



Parish of Saint Columbanus, Loughlinstown



First Holy Communion

We would like to welcome the Children from Gaelscoil Phádraig 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 Muinteoir Eibhlín and the school choir.



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.

There will be no 9.30am Mass this day but you are all invited to attend the Confirmation Mass



Cemetery Sunday

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

Novena To The Holy Spirit

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.

Novena Prayer To The Holy Spirit

*Come, Holy Spirit, revive and renew us
Come, Holy Spirit, inspire and enthuse us
Come, Holy Spirit, unbind and release us*

*Open our eyes to see God's grace around us
Open our ears to hear God's voice within us
Open our hearts to welcome God among us*

*Send us out with joy to live the Gospel
Send us out with peace to act as one
Send us out with love to build up hope.*

(Novena Prayer Cards are available at the back of the Church)



In advance of the Novena, the Sisters of the Monastery of St Alphonsus in Dublin 9 led us in **prayerful reflections drawn from the Novena Prayer Booklet**, with music from the Dublin Diocesan Music Group.

You are invited to watch the recording of the evening at www.rednuns.com/webcam/.

Resources for the Novena are available on the diocesan website at dublindiocese.ie/novena-to-the-holy-spirit/

~ The Building Hope Team

Divine Master Stillorgan - Medjugorje Prayer Group Mass For Healing And Peace In Honour Of Our Lady Queen of Peace

Thursday 25th May

Rosary at 7.30pm followed by Mass at 8pm

Chapel of Divine Master

(Whites Cross top of Newtownpark Ave, off the Stillorgan Road)

There will be a period of reflection and Eucharistic Adoration after Mass



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