

Lent

Lent is a six week preparation for the celebration of the Paschal Mystery, Our Lord's Passion, Death and Resurrection. It is a time to Get Ready.



We get ready in three ways:

1. Fasting - From? Is there anything that enslaves me? Mobile phone, Food, drink, TV etc.
2. Prayer - Could I listen a bit better in silent prayer? Even saying the Our Father slowly and listening.
3. Almsgiving - Trócaire etc.



God, Heavenly Father, look upon me and hear my prayer during this Holy Season of Lent.

Fr. Enda.

Alpha



Our Parish Mission called **Alpha** begins on **Saturday 14th March from 7 pm to about 8.30 pm.**

There will be a two course meal, a talk and a chat.

To reserve your place, (and to give our catering team an idea of numbers)

Please call our parish secretary, Teresa, on 01 282 4085 or myself on 083 158 2392.

An invitation letter to each Parishioner is being handed out after masses this weekend.

Please ensure you get one.

Tom Robinson (Chairman - Loughlinstown Parish Pastoral Council)

Church Collections Last Weekend

First Collection €312

Share Collection €271

A very special Thank you for your continued support and generosity



Loughlinstown Community Rooms

St. Patrick's Day Celebration

Local Vocals and Over 50's Club are hosting a night of Music and Craic In Aid of Shankill CFR **Monday 16th March 8pm to 11.30pm**

Tickets €5 (limited tickets available)

Raffle on the night

Parish Bank Details For Standing Orders/Direct Debits

Loughlinstown Parish No.1 Account, Bank of Ireland, Kill O'The Grange

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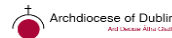
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Trócaire Boxes



Trócaire boxes and donation envelopes are available at the back of the Church.

Please take one.



2020 Archdiocese of Dublin Pilgrimage to Knock

Saturday April 25th 2020

- Join us for a pilgrimage of Hope, Healing and Reflection
- Experience the peaceful silence of Knock Shrine
- Full programme of workshops for all ages
- Special welcome for sick and elderly pilgrims



For more information please email: knockpilgrimage@dublindiocese.ie

Lent - Cabinteely Parish

Join St. Brigid's Parish Pastoral Centre, Cabinteely for their Lenten Series of talks on Monday 2nd March from 8.00– 9.30pm with Dr. Lorna Gold who will speak of 'Active Hope'. Dr. Lorna is an author, commentator, & well known media and public speaker. Lorna has worked with Trocaire for 20 years in areas of policy, advocacy and research. Do we really believe Pope Francis's writings in Laudato Si – Care for our Common Home' have a relevance for us? In the face of challenges brought by climate change and the ecological crises, how can we bring hope? Fr. Alan Hilliard, Dublin Diocesan Priest and Chaplain, DIT Grangegorman will address the theme of Refugees and Migrants – *What has this got to do with me?* on Monday 9th March from 8.00 - 9.30pm Fr. Hilliard is an author of 'Dipping into Lent' and is informed and well acquainted with refugee and immigration issues. Both evenings will include a brief Q & A session, followed by tea, coffee and refreshments.

ALTAR LIST

Vigil Mass 6pm: Martin Tobin Remembrance Mass

11am Mass: Joe O'Reilly 40th Anniversary

Next Weekend

Vigil Mass 6pm: Margaret Kennedy 1st Anniversary

11am Mass: Joe Donnelly 12th Anniversary

R.I.P.



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