

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (Day of Prayer for Vocations)

30th April

We are all called into God's service, some as priests and religious. Today we pray for all people who have given their life to serving God and living his Gospel. We pray that many others may follow the Lord in this way.

MASSES

Vigil Saturdays 6p.m. Sundays: 9am & 11am
Weekdays: Monday to Saturday 10am

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 10.30am and 5.30pm

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World Day of Prayer for Vocations

'The one who enters through the gate is the shepherd of the flock; the gatekeeper lets him in, the sheep hear his voice, one by one he calls his own sheep and leads them out.'

Just as the sheep know the voice of the Shepherd, we pray today – the World Day of Prayer for Vocations, that those whom are being called will recognise the voice of the Risen Lord in their hearts and will follow him to serve as a priest, deacon or religious.

Legion of Mary

'Who is She?' A day long Conference for Our Lady takes place May 13th. Come to the historic DCU All Hallows' campus for insightful talks, prayer, Mass, good food and great company. What can we learn from early Irish Christian's Marian devotion? And how can we love Jesus as His mother loved Him? To find out, come join us May 13th, from 9.30 – 4.30 to DCU All Hallows, to find out. Cost €30. For more information or to book contact mariaassumptadublin@gmail.com

EDEL QUINN PRAYER GROUP

New time 8pm in the Pastoral Centre.
All Welcome.



SOCIETY OF AFRICAN MISSIONS (SMA)

Novena in honour of Our Lady Friday 19th to Friday 26th May. Celebration of the Sacraments and Reflection each day at 10am at SMA Parish Church, Blackrock Road, or join in the Novena Prayers at home.

View the Novena online at www.sma.ie

Click on SMA Webcams/St. Joseph's SMA Church, Blackrock Road. Novena closes with the SMA National Pilgrimage to Knock on Saturday 27th May. For information on SMA Pilgrimage Buses telephone the SMA house in your area.

Saturday 6th of May, Darkness into Light Walk from St. Anthony's BNS to the Japanese Gardens, commencing from 4.30am to 7am

Pupils, parents, neighbours and friends are welcome to walk from St. Anthony's BNS to the Japanese gardens where you can walk four laps or more, and then return to the school for light refreshments.

Collection buckets will be left in the gym, and you are welcome to donate if you like.

The Society of St Vincent de Paul

Greatly appreciate your continuing support.

April Collection: €1,610

Need help or wish to volunteer: Contact SVP 021 4270444

SVP Church Gate Collection next weekend 6th & 7th May.

BALLINLOUGH PARISH OVER 55'S MIXED GOLF SCRAMBLE 2023

We are delighted to announce that the above Outing will be held on Thursday 11th May 2023.

Venue: Douglas Golf Club.

Time: 10.30am to 12.20pm

9 or 18 holes, mixed scramble open draw.

Entry fee: €40 (cash) per person, price includes lunch.

Please include details of name, club, handicap, address, and contact number which should be handed in with entry fee not later than Tuesday 2nd May to: Our Lady of Lourdes, Parochial House, Ballinlough.

PLEASE PAY WHEN SUBMITTING ENTRY.

TIME SHEET will be in the porch of the Church on Friday 5th May.

