

Holy Spirit Parish

Kimmage Manor Newsletter

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

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

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31st August 2025

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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 = **€690**

2nd Collection/last week: Archdiocese of Dublin Support to Poorer Parishes & Parish Resources & Training = €295

Finance Committee: Please know that the Archdiocese of Dublin deal with the above weekend Mass Collections. Neither of the two Collections pay the bills concerning Kimmage Manor Parish. If you wish to help with these same bills, there is a monthly Envelope called the '**Family Offering**'. If you are interested in helping through Envelope or Standing Order, please contact the Parish Office or Fr. Joe. Gratitude goes to those who already help in this respect.

Kimmage Manor 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.

Faith & Liturgy

Date Aug/Sept	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
30 th Sat	Margaret O'Shea	Marie Healy Peter McCarney
31 st Sun	David Pitta	Mary Tempany Suman Pitta
6 th Sat	Louise McCormack	Marie Blake Linda Ahern
7 th Sat	Mary McElroy	Mary Carr Brendan Curran

Congratulations to Senan Maloney & Caitriona Ryan (formerly Shelton Park) who married on **Friday, 29th August** in Kimmage Manor Parish Church.

Condolences to the family of **Tony Holland (Whitehall Close)** whose funeral Mass took place yesterday (Saturday). May the souls of the faithful rest with God.

Readers: Please note that the new Roster (Sept-Nov) is now available on the Noticeboard beside the Sacristy.

The **Padre Pio Group** will meet in the Memorial Chapel, Kimmage Manor Parish on **Tuesday 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.

Meeting of the **Faith Promotion & Mission Resource Group** on **Wednesday 10th September** at 7.30pm in the Parish Hall, and all subsequent Wednesdays; all welcome.

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

Something that might interest you!

Some of our parishioners have expressed an interest in having **exercise activities in our Parish Hall**. We are now **proposing to all** parishioners the following: 1. **Tai-Chi** 2. **Chair Yoga** & 3. **Bowling**. **On the Noticeboard**, write down your name & contact number on the activity you would prefer to participate in. We are hoping that at least one of the above will begin soon. Exercise is crucial to good health! If you can't write your name on the board, please contact the Parish Office or 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.

Le Chéile (supporting LGBTQI+ community, including families) **meeting** will take place on **Tuesday, 2nd September @ 7.30pm** in the Parish Office Meeting Room; all welcome.

Environment Group will meet on **Wednesday, September 3rd @ 7.30pm** in the Parish Office Meeting Room; all welcome.

Dance Yourself Fit resumes in Kimmage Manor Parish Hall on **Thursday 4th September** from 6pm-9pm. For more information or to book, go to: www.danceyourselffit.com

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.

The **Community Building Team (CBT)** will meet on **Tuesday, 9th September @ 7.30pm** in the Parish Office Meeting Room; all welcome. This group promotes Community events, you might have something you might want to promote!!

The Spiritans will host a **Culture Night** on Friday, September 19th in Kimmage Manor Church & Parish Hall from 4pm-9pm; all welcome.

Urgent Appeal: Fr. Joe is making an Appeal on behalf of a young couple living in our parish for accommodation. Alphi returned from India recently after given birth to her first child. She and her husband Gordin are searching for something like a granny flat, especially for the health of their new arrival. This very young couple are really nice people, and would appreciate any advice on obtaining accommodation. If you can help, please contact Fr. Joe.

Remembering those we love

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

Fred Poole – Birthday Wishes

Monday 1st September @ 10am

Paul Cullen RIP – 1st Anniversary

Intentions of the Brady family

Mary Healy – Get Well

Tuesday 2nd September @ 10am

Sister Eileen Coady RIP – Anniversary

Peggy & Stan Kerr RIP

Mary & Noel Kelly RIP – Anniversary

Emily Lynch RIP – 3rd Anniversary

Special Intention

Wednesday 3rd September @ 10am

St. Gregory the Great

Maria O'Neill RIP

Nuala Farragher RIP

Thursday 4th September @ 10am – St. Mac Nissi

Friday 5th September @ 10am

St Teresa of Calcutta

Peter McCarney (Senior) RIP – Anniversary

Baldwin & Judith Murphy RIP

Anne Rahman RIP

Bernie Mills – Eye Surgery goes well

Saturday 6th September @ 6pm

Sunday 7th September @ 11am

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Special Intention (Get Well)

Annie Kelliher RIP – 2nd Anniversary