Father Des Doyle 844 7283 Father Eugen Rybansky 840 4162 Sister Josephine Keegan 840 5982

St Finian's Church and Our Lady Queen of Heaven

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6th September 2015 Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



Baptism Dates

Baptisms on the following Sundays at 12.30pm

Sept 13th and Sept 27th Oct 11th and Oct 25th Nov 8th and Nov 22nd Dec 13th and Dec 27th

Feast Days this Week

Tuesday 8th
The Nativity of the blessed
Virgin Mary.
Wednesday 9th
St Ciaran Abbot

Folk group

We sing every second Saturday evening Vigil Mass. We practice every Wednesday at 9pm. We would love some new members so if you love singing or playing music please consider us. Why not email us at rivervalleyfolkgroup@gmail.com

9/11 Memorial Mass Dublin Airport Church.

Mass will take place on Sunday September 13th at 11am in Our Lady Queen of Heaven Church. Join us in remembering all who lost their lives on that fateful day.

Sr. Roisin

Sr. Roisin will leave us in mid-September to take up a new appointment in Gorey. She arrived in River Valley with the first group of Loreto sisters who moved from North Gt. Georges St. to set up the Loreto College in 1988. The following year Roisin began training a choir for the Sunday morning family Mass and has continued in this parish ministry for the past 26 years. She has been a calm, committed, loving presence among us over all these years. We are so grateful as a community to have been blessed with Roisin's faithful service and as we thank her and wish her joy and fulfilment in her new ministry, we ask God to bless her and be with her always. There will be a coffee morning to say a big thank you and goodbye to Roisin on Saturday 12th September after the 11am Mass.

National Grandparents Pilgrimage to Our Lady's Shrine at Knock on Sunday 13th September. Blessing of the Sick at 2.30pm, Mass at 3.00pm. Chief Celebrant: Bishop Brendan Leahy, Bishop of Limerick. Guest Soloist: Fr. Liam Lawton. A bus will leave the Star pub at 8am.If you are interested please contact Nora at 8404247 or 0863292329.

Church gate collection next weekend will be in aid of St. Vincent de Paul

Weekend Collections 29th /30th August

For the running of our parish

Envelope Collection: €860 Standing Orders: €370

The above are the ONLY collections that stay in the parish to support the running costs of our parish. Please consider contributing if you don't already do so. Please contact Jackie in the parish office for details

Collections for outside the parish

Common Fund:

€620

(First collection)

Share Collection: (Second collection) €505

Parish Choir

The Parish choir will be resuming its music ministry on Sunday the 6th September at 11.30 Mass. If you enjoy singing and regularly attend that Mass why not join us? Rehearsals will be on Tuesday 8th September at 8pm in the church and, no: you don't need to audition or to be able to read music. Any queries contact Rita at 0879900963.



Congratulations
Brendan Russell and
Edana Farrelly

who were married here in St. Finian's yesterday.



Week commencing 7th September

Mon 7th Special Intention

Catherine o Connell (Birthday Rem)

Tues 8th Special Intention

Wed 9th Teresa Doyle (17th An)

Lily Bannon (25th An)

Thurs 10th Special Intention

Fri 11th Kevin and Janet Mc

Kevitt (50th Wed An)

Sat 12th

11am Bella Mc Gill (MM)

Vigil 6.30pm

Michael Gibson (An)

Sun 13th

10am Health Intention

11.30am Patrick Timothy (An)

Pro-life Talk

Pro-life talk by Dr. Patrick Carr of Mothers and Fathers Matter and Family and Life re: upcoming election strategy and update on 8th amendment at Carnegie Court Hotel, Swords, Tue 8th Sept 7:30pm, Viking suite. Please spread the word. Hope you can make it!