LITURGY NOTES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday 15th November – Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Year A – Gospel of Matthew

World Day of the Poor



Pope Francis in his apostolic letter Misericordia et Misera, marking the end of the Jubilee Year of Mercy, establishing this Day, said that it would serve as 'the worthiest way to prepare for the celebration of the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, who identified with the little ones and the poor and who will judge us on our works of mercy'.

Tuesday 17th: St. Elizabeth of Hungry, 1207-31, queen at fourteen, widowed and exiled at twenty, Franciscan tertiary until her death at twenty-four. A woman of prayer and service of the poor.

Wednesday 18th: The Dedication of the Basilicas of Ss Peter and Paul. The dedication of the churches of St. Peter and St. Paul was observed on this date since 12th century. The present basilica of St. Peter's was consecrated in 1626 and St. Paul Outside-the-Walls in 1854.

Saturday 21st: The feast of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary celebrates Mary in her grace-filled life, wholly given over to the Holy Spirit.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

"Our parish is seeking to renew and grow our Eucharistic Adoration team and we invite you to find out more at the Saturday Vigil and Sunday Masses on **21st and 22nd November**.

Question: What do I need in order to be a weekly Adorer?

Answer: Just give **one hour each Tuesday between 10.30am and 10pm** to spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament in prayer, silence and rest.

ADORATION INTENTIONS NOVEMBER 2026

- **THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER 2026: FOR THE PROPER USE OF WEALTH.**
- **FOR PEACE IN THE WORLD AND FOR THOSE SUFFERING FROM WAR.**
- **FOR CHRISTIANS WHO ARE PERSECUTED IN MANY COUNTRIES.**
- **FOR THE POOR.**
- **FOR OUR PRIESTS.**

YOUNG CHURCH

Remembrance Tree for November



We invite our younger parishioners to help us fill our special remembrance tree in the church porch. You can write the names of family members and friends who have died on the paper leaves and hang them on the tree yourself. Together, we'll make a beautiful tree of memories to remind us to pray for those we love who are now with God.



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Mass times
Tuesday – Saturday 10 a.m.,
Sunday 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. with Saturday vigil at 6 p.m.

Daily Mass at 10 a.m. is broadcast live, Tuesday – Saturday inclusive: 10 a.m. Daily Mass is also recorded, which can be viewed on the day of the Mass, and deleted the following day.

Links to neighbouring parishes are included on our website.

Confession after Saturday 10 a.m. Mass,
Rosary Tuesday – Saturday at 9.35 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration
Tuesdays after 10 a.m.
Mass until 10 p.m.

Café 67 opens every Thursday after 10am Mass. All welcome for a cuppa and a chat.

Gluten Free hosts are available for those with gluten intolerance. Please speak to a Minister of Welcome on your way into the church before Mass.

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ANNIVERSARIES

At 6pm Mass we remember

Paddy Butler
David Menton
Betty & Aidan McNally
Owen McNally
Paul McNally
Joe & Marion O'Dwyer

At 9am Mass we remember

Paddy Butler

At 11am Mass we remember

Paddy Butler
James (Jimmy) Dowling
Conor Farrell
Tony Kenny, also remembering his parents May & Gerry Kenny
Barney Lewins
Noel Lynch
Joe Maguire

At the weekday Masses we remember

Geraldine Murphy
Philip Murphy

Eternal rest grant unto them, oh Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen

Booking Anniversary Masses:
When booking an anniversary Mass for a loved one, we ask you to do so ten days in advance so that we can respectfully manage the Altar List.

For more information on these and other notices, please consult the website.

Twelve Key Moments in the Celebration of the Eucharist – Autumn 2026

Week 6

"Liturgical Formation of the people of God. Key moments in the Celebration of the Eucharist

Liturgical formation is for everyone. Over the coming six weeks we will cover twelve key moments in the Celebration of the Eucharist continuing this week with

11. The Holy Communion
Together we share in the one bread and the one cup (when feasible) by which faith is nourished, hope increased, and charity strengthened.

A dignified procession is accompanied by a suitable Eucharistic Song.

12. The Blessing
In conclusion, we are blessed to return to our communities and homes challenged to announce and live the Gospel of Jesus.

LUMEN

"Pope Leo's Challenge to Artificial Intelligence": in a 4-week course, starting **November 19,** Thursday mornings, 10.30am-12 noon at Lumen, Sion Hill,

Sister Isabelle Smyth will discuss Pope Leo's concerns. No previous knowledge of AI is necessary – the basics will be explained.

€55, booking at Lumen – **T: (01) 288 2075 or E: info@lumenop.ie**

RED WEDNESDAY – 18 NOVEMBER



Next Wednesday, at the invitation of Aid to the Church in Need Ireland, we are asked to pray for all those who are suffering for their faith in various parts of the world and to remember the martyrs of yesterday and today. Wear something red, light a red candle in your window and pray for their welfare. For more information visit acnireland.org.

HIGH LOFT PAINTING GROUP – ART EXHIBITION



Browse a beautiful collection of artworks by talented local artists and join us for the **High Loft Art Exhibition** in the Pastoral Centre, **Saturday 14 November – 10am-7.30pm** and **Sunday 15 November – 9.30am-2.30pm**.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2027 – APPLICATION NOW OPEN

Applications to join the Dublin Diocese group for **WYD Seoul 2027** is now open. The group will travel to Seoul from July 26th to August 12th and applications will be accepted until **November 20th**. The cost per pilgrim to go on the trip is €1750, which includes flights, accommodation, meals, program, pilgrim packs, group t-shirt, preparation program etc. WYD Seoul form can be accessed at: https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/L68e1Ly2k5

For more information see poster in porch noticeboard.

ADVENT BANNER – INVITATION

After 6pm Mass, next Saturday, ***we invite children***, accompanied by a parent, to come to the Pastoral Centre for a few minutes, to help Marion decorate an Advent banner which will be displayed in the church when we begin the season of Advent, in preparation for Christmas.