



Parish of Saint Columbanus, Loughlinstown



First communion

We would like to welcome the Children from St. Columbanus N.S. Who will be receiving the Sacrament of First Communion here today (Sunday)

We welcome also their parents and teachers.

We offer a special word of thanks to Ms Nally and the school choir.



Next Sunday we will welcome the children from Gaelscoil Phádraig as they receive the Sacrament of First Communion.

Confirmation

On **Friday 26th May at 11am** we will welcome the Children from St. Columbanus National School as they celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation.

We wish a special blessing on them all and we will keep them in our prayers.

Trócaire

A very big **THANK YOU** to all who have returned their Trócaire Box. Your generosity is much appreciated.

If you still have one at home please return it to the parish office as soon as possible.

Parish Updates

Summer - Church Opening Hours

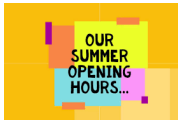
The Church will remain open until **6pm Monday to Friday** for private prayer.

(Except on Bank holidays)

Time-Out Thursday Lunch

If you are over 50 and looking to meet new people Please join us for a wonderful homemade lunch and a chat

Every Thursday (Free of charge) in the Cherith (Pastoral Centre), starting at 1pm



Parishioners are welcome to go into the Cherith for Tea/Coffee on Sundays after Mass

**Shanganagh Cemetery Mass & Blessing Of The Graves
Sunday 28th May at 3pm**

Novena To The Holy Spirit

Building Hope

You are warmly invited to join with every parish in the diocese in a Novena to the Holy Spirit – a period of prayer, reflection and planning for the renewal of the Church in the Archdiocese of Dublin.

The Novena will take place in the nine days from **21st to 29th May** beginning on the Feast of the Ascension of the Lord, through Pentecost and continuing to the Feast of Mary, Mother of the Church. *~ The Building Hope Team*

Novena Prayer Cards will be available the weekend of 20th /21st May

Johnstown Parish Trip To Knock

Saturday 24th June - Spiritual Director: Fr. Peadar Murney

Bus will leave the Church car park at **8am**

Cost:€55 per person (Evening Meal included)

To book a place, please contact Johnstown Parish Office - **01-2351416**

Dun Laoghaire Borough Historical Society

James Scannell - For Dun Laoghaire Borough Historical Society will present *'John Hinde and his Picture Postcards of South Dublin'*

8 p.m. on Wednesday May 17th in the Royal Marine Hotel, Marine Road, Dun Laoghaire - **admission €5**

Fr. P. Enda Lloyd Co-Parish Priest

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