



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

Sunday 28th August, 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 Donal Looney (Anniversary)

Sunday 28th August, 2016

9.30am Mary & Gerald Pluck (Anniversary)

11.00am Fiona O'Neill (32nd Anniversary)

12.30pm Jack Ward (Anniversary)

5.30pm **NO EVENING MASS in August**

Monday

9.30am Andrew Donaldson (Anniversary)

Tuesday

9.30am Nancy McArdle (recently deceased)

Wednesday

9.30am Elizabeth & Peter Fitzpatrick (A)

Thursday

9.30am **NO MASS**

10.00am in Meadowbrook or

10.30am in Dundrum

Friday First Friday

9.30am November Altar List of the Dead

Saturday

9.30am **NO MASS**

10.00am in Meadowbrook

6.00pm Mary Teresa Fahey (Anniversary)

Sunday 4th September, 2016

9.30am Síle Ní Mhaoláin (10th Anniversary)

11.00am Eileen Diggins (Anniversary) and deceased members of the Diggins family.

12.30pm Dave Egan (10th Anniversary)

5.30pm Jim Behan (Anniversary)

PASTORAL AREA MASS CHANGES

The **5.30pm Sunday Mass** resumes on Sunday 4th September, 2016.

For the summer we had no **Thursday Mass**. This **resumes** on Thursday 8th September.

NOTE: The Saturday morning Mass for our area will be in Meadowbrook at 10am with effect from 1st October 2016.

Because of the great devotion to Padre Pio the 9.30am Mass on the **second Saturday** of each month **will continue** in Ballinteer Church.

Meadowbrook has **no** Saturday evening Mass.

We may have to review this at some time in the future.

Fr. Liam Belton

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED
SACRAMENT** takes place on
Monday from 7.00pm to 8.00pm
Tuesday to **Friday** from
10am to 1pm.



Letter from Archbishop Dermuid Martin

Dear Father Belton,

Many will have seen the scenes of utter devastation that have followed the earthquake in Central Italy and in particular the town of Amatrice. Hundreds have died and thousands more are injured and have been left homeless.

I ask that you and your parishioners please remember all those who are suffering, especially vulnerable children and the elderly in prayer at Masses this weekend.

Despite the many demands on our own people at this time there are still many who may wish to reach out and support those affected and who have been left with nothing. In order to facilitate this, I would ask that parishes make collection boxes available in Churches this weekend and throughout the week for anyone who wishes to support the victims of the Italian earthquake.

Please ensure the collection boxes are clearly identifiable in a prominent place at the back of the Church and available **throughout this week**. This will not affect the normal first and second collections.

The funds collected will be sent directly to the Bishop of Rieti in whose diocese most of the damage has taken place and will be used for immediate relief support.

Yours very sincerely,
+ Diarmuid Martin
Archbishop of Dublin

There are boxes around the Church and if you wish to support this cause you can place your donation here.

INVITATION

Local Child Safeguarding Training Day

This training is suitable for Priests, Parish Staff, Sacristans and any person working directly with children.

Certificates will be provided.

Date: Saturday 10th September 9.30am - 3.30pm

Venue: Conference Room, St John the Evangelist Church, Ballinteer, Dublin 16
Light Lunch will be provided.

Facilitator/Trainer: Garry Kehoe

To book please contact Parish Office 01-4994203 or e-mail the Parish Office ballinteeroffice@gmail.com

**Ballinteer Parish Twinning Project
300 Club Draw**

For Week 1 - 25th August 2016

1st Prize €100	- Mena Lowe (199)
2nd Prize € 50	- Maire Ní Mhuiríosa (244)
3rd Prize € 30	- Collette Irwin (227)
4th Prize € 20	- Rosemary Bradley (221)

New members always welcome!

The Padre Pio Relic will be available for veneration during Adoration and Miraculous Medal Devotions in the Oratory on Monday night from 7.00 – 8.00pm.

**Koins for Kids
We want all your foreign coins
Out of date & damaged
currencies
Bus refund tickets**

A local student with some friends have set up a small voluntary charity putting all their efforts into the funding of whatever essential life-saving equipment "The New Children's Hospital" will need when building is complete.

They repatriate foreign coins, collect out of date and damaged currencies, bus refund tickets and they also collect 1c and 2c coin accumulations. So far they have raised in excess of €21,000 - but they intend to make a big difference to these children that suffer for reasons beyond their control.

If you have any, can you leave them in the Sacristy or the Parish Office.

No amount is too small-it all adds up! Your help will be greatly appreciated.

Website: www.koinforkids.ie

Email: liam@koinforkids.ie

**Leopardstown Hospital
Annual Garden Fate
Sunday 11th September**

1-5pm

ADMISSION €2

CHILDREN FREE

AMPLE CAR PARKING OR TAKE
THE LUAS TO CENTRAL PARK
STATION

Financial Corner:

* The Weekly Envelope Collection was - €512.

* The Roof Fund collection was €1,437.

The next Roof Fund Collection takes place on Sunday 4th September.

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