

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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8th February 2026

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

Parish Administration

Church Collections

1st Collection: this money pays the salary of all priests working in the Archdiocese of Dublin (including our own priests) = **€475**

2nd Collection: this money supports Poorer Parishes, and it makes possible parish resources made available through the Archdiocese of Dublin. = **€345**

Thank you for your contribution

The **Annual collection for Relationship Care** (formerly Accord) will be taken up at all Masses next weekend (**14th & 15th February**).

St Vincent de Paul will take up their monthly collection after all masses next weekend also.

Safeguarding Training for all Parish

Volunteers: All Parish Volunteers who have yet to attend can do so at St. Pius X Parish Church, Templeogue on Tuesday, 3rd March @ 7.30pm.

Mass Cards for all occasions may be purchased from the Parish Office.

There will be a **Partnership Council Meeting** this **Tuesday @ 7.30pm in St. Jude's, Willington**. This is about 5 parishes working together as one.

The Committee for the **Visitation to the Sick** will continue their visitation this coming week.

Parish Groups

Legion of Mary: Mass for the beatification of Servant of God Alfie Lamb takes place on **Sunday 1st March at 12.30pm in St Agnes' Church, Crumlin**. Chief Celebrant will be The Papal Nuncio, His Excellency Luis Marino Montemayer. All are welcome - New members are always welcome to attend our weekly meeting at **11am on Thursdays in Kimmage Manor Parish Office**.

Faith & Liturgy

Condolences: In this last week we said farewell to **Mary Evers** (South Circular Road). We commend her to the Lord, and you are asked to remember her loved ones in your prayers.

Date Feb:	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
7 th Feb	Peter McCarney	Marie Blake Linda Ahern
8 th Feb	Elizabeth McElroy	Suman Pitta Mary Carr
14 th Feb	Katherine O'Malley	Marie Healy Katherine O'Malley
15 th Feb	Margaret Sheehan FCJ	Mary Tempany Bridie Gallagher

Next weekend we celebrate St. Valentine, celebrating what is best about relationships, remembering also those who have died.

Lay Led Liturgy Group will meet this Monday, 9th Feb @ 10.40am in the Parish Hall; all welcome.

Ash Wednesday (1st Day of Lent) begins on Wednesday, **18th February**. Please note, there will be a Vigil Mass @ 7pm on the Tuesday, and Mass on the Wednesday @ 10am.

Lay Lenten Liturgies: During Lent, members of our parish community will lead our liturgy on Wednesdays @ 10am. This acknowledges once again that we are all called to lead in our parish community.

Lenten Talks: You are invited during this Lenten time to think about your Christianity, inform what you believe in. On Wednesdays during Lent there will be a number of presenters/guests who will talk about their life's story, which includes their faith. Come and listen, ask questions, and be informed about your own faith. These talks as last year will

take place on Wednesday @ 7.30pm on **25th Feb, 4th March, 11th March, 18th March, & 25th March** in the Lower Community Room of the nearby Spiritan Missionary Residence. Please support this parish initiative, as we prepare for Easter; all are welcome.

Something that might interest you!

Parish Hall Activities:

Chair Yoga: On Tuesdays, @ 10.45am

Tai Chi: On Fridays, @ 10.45am

Indoor Bowling: On Fridays, @ 2pm

The **Bridge Club** continues on **Mondays** from 7-9pm in the Parish Hall; all plus a partner welcome.

Bishop Niall Coll will **launch a book** entitled **'Transformative Renewal in the Catholic Church'** by **Fr. John O'Brien CSSp** in the **Parish Hall** on **Wednesday 11th February at 5.45p.m.** Copies of the book will be available at the event at the reduced price of €50 (cash or Revolut), all welcome. **If attending, RSVP to** triticlaunch@gmail.com

Dance Yourself Fit on Thursdays for 1 hour, between 6-9pm, starting on the hour in the Parish Hall.

We are planning to have **Pancakes** after the Chair Yoga on **Shrove Tuesday, 16th Feb @ 10.40am** in the **Parish Hall**; all welcome.

There will be a Crime Prevention/Community Safety talk in the **Parish Hall** on **Tuesday 17th February at 7.45pm.** This is an initiative of the Community Building Team & will take place following the vigil mass for Ash Wednesday.

March 2026: Lenten Workshops – 3rd: An introduction to the **Writing Method Devised by Pat Schneider**, founder of Amherst Writers and Artists and author of *Writing Alone* and with others – with Ellis Coe RSC

10th: **Catholic Sisters, Conflict & Peace in Northern Ireland, 1968-2008**, with Brege Rafferty
24th: **A Lenten Prayer & Reflection for Justice & Peace** - with Stephen Cummins OP & Joan Ruddy DMJ

31st: **Communication Skills: Continuing to be Digital Missionaries at home** – with Brenda Drumm, Mercy International Association.
All workshops will take place in AMRI – Kimmage Manor, Whitehall Rd; Kimmage, Dublin D12 P5YP. Arrive: 10.30am – Coffee/Tea
Register your place – email info@amri.ie (places limited) – Suggested donation €5-€10

The **Laudato Si Animators course** will take place from **April 15 for four weeks.** This is a free

online course during which you will meet people from around the world. The only commitment is to partake in the course. If you sign up as an English Speaker you will be given a Break Out Room where you can talk to others and discover what is happening re Care for our Earth in their area. At the end of the course you will be asked to do a 'Seed' Project - that is a short practical action which will benefit your community/parish. After this you will be given a Certificate of Recognition as a Laudato Si' Animator. Check the Laudato Si' Movement website for further details of the Animators course.

Remembering those we love

Saturday 7th February @ 6pm – St. Mel

Eoin McCarney RIP – Recently Deceased

Nora Greene RIP – 7th Anniversary

Sharon, Kayleigh, & Pauline Melvin - Health

Sunday 8th February @ 11am

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Brendan Millar RIP – Recently Deceased

Anne Marie Lane RIP – Recently Deceased

Monday 9th February @ 10am

Intentions of Laura & Evan Daly

Josephine Alfred RIP

Eoin McCarney RIP – Recently Deceased

Tuesday 10th February @ 10am – St. Scholastica

Bernie Mills – Birthday

Brenda Tomney RIP – 14th Anniversary

Sara Ann Devlin RIP – Anniversary

Deceased Members of the Devlin family

Eoin McCarney RIP – Recently Deceased

John & Mary Crean – Get Well

Wednesday 11th February @ 10am – Our Lady of Lourdes, World Day of the Sick, & St. Gobnait

Margaret & Claire – New Home

Joe O'Reilly RIP – Recently Deceased

John O'Reilly RIP – 6th Anniversary

Thursday 12th February @ 10am

Ita, Peter & Paddy McCarney RIP

Margaret Brady RIP – Anniversary

Tom O'Donoghue RIP – 3rd Anniversary

Friday 13th February @ 10am

Brendan Walsh RIP – 12th Anniversary

Saturday 14th February @ 6pm – Ss Cyril & Methodius, Patrons of Europe, St Valentine

Christy, Olive, Sandra & Baby Mary Moore RIP – Anniversaries

Ray Elliott RIP – 7th Anniversary

Catherine Wyse RIP – 14th Anniversary

Jim & Helen Collins RIP – Anniversary

Tom & Eileen Burke RIP - Anniversary

Sunday 15th February @ 11am

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Seamus & Evie Quinn RIP – Anniversary

James Murphy RIP – Anniversary

Eoin McCarney RIP – Recently Deceased

Mary Dwyer RIP