



Parish Social Night

Come along to our parish social night.

Next Saturday 31st August

7pm (after the Vigil Mass) In the Cherith
A great way to meet your fellow parishioners.

Music, chat and a sing-a-long
(maybe even a dance)

Bring your own beverage (and a glass) and some nibbles of choice

All welcome and the craic is guaranteed



The Crosscare Annual Collection for Community, Homeless and Youth services



Will take place in churches throughout the Dublin Diocese

Next Weekend Saturday 31st August and Sunday 1st September 2019

Homeless Services: Last year Crosscare saw almost **1,000** people accommodated in their homeless services and at the same time they helped **78** families and over **100** individuals move into their own homes. **986** people stayed in our **6** residencies for people experiencing homelessness in Dún Laoghaire and Dublin 1, 7 and 8.

66 individuals/couples were supported to stay in their homes.

108 individuals/couples and **78** families moved into their own homes.

Youth Services: Over **4,000** young people were supported through Crosscare's Youth Work service through voluntary youth clubs and summer projects. **400** teenagers and their families found the help and support they needed in Teen Counselling.

24 young people stayed in our residential unit. **44** young people formerly in care were supported by our Aftercare Hub and **5** young care leavers lived in our House Share.

Teen Counselling Supported **410** young people and their families.

5,000 back to school kits were circulated throughout the services.

Community Services: **14,000** parcels of food and household items were distributed from our **6** community food banks and **670** tons of food was redistributed to Crosscare services and other organisations from our main food bank.

CareCall: Is a free telephone support service for older, vulnerable and socially isolated people living in the greater Dublin area. CareCall has assisted thousands of people, helping them to stay in their own homes, through the offering of a high quality support and monitoring service. If you or someone you know would benefit from such a service please call us on **01-8913000** or **carecall@crosscare.ie** to discuss your needs or the needs of your loved ones.

Please help Crosscare to continue with this vital work in our parishes and communities by giving as generously as you can to their annual collection.

Introduction of Envelope System for First & Share Collection

As you may be aware, **if you are a Tax-Payer**, that Tax relief exists whereby those who contribute €250 or more to our parish can yield an additional €112.32 from the Revenue Commissioners for the parish. If the amount is in excess of €250, then this figure will increase accordingly.

If you are a Tax-Payer and are currently contributing to our Family offerings, either through the weekly envelope collection or through your Bank, we invite you to avail of an envelope system for the First and SHARE collections.

At present we cannot submit your contribution to these collections as the current basket system does not permit recording the source of these donations.

For example: A **€5** donation for the First or SHARE collection by envelope could possible yield an extra **€2.25** on that donation.

The order for these envelopes will take place in the next month or so to coincide with the delivery of the Family offering Envelopes for next year.

If you would like to avail of this new envelope system please fill in the application slip below and return to the parish office.

If you have a current weekly envelope please put the envelope number on the application form so that we can link them both together.

Many thanks to the people who have already filled in their application slip for this system and will receive their box of envelopes in December for the New Year.

(In keeping within the GDPR guidelines your details will be kept private and will not be shared)



NAME	
ADDRESS	
CONTACT NUMBER	
EMAIL	
CURRENT WEEKLY ENVELOPE NUMBER	

Church Collections Last Weekend

First Collection: **€275** SHARE Collection: **€255**

Family Offering Envelopes for the month July - **€1,005**

ALTAR LIST

6pm Vigil Mass: Maureen D'Arcy 1st Anniversary

11am Mass: Suzanne O'Brien 30th Anniversary

Next Weekend

6pm Vigil Mass: John O'Byrne Anniversary

11am Mass: Annette Cosgrave Months Mind

