Parish Liturgical Events

In Loving Memory

Please pray for the repose of the souls of all those who died recently. Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them, may they rest in peace. **Amen.**

Sunday Masses

6.30pm - Saturday Vigil

8.00am - General

10.00am - General

11.30am - Family Mass

All are invited to come along, children, parents and grandparents.

2.15pm - African Mass 1st Sunday of each month.

4.00pm - Indian Mass 2nd Sunday of each month.

6.30pm - Young Adults Mass

Sunday

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

St Albert the Great, bishop & doctor of the Church, is not celebrated this year

Monday

St Margaret of Scotland St Gertrude, virgin Evening Mass with Novena Prayers 7.00pm A Word on the Word 7.30pm (St Peter's Club)

Tuesday

St Elizabeth of Hungary, religious

Wednesday

The Dedication of the Basilicas of Ss Peter & Paul Cuidiu 10.00am - St Peter's Club

Thursday

Prayer for Vocations after Mass

Saturday

The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Sunday

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

St Cecilia, virgin & martyr, is not celebrated this year Readings

Dn 7:13-14.

Ps 92:1-2, 5, R/ v 1.

Apoc 1:5-8.

Jn 18:33-37.

"Abundant grace comes... only to the humble who realize that all the good done through them comes from God."

St Vincent de Paul



Mass Times

Sunday

Sat vigil (6.30pm) 8.00am, 10.00am, 11.30am & 6.30pm

Monday - Saturday

10.30am

(& Monday at 7.00pm followed by Novena, ex Bank Holidays)

Holy Day

10.30am & 6.30pm

Confessions

Saturday, immediately following the 10.30am Mass and at the Parish Office by request

Parish Clergy

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St Peter's, Phibsborough Parish Newsletter

THE END OF THE WORLD

Next week we come to the end of the Church's liturgical year and therefore on this Sunday the readings traditionally speak about the end of the world and the final coming of Jesus. There is a lot of symbolic language in today's Gospel, some of it which may distress us. The opening verses tell us of great destruction of things that we know we cannot survive without – the sun, the moon. The Gospel goes on to speak about the gathering of a great community. People in Jesus' time believed that the end would come in their lifetime. Jesus says that no one will know when this is to happen and that it is not for us to worry about. What we should be concerned about is how to live every day in God's love and service.

Today, we might recall times where we thought our worlds had ended because we lost something so important to us or we were suffering in some way. During that time it may have seemed like nothing would be the same again, but it was temporary; a new or different way of life was opened up to us as a result. The parable of the fig tree in the middle of this Gospel speaks to us about life and hope. In the midst of winter a small sign of hope was there even though we may not have seen it.

When you see these things taking place, you know that he is near. (Mark 13:29)

Jane Mellett

(taken from 'Intercom')

Parish Office

The office will be closed on Monday 16 Nov. Apologies for any inconvenience.

Monday Novena

"O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee." The Miraculous Medal Novena continues Monday evenings at 7.00pm (ex. Bank Holidays). All are encouraged to attend.

AMM Meeting

The Association of the Miraculous Medal will hold their next monthly meeting on Monday, 16 November in the Church directly after the Novena. The title of the talk by Fr Devlin will be 'The Miraculous Medal summaries how to live the Faith'. All are welcome.

A Word on the Word

Held on Monday's at 7.30pm in St Peter's Club (entrance is through the small black gate on the left hand side of the car park entrance), the sessions will focus on the readings for each coming Sunday.

Patrician Meeting (Discussion Group)

The Legion of Mary will hold a meeting on Tuesday, 17 November at 7.30pm in St Peter's Club. The topic for discussion is 'The Holy Souls'. All are welcome.

Cuidiu

Cuidiu Breastfeeding Group welcomes all mothers and babies on Wednesday's from 10.00am - 11.30am in St Peter's Club (entrance at car park on Cabra Rd).

Join us as we Pray for Vocations On Thursday's after Mass the Vincentian Community here in St Peter's invites you to join with them in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament for vocations to the Vincentian Community in Ireland.

Advice Station

On Sunday, 22 November, the local Community Gardai from Mountjoy Station will be available at the main entrance to the church from 10.30am to 12.30pm. If you have any queries regarding local issues such as crime prevention or you need forms signed and stamped for Passports, Driving Licences etc they will be able to help with that.

Christmas Fayre 2015

Volunteers Needed

St Peter's are hoping to run a Christmas Fayre on Friday, 11 December from 6.00pm - 8.00pm and we are looking for volunteers to help in the run up to it. Please leave your contact details with the Parish Office, tel: 838 9708 or email: info@stpetersphibsboro.ie.

Sacristan Expands Role

Kirsten Mahon now takes on the role of Pastoral Assistant. This involves preparing children individually and collectively for First Holy Communion and Confirmation, revival of the Baptism Programme and Children's Liturgy and she will assist with the pastoral needs of St Peter's. We wish her well as she takes on this role.

Please Remember

In order to maintain a prayerful atmosphere particularly during

Masses and other ceremonies we ask that you remember to turn your mobile phones off before entering the Church.

Remembering our Dead

November is a time to remember our loved ones who have died. If you would like to have your loved one prayed for, please take a November List and envelope, available at the doors of the Church and return it to the Parish Office. Mass will be offered daily from November to Christmas for our deceased loved ones.

Christmas Cards

Mass Bouquets €7 and Novena Cards €4 are now available from the Parish Office and the Repository.

Christmas Dues

Envelopes will be available at the Church doors from next weekend.

Church Gate Collection

This week's is the annual collection in aid of the Vincentian Lay Missionaries for the continuous works for the poorest of the poor in Ethiopia. VLM Volunteers who have worked in Ethiopia with the Daughters of Charity and Vincentian Fathers will speak at Masses. For more information on VLM or how you can volunteer with them please visit: www.vlm.ie.

Next week's will be in aid of the Ladies of Charity Christmas collection. This is their last collection for 2015. We ask you to be as generous as you can for this worthy cause which looks after some of the more vulnerable members of our parish. We also thank you for your continued generosity throughout the year.

Weekly Collections

Recent collections amounted to:

Church (8 Nov) = €1,240.40Share (8 Nov) = €383.36

Thank you very much for your support.

The Vincentian Community and St Peter's Parish

invite you, your family and friends to join with us for our

Annual Mass of Remembrance

when we call to mind our loved ones who have died during the past year

Sunday, 15th November at 6.30pm

St Peter's Church, Phibsborough, Dublin 7

