

Holy Spirit Parish Kimmage Manor Newsletter

In Partnership with Greenhills, Templeogue, Willington, & Terenure Parishes

Parish Church is open Monday – Friday from 10am – 4pm

Parish Office Open: Mon, Wed, Thurs, & Fri: 10am-2pm @ 01 4064377 (Brenda: Secretary)

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24th August 2025

Child Protection Contact: Linda & Dan Ahern 085-7637489

BAPTISMS: 3rd Sunday of the month (preparation meeting obligatory for the parents)

Administration

Church Collections – Thank you for your support

1st Collection/last week: this money goes to the Archdiocesan Offices to pay the **salary of all priests working in the Archdiocese of Dublin**, including the priests working in Kimmage Manor Parish = **€550**

2nd Collection/last week: Archdiocese of Dublin Support to Poorer Parishes & Parish Resources & Training = **€400**

There will be a **Finance Committee Meeting** this coming Tuesday, August 26th @ 11am in the Parish Office Room.

Kimmage Manor Church

We hope that our parishioners and visitors are enjoying the **August sunshine**. During this **month of August**, the following **initiatives** are taking place in the parish church:

We are **trying to free up space in many areas of the church**, as we are coming under increasing pressure for storing a variety of items. Many of the items that are stored in different areas of the church are no longer used in our parish. We have completed the cleaning the Storeroom beside the Sacristy and the Kitchen. The Sacristy and its adjoining room are being tackled now, while the large Storeroom at the back of the Parish Hall is being studied. The amount of non-essential items that are being disposed of is incredible.

The **Ethiopian Orthodox Church** have been using our church twice monthly on Saturdays and have been doing so for the last 3 years. The **Malankara Orthodox Syrian Church** (Indian Orthodox Church) have also recently made an application to use our church on Sundays from 1.30 - 7pm. It is important to communicate that both

groups use the church at a time when it is not used or needed by any other parish group. Both groups pay for the use of the church, and bills must be paid! Our welcome to the above Christian Churches is also a huge sign in the promotion of Unity between our churches (ecumenism), with Jesus Christ at its foundation.

We are **looking for a cleaner for the Parish Hall/Toilets/Kitchen**. We need someone to do 2 hours on a Monday & 2 hours on a Friday. If you are interested, please phone Fr Joe on 085 8584186.

Congratulations to those Leaving Certificate Students in our Parish who received their results on Friday last.

Faith & Liturgy

Date Aug	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
23 rd Sat	Leonie Masterson	Linda Ahern Katherine O'Malley
24 th Sun	Catherine McElroy	Brendan Curran Bridie Gallagher
30 th Sat	Margaret O'Shea	Marie Healy Peter McCarney
31 st Sun	David Pitta	Mary Tempany Suman Pitta

Congratulations to Senan Maloney & Caitriona Ryan (formerly Shelton) who will marry this coming **Friday, 29th August @ 1pm** in Kimmage Manor Parish Church.

What is Christian Faith? Christian faith refers to a deep trust and belief in God, characterized by confidence in His nature and promises. It is defined biblically as the assurance of things hoped for and the conviction of things not seen (Hebrews 11:1). This faith is not merely personal; it is also apostolic,

meaning it aligns with the beliefs held by the apostles. Living out this faith involves obedience and service to God, demonstrating one's trust through actions. Ultimately, Christian faith is a strong conviction in God's existence and His workings in our lives, even when not visibly evident.

The **Padre Pio Group** will meet in the Memorial Chapel, Kimmage Manor Parish on **2nd September**. It will begin with Rosary @ 9.40am, Mass @ 10am, followed by a blessing. If you are interested, please feel free to come along and listen to the story of St. Padre Pio.

Music Ministry Group: The 11am Mass Singers/Musicians group will be back leading the music at Sunday morning Mass on 7th September, please God.

'**Faith Promotion and Mission Group**' or (**Faith in Action Group**) will meet in the Parish Hall on Wednesday 10th September at 7.30pm and all subsequent Wednesdays. Our guiding principle is from St. James 2: 14-26 'Faith without good works is dead'.

September is the month we **celebrate Creation**, and there is much to be thankful for. So, our **Outdoor Mass** this year will take place on **Sunday, 14th September @ 11am**. The theme of this year's celebration is one of Hope & Peace; all welcome.

Legion of Mary: Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine on Sunday, 28th September. Bus from Greenhills Credit Union @ 8.30am. Cost €35 incl. morning break. Contact Mary @ 01-4503500.

Legion of Mary meet on Thursdays @ 11am in the Kimmage Manor Parish Office Meeting Room. All are welcome.

Something that might interest you!

Young Couple in our Parish are looking for Accommodation: The couple have one 1 infant and are looking for a 1- or 2-bedroom flat, or even a house to rent. If you can help, please phone Fr. Joe.

Bridge (cards) takes place on **Monday** from **7.30pm-9.30pm** in the Parish Hall. New Members are welcome, just turn up on the evening. If you want to know more about Bridge in Kimmage Manor, phone Ann @ 086 1598796.

The **Parish Book Club:** the book for our next meeting (**Thursday, 4th September @ 7pm** in the Parish Office Meeting Room) is 'The Time of the Child' by Niall Williams; all welcome.

Archdiocese of Dublin News

Noticeboard: Check it out

Pathways Exploring Faith & Ministry:

Who? Two-year course is aimed at adults of all ages looking to explore and grow their faith through inputs and small group sharing. Especially for members of PPCs and those in Parish Ministry.

When? Thursdays from 7.15pm-9.15pm from September 25th, 2025 – May 14th, 2026.

Where? Dublin City University, St. Patrick's Campus, Mater Dei Centre for Catholic Education, Drumcondra Road Upper, Dublin.

Cost: €300

For more information please visit

www.missionministry.ie/pathways or contact

peter.siney@dublindiocese.ie

Remembering those we love

Saturday 23rd August @ 6pm – St. Eugene (Eoghan) & St. Rosa of Lima

Thanksgiving & Congratulations to those who received their Leaving Certificate results recently

Sunday 24th August @ 11am

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Matt Maher RIP – 4th Anniversary

Michael O'Byrne RIP – 9th Anniversary

Paddy O'Dwyer RIP – Months Mind

Monday 25th August @ 10am – St. Louis & St. Joseph Calasanz

Alice & Charles Connolly RIP – Anniversary

Special Intention – Get Well

Intentions of Leonie Kretsch

Tuesday 26th August @ 10am

Leish Mulcahy RIP – Anniversary

Intentions of Susan Healy

Ogie Mehigan RIP – Recently Deceased

Wednesday 27th August @ 10am – St. Monica

Marie Dorgan RIP – 1st Anniversary

Anna Killen RIP – Recently Deceased

Bernie Mills – Special Intention

Thursday 28th August @ 10am

St. Augustine of Hippo

Donal Enright RIP – Birthday Remembrance

Breda Hanrahan RIP - Recently Deceased

Friday 29th August @ 10am

The Passion of St. John the Baptism

Michael Smith RIP – Anniversary

Intentions of Vlad & family

Saturday 30th August @ 6pm – St. Fiacre

Pat & Finbarr O'Regan RIP – Anniversaries

Bernie Morahan RIP – 11th Anniversary & also Peter & Betty Morahan RIP

Paddy Branagan RIP – 17th Anniversary

Sunday 31st August @ 11am

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time