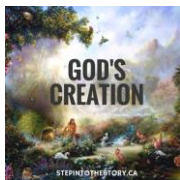


**THE TWENTY FIFTH
SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME**

**23rd September 2018
Diocesan Safeguarding
Sunday**

Our parish has two representatives Grace Murray and Catherine Byrne who work alongside Fr Des and Fr Antony and the Parish Pastoral Council to ensure that Diocesan safeguarding policies and practices are followed in the correct manner in the parish. More information can be found on this matter on the parish notice boards.

God's Gift of Creation



We celebrate God's wonderful gift of creation in all our Masses next weekend 29th/30th September. To decorate the altar we invite you to leave in some symbol of creation. This could be a flower, a plant, fruit, grain, vegetables etc. These will represent your thanks and praise to God as they form our centrepiece in the sanctuary. Please leave them in by midday Sat in the kitchen or on the altar steps. Any edible foods will later be distributed in the parish.

Blessing of pets



All God's creatures great and small. Next Sunday 30th September gives you the chance to have your pet blessed after the 11.30am Mass.



Loreto college will have it's opening Mass on Monday 24th September at 2.15 in our church to mark the beginning of the academic year.

Parish pastoral collection

There will be a parish pastoral collection next weekend after all Masses. All proceeds for this collection will stay in the parish for upkeep eg new lighting will be installed soon and we need to raise extra money for it.

Confessions

Please note that confessions are available Every Saturday after the 11am Mass.



Baptisms on the following
Sundays at 12.30pm
Oct 14th and Oct 28th
Nov 11th and Nov 25th

We welcome into the faith all babies who will be baptised this weekend.



Do This in Memory Enrolment ceremony will take place next weekend at the 10am Mass

**15th Sept/ 16th Sept
For the running of our parish**

Envelope Collection: **€615**
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 Stephanie in the parish office for details.

Collections for outside the parish

Common Fund: **€645**
(First collection)
Crosscare **€940**
(Second collection)



Mon 24th
Special Intention
Danny Synott (RD)

Tues 25th
Cecilia Kinnane (RD)
James Hession (RD)

Wed 26th
Mass in Thanksgiving
Eddie O' Sullivan (RD)

Thurs 27th
Noel Lawless (RD)
Kieran Hennessy (RIP)

Friday 28th
Francis Byrne (RD)

Saturday 29th
11am Florrie Madigan (RD)

Vigil 6.30pm
Phyllis Clarke (RD)

Eamonn Hanley (RD)

Sunday 30th
10am Maurice Walsh (RIP)
11.30am Michael Plunkett (AN)

Mary Plunkett (RIP)
Michael Lynch (5th AN)
Parents who have lost children around the time of birth



Recently Deceased in the Parish

Patrick Goulding (RIP)
Eamonn Hanley (RD)