



Parish of Saint Columbanus, Loughlinstown



The Liturgy: Place Of Encounter With Christ

The Liturgy guarantees for us the possibility of such an encounter.

For us a vague memory of the Last Supper would do no good. We need to be present at that Supper, to be able to hear His voice, to eat His Body and to drink His Blood. We need Him.

In the Eucharist and in all the sacraments we are guaranteed the possibility of encountering the Lord Jesus and of having the power of His Paschal Mystery reach us.

The salvific power of the sacrifice of Jesus, His every word, His every gesture, glance and feeling, reaches us through the celebration of the sacraments.

I am Nicodemus, the Samaritan woman at the well, the man possessed by daemons at Capernaum, the paralytic in the house of Peter, the sinful woman pardoned, the woman afflicted by haemorrhages, the daughter of Jairus, the blind man of Jericho, Zacchaeus, Lazarus, the thief and Peter both pardoned.

The Lord Jesus who dies no more, who lives forever with the signs of His Passion, continues to pardon us, to heal us with the power of the sacraments.

It is the concrete way, by means of his incarnation, that He loves us.

It is the way in which He satisfies His own thirst for us that He had declared from the cross. (John 19:28)

~ Extract from Pope Francis's Recent Letter.

September Family Fun Day

We are currently looking for Prizes for our Family Fun Day.

We would appreciate any unused unwanted gifts or bottles of wine/spirits, boxes of chocolates/biscuits as prizes for the Wheel of Fortune or the raffle.

No Bric-A-Brac, Books/DVD's or Clothing. Thank you.

Please leave the gifts in the parish office or with our Sacristan Seán Griffin.

Thank you for your support.

Apostolic Visitor For Ukrainian Greek-Catholics

Archbishop Dermot Farrell has welcomed Bishop Kenneth Nowakowski of the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of the Holy Family of London, who has been appointed by Pope Francis as Apostolic Visitor for the Ukrainian Greek-Catholic faithful in the Republic of Ireland and Northern Ireland.

In these difficult times for the people of Ukraine we assure Bishop Kenneth of our prayers for his ministry and welcome his people.

Koins For Kids

We are a small voluntary charity putting all our efforts into the funding of a paediatric MRI Scanner "The New Children's Hospital" will need once building is complete.

We started repatriating Non-Euro currencies approximately three years ago and have raised in excess of €285,000.

We intend to make a big difference to these children that suffer for reasons beyond their control.

We believe that if you gain financially from charity that it is not charity, it is a job.

Our organisation is fully voluntary. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

For more information on our Charity, please log onto our website: www.koinsforkids.ie or Phone: **0860858521**

Address: Apartment 11 Barton Hall, The Drive, Hazelbrook Square, Churchtown, Dublin 14, D14 E2V3

If you have Non-Euro coins to donate, a "Koins For Kids" box is available in the parish office.

Youth 2000 Summer Festival

Join over 1000 young people between 16 and 35 this August at the **Youth 2000 Summer Festival**. The festival takes place in Clongowes Wood College, Clane, Co Kildare from **Thursday 11th August to Sunday 14th August 2022**. For more information and to book your place go to www.youth2000.ie

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