



Parish of Saint Columbanus, Loughlinstown, Co. Dublin



Happy Father's Day!

Father's Day Prayer

Heavenly Father, we thank you for our fathers, whom You specifically chose for us, whether by natural birth, adoption or guardian.

Let them know they are not alone in the tasks You have given them to provide for and support those under their care.

Show them how much You delight in their work, and affirm the value of whatever You have given them to do as a child of Yours.

Confirm their worth daily so they have no reason to doubt whether they are loved.

We remember our fathers gone before us.

We trust that they are with You, our Heavenly Father. **Amen.**



Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage To Lourdes - The Associate Membership of the Diocesan Pilgrimage

Each year we now take about 120 sick pilgrims to Lourdes, cared for by a great voluntary team of doctors, nurses, chaplains, helpers and the wonderful youth group of sixth year students from 30 schools across the diocese.

This has always been a hugely positive experience for the sick pilgrims, physically, emotionally and spiritually and provides valuable respite for their families and carers at home. It now costs approximately €1,200 to take a sick or assisted pilgrim to Lourdes.

If you would like to support this worthy cause please take one of the envelopes, marked Lourdes Pilgrimage, on the table at the back of the church and place it in the letterbox on the wall at the back of the church or put it into the weekly collection basket. There is a Blue Enrolment Page on the table for you to sign your name.

This will be placed at the Grotto during the pilgrimage and Mass will be offered for all the Associate Members.

Summer Dues

Thank you to all who have returned your Summer Dues Envelopes.

If you wish to support the Diocesan Summer Dues there are envelopes available on the table at the back of the church.



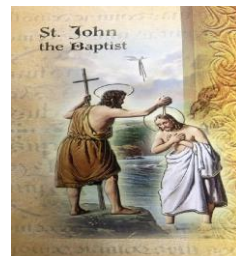
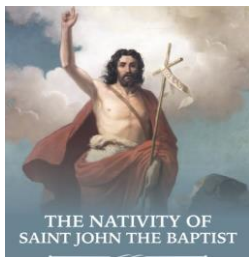
The Nativity of St. John The Baptist – Wednesday 24th June

Prayer

O God, You raised up Saint John the Baptist to prepare a perfect people for Christ.

Fill Your people with the joy of possessing his grace and direct the minds of all the faithful in the way of peace and salvation.

Grant us, as Saint John was martyred for truth and justice, so we may energetically profess our faith in You and lead others to the Way, the Truth and eternal Life. Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



Loughlinstown Community Play Group

Congratulations to the boys and girls of Poo Bears playschool Who graduated from playschool last Thursday

We ask a special blessing on all the children and their families as they start a new chapter in their young lives.



Pilgrimage To Knock Organised By Maria Monaghan

Sunday 19th July (depending on numbers)

Fare including afternoon tea and cake €40

Bring a packed lunch or eat locally

Pickup point: Church of the Apostles, Ballybrack at 8am To book your place please contact Kaye Godfrey 01-2820476

Loughlinstown Estate Management - Big Estate Clean Up

A big clean-up has been organised in every estate in Loughlinstown on:

Saturday 27th June - Between 10am and 11.30am

Bags, gloves and litter pickers will be provided. Please do your bit for your estate.

Mass Intentions Next Weekend

Saturday 27th June Vigil Mass 6pm: Jim McPartland Anniversary

Sunday 28th June 11am Mass: Thomas Breslin 9th Anniversary and Special Intentions for Annie Kelly and Sr. Rosaleen

