



PARISH OF FINGLAS

CHURCH of St. Canice and St. Margaret

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Baptism—The Beginning of the Journey

Merely presenting children for Baptism is not enough. Parents must hand on the Christian values system. This of course, presumes they have faith. Children imitate their parents in many ways and that includes their value system. If parents don't have faith, the seed at Baptism will not grow. There must be a reasonable hope that the child will be brought up in the faith. If it is absent, baptism should be delayed and an explanation given to parents.

When a child is baptised it is presupposed that not only must parents be people of faith but also the sponsors. Being human, our faith is not perfect; It needs nourishment—regular attendance at Sunday Mass is one sure way to nourish our faith. Absence weakens it.

In the ceremony of Baptism parents are reminded that they are the first teachers of their children in the ways of faith. They do this by example—what they say and do. Therefore, it is important that children grow up in a household of faith.

New Baptism Team

Our Parish Baptism Team does wonderful work behind the scenes welcoming new members to our parish community. New members have joined the team recently. The new complete baptism team will be officially initiated on Sunday next July 24th at the 10.30am Mass



Recently Baptised

We welcome into our parish Community

- Jack Desmond Riordan
- Rhys James Scally
- George Robert Humphrey
- Ellie May Robinson
- Liam James Cassin
- Aleena Binn
- Ava Maria Bowes
- Lee John Uzell
- Rebecca Grace Bolger
- Karla Mia Nolan
- Isla Elsie Bradley
- Quinn Michael Ivers
- Sasha Isabella Dost
- Sydney Melody Murphy
- Holly Brigid Duff
- Elsie Ray Di Lucia
- Holly-Jane Lorna O Keeffe
- Jack Joseph O Connor



Pathways—An Adult Faith Development Programme in Clonliffe College



Pathways is a two-year one night a week course for adults who wish to explore their faith. It runs from mid-September to May each year. There are no exams or written work. The only requirement is an openness to listening to others and to participate. Booking is now open. The programme begins on Thursday 22nd September in Clonliffe College Drumcondra from 7pm-9.30pm. Cost €400. Contact Eileen Houlahan at 01-8379253 or contact Parish Office email stcanices2@eircom.net

PHOTOS NEEDED

A small selection of photos from our archive are on display beside the parish shop. You are invited to view them anytime. We would like to add to our online photo archive and create an album of parishioners photos which can be viewed by family and friends around the world. Also as our parish church heads towards its centenary in a few years time we would like a photo from every family in the parish, to help celebrate this historic event. It might be a wedding, baptism communion, confirmation, parish event, pilgrimage, outing or other event connected with parish life. Photos can be emailed to finglasfotos@gmail.com or members of the parish team will be in the prayer room after each Mass this weekend and next weekend to copy any prints you may have. Photos can be from the recent past or earlier. All photos welcome

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RECENTLY DECEASED

Eamon Sweeney Patrick Costigan

CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK St. Canices Church



JUNE

READINGS OF THE DAY

MONDAY July 18th 10am	Mic 6:1-4, 6-8. ps 49:5-6. mt 12:38-42	
TUESDAY July 19th 10am	Mic 7:14-15. Ps 84: -8. Mt 12:46-50	Marie Taite
WEDNESDAY July 20th 10am	Jer 1:1, 4-10. Ps 70:1-6. Mt 13:1-9	
HURSDAY July 21st 10am	Jer 2:1-3, 7-8. ps 35:6-11. mt 13:10-17	
FRIDAY July 22nd 10am	Song 3:1-4. Ps 62:2-6. Jn 20:1-2.	John Paul Gernon
SATURDAY July 23rd 10am	Gal 2:19-20. Ps 33:2-11. Jn 15:1-8	2pm Wedding

All Roads Lead to Krakow:

Three young people from our Parish, together with young people from other Parishes will travel to World Youth Day in Krakow from Monday 25th July – 1st August 2016.

We wish them well and a great time, as they prepare to travel to Krakow at the invitation of Pope Francis. These young people will gather together with Pope Francis and over 2 million other young people from around the World at this Festival of Faith for Catholic Young People.



St Canices Movie Club

July screening will be on Friday 22nd of July at 7.30 pm in 2 Grove Rd. All are welcome to come along to view this months choice, have a cuppa and a chat.

VISITATION of the SICK and ELDERLY

Jesus during his life on this earth spent a lot of time caring for the sick. The church continues to do that today. If you know anyone who would appreciate a visit from the priest please contact the

FAMILY OFFERING

Sunday, €1309.00 July 10th Thank you for your continued support!



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DANCING

Learn to Waltz, Foxtrot, Quickstep, Jive.. Commencing on Thursday September 1st from 8-10pm in Beneavin College. No partner required. Cost €10

Blessing of Graves St. Margarets

Kileek Cemetery Prayer Sunday August 7th at 12noon
Chapelmidway Cemetery Saturday August 6th at 8pm



ALTAR SERVERS REQUIRED *Boys and Girls*

Interested in becoming an Altar Server—if so please call into the Sacristy with your parents, leave your name and address and one of the priests will contact you.

GOOD NEWS for SINNERS

Today we are in danger of being drowned in bad news. Jesus began his ministry by announcing Good News. What was this Good News? That the Kingdom for the fulfilment of the promises, the fullness of God's blessings, in short, the new order of things. Forgiveness is available. Recovery is possible. God's love is unconditional and is available to us in Christ. All we have to do is recognise our need, and seek his help with humility and sincerity.

Unless we repent we can't hear the good news.

Confessions take place in St. Canices Church every Saturday morning after the 10am Mass.

LOUGH DERG

St. Canices one day pilgrimage to Lough Derg takes place on Saturday September 3rd Early booking is essential. ☎0876550633

PARISH NEWSLETTER

All Items for inclusion in the Parish Newsletter should be in the Parish Office by Thursday morning of each week. Tel: 8343110

Parish Shop

The Parish Shop is open daily after Mass until 11.45am. There are many items for sale, i.e, medals, books, Mass cards, etc...please call in for a browse.....