23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: 1st Reading

Wis 9:13-18s; 2nd Reading Phm 9-10, 12-17;

Gospel Lk 14:25-33

24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:

First Reading: Ex 32:7-11, 13-14, 2nd Reading: 1 Tm 1:12-17; Gospel: Lk 15:1-32



View our Parish Webcam via the Parish Website www.brackenstown-parish.com



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