

Parish of Saint Columbanus, Loughlinstown





Corpus Christi Prayer

Soul of Christ, sanctify me. Body of Christ, save me. Blood of Chirst, inebriate me. Water from the side of Christ, wash me. Passion of Christ, strengthen me. O good Jesus, hear me. Within thy wounds hide me. Suffer me not to be separated from thee. From the malicious enemy defend me. In the hour of my death call me and bid me come unto thee That with thy saints I may praise thee forever and ever. Amen.

Reflection

Outside the Church the noisy traffic Flows past. People rush hither and thither. But I have left that world behind and I am here before you, Lord. I do not exclude my brothers and sisters. I bring them with me, for I know tht they are equally dear to You. I have nothing. Yet I know that because I love You, I have everything. I close my mind and open my heart, and so I am at peace. Here I experience my true worth, which consists, not in my possessions or achievements, but in knowing that I am loved by You.

A Request From Archbishop Farrell

The Archbishop is asking that each parish introduce a Summer Dues Collection on 20th June. It would be the same as Christmas and Easter Dues.

Envelopes will be provided.

This new Summer Dues collection which provides an alternative way for parishioners to provide much needed support and sustenance for priests and in some way to make up for the loss of collections during the last year. Thank you for supporting your priests.

LOUGH DERG 2021

Lough Derg regrets that it will not be possible in 2021 to reopen Station Island for the Traditional Three Day Pilgrimage or even for the autumn programme of Day Retreats.

Lough Derg will again offer the opportunity to "*Do Lough Derg from wherever you are*" on 3rd – 5th July. The outdoor *Pilgrimage on the Lough Shore Pilgrim Path* will also be available as the summer goes on. Further information from Lough Derg office 0(0353) 71 9861518 or www.loughderg.org



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