



**DONNYBROOK PARISH**  
CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART  
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# Church Notices

*Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> / Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2017*

## **FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**FIRST COLLECTION** is for the support of priests of this parish, shared with the priests of the Diocese through the Common Fund. The **SECOND COLLECTION** is for SHARE, the diocesan fund for development, the provision of central pastoral and administrative services.

**PARISH MINISTRY GROUPS INVITE** Donnybrook Parish Pastoral Council is asking you to give special consideration to becoming more involved with the life of your faith community. This is an invitation to become active and use your gifts by volunteering to join some of the Parish Ministry Groups. Please pick up a Parish Renewal leaflet after Mass. Completed leaflets can be dropped into designated wooden box at the back of the Church. Please see overleaf.....

**PRAYERS FOR STUDENTS SITTING EXAMS** A book in which you can enter the names of those sitting Exams this year is at the main entrance of the Church. Prayers will be said for the intentions of all those whose names are entered into this book from now to the middle of June.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to the Girls and Boys from St Mary's and The Teresian Schools who were Confirmed last Sunday!

**FIRST COMMUNIONS** Congratulations to the candidates for First Communion from The Teresian School who celebrated their First Communion here this Saturday and we wish the candidates from St Mary's School all the best on their First Communion next week (20<sup>th</sup> May)!

**PATRICIANS DISCUSSION GROUP** this Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May in the Parish Centre and the discussion will be "Fatima" with Fr Bernard McGuckian SJ in attendance. All welcome!

**THE LEGION OF MARY** Invitation to meet members and hear about the work of The Legion of Mary in your parish. On Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> May after 6pm Mass and Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> May after all Masses in the old Adoration Chapel (*north transept of the Church*). New members will be most welcome! Contact Margaret on 086 3891595.

**DONNYBROOK RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION** Anyone wishing to travel on the DARA Annual Holiday to Sligo, 4<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> September, please contact Evelyn on 01 6684178.

**PARISH SHOP** Now available in the Shop – a range of materials for First Holy Communions.

**CHURCH GATE COLLECTION** This weekend the Church gate collection will take place for GORTA/Self Help Africa. Please support.

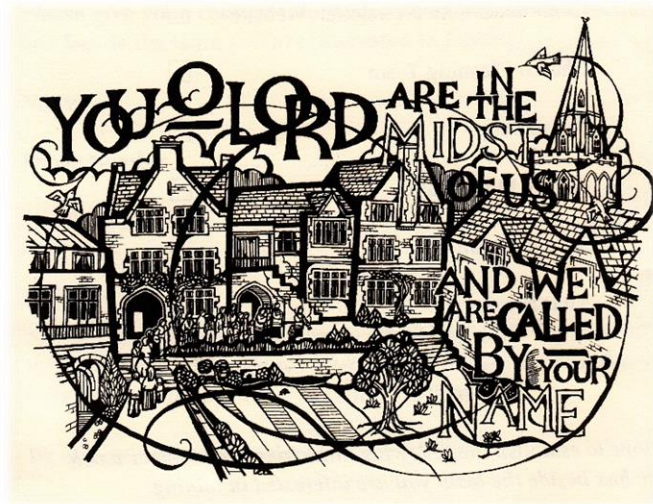
**PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

**Recently Deceased:** Thomas Patrick Kenny RIP

- 6:00pm: O'Hara Family (*Anniversaries*)
- 9:00am: Ita Hackett (*1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary*)
- 10:30am: Louis and Avril Arigho (*Anniversaries*)
- 12:00pm: John Daly (*Anniversary*)
- 5:30pm: John Shiels (*Months Mind*)

**Also:** Joan Hughes, Mary Cassidy (*Anniversaries*) and Romulo Ortiz (*1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary*)

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**Donnybrook Parish Council is seeking volunteers willing to help with a variety of Church ministries.**

If you would like additional information about any of these ministries please pick up an information leaflet in the Church. Details are also displayed on notice boards on the way into our Church.

We would welcome volunteers for all areas including Ministers of the Eucharist and Word.

We are hoping to establish a Baptism Ministry and a Funeral Ministry. It is hoped that we can establish a Liturgy Planning Team and a Welcome and Hospitality Team.

We would like to start a Sacristy Team (to assist the Sacristan).

If you are willing to become involved and share your time and talents please complete the application form (at Church doors) and indicate the group you are interested in joining.

Completed Application Forms can be dropped into the designated box at the back of the church or handed into the Parish Office during the week.

Many thanks!