



**WELCOME TO
ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH, BALLINTEER**

Sunday 22nd May, 2016

Parish Office Opening Hours: Monday – Friday 10.00am – 12 noon

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For past Sunday Messages, forms, live Mass and lots more - see our Website www.ballinteer.dublindiocese.ie



**Mass Intentions
for the Coming Week**

Saturday

6.00pm Josephine Geraghty (Anniversary)

Sunday 22nd May, 2016

9.30am Ann Glynn (recently deceased)

11.00am Aidan Leonard (6th Anniversary)

12.30pm Paul Doyle (Anniversary)

5.30pm Michael & Margaret Foley (Anniversary)

Monday

9.30am Deceased members of the Tierney & Coughlan families

Tuesday

9.30am Michael & Nora McManus (Anniversary)

Wednesday

9.30am Susan McCann (Anniversary)

Thursday

9.30am Jim and Annie Feighery (Anniversary)

Friday

9.30am Joseph, Josephine & Thomas Halliday (A)

Saturday

9.30am Mary O'Connor (Anniversary)

6.00pm Martin O'Connor (Anniversary)

Sunday 29th May 2016

9.30am

11.00am John, Kathleen & Maura, Michael, James & James Snr. Kennedy (A)

12.30pm Catherine Traynor

5.30pm Hilda Brady (9th Anniversary)

CHARITY BINGO NIGHT

**In aid of St. Michael's House,
Services for people with
Intellectual Disabilities**

Thursday 26th May 2016

St. John's GAA Club, Grange Road

Price: €10 per person

Doors Open at 7.30pm

Bingo Starts at 8.00pm sharp

**Raffle tickets sold on the night -
top prize Hotel Break for 2**

Prayer for Exams

Lord, as I prepare to sit my exams send your Holy Spirit to guide me and be with me. Thank you for the many talents and gifts you have given me and for the opportunity of education. Keep me calm. Help me do the best I can on the day of my exam. Help me to remember all that I have studied, to express it clearly and to answer the questions as best I can. Give me peace, understanding and wisdom and be with me today and always. Amen.

**BALLINTEER PARISH
CELEBRATING THE JUBILEE
YEAR OF MERCY
Wednesday 25th May 2016
at 8.00pm in the School Hall.
Guest Speaker Don Devaney.**

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Blessing of Remembrance:

A Little Lifetime Foundation is holding a special Blessing of Remembrance for all parents, family members and friends in Glasnevin Cemetery at the Old Angel's Memory Garden on **Sunday 29th May at 3.00pm**. If you need any further information about our service please contact us on **01 8829030**.

World Meeting of Families

'The strength of the family lies in its capacity to love and to teach how to love.'

Pope Francis April 2016

Pope Francis has chosen Ireland to host the 9th World Meeting of Families during 2018. The dates and theme of the Meeting will be announced by Pope Francis himself.

This is expected to attract thousands of Catholic families from around the globe to Ireland. Hosting a global event of this size require a huge amount of planning and financial outlay on behalf of the host country. Accordingly, Irish bishops have now established a National Finance Committee to provide advice on the financial planning for the World Meeting of Families in Ireland. To support the hosting of the event we intend to hold three national church collections, **the first of which will take place NEXT weekend 28/29th May 2016**. The remaining collections will take place in 2017 and 2018. For more information please visit worldmeeting2018.ie - this collection will replace the SHARE (the second) collection next weekend.

**Ballinteer Parish Twinning Project
300 Club Special Draw
For Week 7 - 19th May 2016**

1st Prize €100 Ronan Quinn (43)
2nd Prize € 50 Stephen Finn (23)
3rd Prize € 30 Sarah Heneghan (258)
4th Prize € 20 Joe McCann (235)

The Joy of Love

The new Exhortation by Pope Francis, following the two synods on Love and the Family, is now available on tables in the church, price €5. Further copies may be ordered at the Church Shop.

**Pontifical Irish College in Rome
A course for Parishioners
"Opening the Doors of Mercy"
5th - 9th September 2016**

If interested please contact email ufficio@irishcollege.org or see www.irishcollege.org or telephone **00 39 06 772 631** Irish College Rome.

Adoration continues in the Oratory.

Monday 7.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.
After 9.30 a.m. Mass until 1.00 p.m. on -
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday &
Friday.

All are welcome

**Adoration of Blessed
Sacrament**

Adoration takes place in our church as set out above. Every hour needs three to four people in attendance. We need new people to assist with these Adoration hours. Can you help? Please contact Pat Deasy, Anne Power or Fr. Belton through the Parish Office.

**Rosary Procession in Honour
of Feast of the Visitation**

will take place on **Tuesday 31st May at 7.00pm**. Meeting at Our Lady's Statue adjacent to St. Ann's Oratory then proceeding to the Grotto at St. John the Evangelist and followed by Eucharistic Holy Hour. Conducted by Rev. Fr. Liam Belton. **ALL ARE WELCOME.**

Financial Corner:

The weekly envelope collection **€538**.

The Roof Fund collection takes place **THIS** weekend.

The **CROSSCARE** collection last weekend raised **€2,346**.

We thank you for your continued support of all our collections.