



Parish of Saint Columbanus, Loughlinstown

## THE Building Hope GATHERING



On Thursday Evening we had a very eventful 'Brainstorming' meeting, with some excellent recommendations and ideas on the future of our Church and our Faith.

We will be compiling these proposals and sending them into the Building Hope Pastoral Strategy Implementation Group in the Archdiocese.

A big thank you to all who turned up to this very important gathering and a very special thank you to Leonard Kaye who facilitated the meeting.

We aim to have more Building Hope Gatherings in the near future and will let you all know well in advance.



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Congratulations to the Children from St. Columbanus National School, who were Confirmed here on Friday by Fr. Enda and the children from Gaelscoil Phádraig who were Confirmed on Thursday by An tAthair Leon Ó Giolláin

We wish the blessing of the Holy Spirit on them all and we will keep them in our prayers.

A special word of thanks to their teachers Sean, Deirde, Cliona, Bláithín, Christina and principals Carmel and Roise. Our Confirmation Club leaders, Gerard Hanley, Mary McBride and their three able helpers, Jessica, Liam and Rebecca for their hard work and dedication in the preparation for Confirmation.



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### Summer Dues

Archbishop Farrell has asked that parishioners be invited to contribute again to a Summer Dues collection for the support of priests. This collection begins on the weekend of June 19. Envelopes will be available at the back of the Church.

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### **SYNODAL PATHWAY REPORT**

Last Friday, the feast of St Kevin, Archbishop Farrell published the Synodal Pathway Report with an accompanying letter. These can be read at: [dublindiocese.ie/synodal-pathway-report-and-letter-from-archbishop-farrell/](http://dublindiocese.ie/synodal-pathway-report-and-letter-from-archbishop-farrell/)

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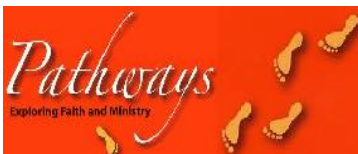
### Demolition Of Neighbouring Buildings

The demolition of the buildings across from the church will take place over the coming twelve weeks.

After a meeting with the site manager of Barmore Demolition, we have been assured that the noise level will be kept to a minimum during any of our Church services.

They apologise in advance of any inconvenience caused during the demolition.

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### **KNOW YOUR FAITH**

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### **PATHWAYS: EXPLORING FAITH AND MINISTRY**

### **An Adult Faith Development Programme**



Application is now open for the next intake of participants for *Pathways*. The programme, run by the Dublin Archdiocese, begins this year on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup>. September 2022 (7.00p.m.– 9.30 p.m.)

In DCU St. Patrick's Campus, Upper Drumconda Rd, Dublin, 9.

**Places are limited so early application is advisable**

*Pathways* is a two-year, one evening a week course, for adults of all ages who wish to explore their faith. It runs from late September to May each year, with breaks for Christmas, Easter and mid-terms. There are no exams and no written work. The only requirement is an openness to listening to others and to participate. The cost is €400 per year which may be paid in instalments throughout the year.

For more information see booklets at the back of the Church or visit our webpage: [www.missionministry.ie](http://www.missionministry.ie) or contact: *Pathways* Director, Eileen Houlahan, CHF, PhD. Phone : 01 8087594 Email: [pathways@dublindiocese.ie](mailto:pathways@dublindiocese.ie)

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