

# THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 5<sup>th</sup> November 2023

## Prisoners' Sunday

God's gospel is best served in the humble way of living among others, without pride, without jealousies, in example of Jesus himself.

### MASSES

Vigil Saturdays: 6pm

Sundays: 9am & 11am

Weekdays: Monday to Saturday 10am

### CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 10.30am and 5.30pm

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### Deaths

We remember in our prayers Dympna Fouhy, Ardfallen and Tadhg Pádraig Ó Laoghaire, Ballinlough/Bishopstown, may they rest in peace, our sympathies to their families, friends, and neighbours. Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them, may their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

### Feast Days of the Week

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> St. Willibrord was born in Northumbria in 658. He entered the Benedictine order and was sent to study, including spending twelve years at the monastery of Rath Melsigi, near Milford, Co. Carlow before going, with eleven companions, to evangelise Firsia. He established a mission at Utrecht and was ordained Archbishop of Utrecht by Pope Sergius I. He died in 739.

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> St. Martin of Tours. Bishop of Tours, apostle of rural Gaul, founder of monasteries. Patron of France, soldiers, beggars, and innkeepers.

### Prayer Group

Returns to the Pastoral Centre on Thursday next 9<sup>th</sup> November at 8pm.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary, discussion of the following Sunday's readings and Taizé music.

All welcome to attend.



### Blessing of Graves & Cemetery Prayers

St. Finbarr's Cemetery, Glasheen Road	Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> November at 2.30pm
St. Josephs Cemetery, Tory Top Road	Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> November at 2.30pm
St. James Cemetery Chetwynd, Togher (Off Bandon Road)	Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> November at 3pm
St. Michael's Cemetery, Blackrock	Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> November at 3pm
St. Columba's, Douglas Passage West	Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> November at 12.30pm
Rathcooney Cemetery	Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> November at 3pm
St. Mary's, Carrigaline	Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> November at 3pm

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul appreciates your continuing support.

October collection €1,335. SVP Church Gate Collection this weekend 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> November.



The Society of SVP needs volunteers urgently. For details about becoming a member of SVP you may contact ELLmarie Spillane: [ellmariespillane@svp.ie](mailto:ellmariespillane@svp.ie) 086 1837 273

Would you like to be involved in running Alpha in your Family of Parishes?



The Diocese is hosting an Alpha information afternoon for those who may be interested in running Alpha in their Parish/Family of Parishes on Saturday, November 25<sup>th</sup> from 1.30pm to 4.00pm in Ovens Parish Centre.

Alpha helps people not just to know about Jesus, but to come to know him personally.

Please confirm your attendance by contacting your Moderator/Co-Parish Priest, or the Office for Mission and Ministry at 021-7355517 (or through our Contact Form on the Diocesan website: <https://corkandross.org/office-for-mission-and-ministry>). We invite you to keep an eye on the Diocesan website which has full details of the training and formation offered by the Office for Mission and Ministry.



