

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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19th October 2025

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

Parish Social Night will take place on Friday, **21st November** in the Parish Hall – We are encouraging all parishioners to come along and enjoy a different type of space as a Parish Community. Please note it in your calendar.

Administration

Church Collections – Thank you for your contribution

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 = **€455**

2nd Collection/last week: **Archdiocese of Dublin** Support to Poorer Parishes & Parish Resources & Training = **€360**

Saint Vincent de Paul collection last weekend amount to **€635.40**

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

This weekend's 2nd Collection will be for **Missio – Pope's Leo's Official Charity for Overseas Needy Situations**.

Parish Church Fundraiser: Starting on the weekend of 22 & 23 November, we will be selling tickets after weekend Masses for hampers which will be raffled in the Parish Hall after the Carol Service which will take place on **Sunday, 14th December**.
Donations are now being accepted for the hampers and they can be left in the sacristy

Faith & Liturgy

Today we celebrate Harvest Thanksgiving, celebrated during harvest time to give thanks for the year's bounty and to pray for those in need. Today we thank God for creation and for providing us an opportunity to reflect on the fruits of labour, the

needs of the hungry, and the responsibility to care for the earth.

World Mission Sunday is the Holy Father's annual appeal for spiritual and financial support so that the life-giving work of overseas mission and missionaries can continue. It always falls on the second last Sunday in October, meaning this year it will be celebrated over the weekend of Sunday 19th October.

The theme for this year's celebration of Mission Sunday is: "Missionaries of Hope Among All Peoples".

Right now, missionaries desperately need your help. In many poorer parishes in Africa, Asia, and Latin America missionaries are serving on the front line. They already do so much, walking hand-in-hand with marginalised communities, long before and after any emergency. You can show missionaries you care by supporting World Mission Sunday. Your prayers and generosity will change lives.

Date Oct	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
18 th Sat	Leonie Masterson	Peter McCarney Marie Blake
19 th Sun	David Pitta	Mary Carr Suman Pitta
25 th Sat	Louise McCormack	Linda Ahern Katherine O'Malley
26 th Sun	Mary McElroy	Brendan Curran Bridie Gallagher

Congratulations to the family of **Amelia Hickey O'Neill** (Priory Way) who present their child for Baptism this weekend.

October is the Month of the Rosary –
During October the Rosary will be recited before morning Mass @ **9.40am, Monday-Friday**. Join us, Peace in the World will be our focus.

Something that might interest you!

Bridge (cards) takes place on **Monday** from **7.30pm-9.30pm** in the Parish Hall. Lessons are not provided but new members plus a partner are welcome, just turn up on the evening. If you want to know more about Bridge in Kimmage Manor, phone Anne @ 086 1598796.

Dance Yourself Fit takes place in Kimmage Manor Parish Hall on **Thursdays from 6pm-9pm**. For more information or to book, go to: www.danceyourselffit.com

Activities in the Parish Hall:

Chair Yoga continues on

Tuesday 21st October at 10.45 to 11.45am.

Tai-Chi continues on

Friday 24th October at 10.45 to 11.45am.

Bowling continues on

Friday 24th October from 2-4pm.

All activities are €5 charge per class. Tea and Coffee will be available after each activity. All welcome.

Young Adult Faith and Friendship: In our Partnership of 5 Parishes (Kimmage Manor, Greenhills, Willington, Templeogue, & Terenure) we wish to establish a young adult (18-30 years) faith and friendship group. If you are interested in such a group, you are invited to a meeting in St. Mary's Room, St. Pius X Church on **Tuesday, 21st October @ 7.30pm**. This meeting is open to all young adults, enabling them to explore their faith (you don't necessarily need to be a regular Mass-goer). All young people in this age bracket will be welcome to come along, chat about possibilities and suggest ideas on what might encourage and interest young adults today and how we might develop this group in our partnership.

Le Chéile (LGBTQ Solidarity Group)

At both of next weekend's Masses, a member of our parish's Le Chéile group will speak on behalf of the group to help promote its work within the parish. Le Chéile encourages the open, non-judgemental inclusion of those of a different sexual orientation who are our brothers and sisters, in our faith family. We seek to deepen mutual understanding and acceptance between the Catholic Church and the LGBTQ+ community.

An **Environment Workshop** entitled **Acting for Climate** will take place on **Tuesday 28th October** in the Parish Hall at **7pm**. The Workshop

will be led by Niamh Brennan from Global Action Plan. All welcome.

Archdiocese of Dublin

Diocesan Certificate in Youth Ministry

Leadership:

6 Saturdays from 10am-4pm. Dates: 24th Nov; 21st Feb; 14th Mar; 11th Apr; 9th May; & 13th Jun.

Young adults looking to upskill themselves to develop peer to peer ministry.

It is for those who feel called to minister to and accompany youth & young adults in their parish.

It is for those looking to develop a Youth Ministry in their parish. If you are interested, please contact Fr. Joe.

In next week's edition the Parish will communicate how we will celebrate and acknowledge lives loved but are no longer.

Remembering those we love

Saturday 18th October @ 6pm

St Luke

Adrienne Victory RIP – 24th Anniversary

Elizabeth Victory RIP - 100th Birthday

Remembrance

Sunday 19th October @ 11am

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time / Mission Sunday

Dr Kevin Gallagher RIP & remembering his wife Kay & family

William Brown RIP - Month's Mind

Nell Dunphy RIP – Recently Deceased

Monday 20th October @ 10am

Baby Sean RIP – Anniversary

Tommy O'Hanlon – Get Well

Tuesday 21st October @ 10am

Special Intention

Wednesday 22nd October @ 10am

St John Paul II Pope

Maureen Devlin RIP

Intentions of Susan Healy

Special Intention

Thursday 23rd October @ 10am

Colm Cronin RIP – Recently Deceased

Friday 24th October @ 10am

United Nations Day

Josie Merwick RIP – Recently Deceased

Saturday 25th October @ 6pm

Celia Early RIP – 10th Anniversary

Sunday 26th October @ 11am

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Daniel Hannigan RIP - 25th Anniversary

Mary Ryan RIP – 5th Anniversary

Ann-Marie Donovan (nee Butler) RIP - 5th

Anniversary