

Annual Solemn Novena to St. Martin de Porres: Beginning each morning at 10.45am Rosary until 9.30pm Sung Night Prayer from the 26 October – 3 November in Saint Saviour’s Church, Dominick Street, Dublin 1 followed by Fr. Ciaran Dougherty, OP (Sligo) on Saturday at 11.30am & 6pm and Sunday at 11.30am. For more information Tel: 01 8897610 / email: saintsavioursdublin.ie

The Combined Catholic Parishes of Clondalkin: Make a Difference (MAD) will take place this Sunday 28 October. Join us on this special day as we encourage young and not so young, groups or individuals, parents & children, clubs & societies, families & friends, politicians & teachers to look out for others and make a small difference in their home, community, school, parish. To consciously do at least one simple act of kindness and then share it with us on social media all using the hashtag **#MADSUNDAY** - more info <http://www.clondalkinparish.com/?p=3064> & Facebook page, [@TheCCPCDublin](https://www.facebook.com/TheCCPCDublin), for resources and ideas You can view, download & print all the resources - https://1drv.ms/f/s!AtJiw53tHyZ_gfVrEHzu6sPNoaP4BA

Feast of All Souls

Mass will take place in St. Andrew’s Church, Westland Row, Dublin 2 on the 2 November at 7.30pm. This special Mass will include those whose funerals which took place during the last 12 months. A lit candle will be placed for each name before the altar – all are most welcome.

The Church of the Holy Family, Aughrim Street, Dublin 7 will celebrate Mass for their parishioners who have died in the past year on Saturday 10 November at 7pm.

The Church of the Assumption, Walkinstown, Dublin 12 will celebrate their Annual Commemoration Mass for deceased parishioners, particularly those who have died in the past year, on Sunday, 11 November at 11:30am.

Formation Opportunities in November: The Office of Evangelisation and Ecumenism invite you to take part in two forthcoming opportunities for formation in November. The **first gathering** explores the possibilities of Rejoice and Be Glad: Pope Francis’ exhortation on holiness. This gathering will take place on the 7th November at 7.30pm here in Clonliffe.

We will be looking at how a Book Club might meet the needs of adults in the parish who are looking for some faith formation.

You will be given a resource to start up a Book Club and help with how to unpack Rejoice and Be Glad.

The **second gathering** is for those who are taking part in leading Children’s Liturgy in the parish. This workshop will be on the 21 November at 7.30pm here in Clonliffe. As we move into the new liturgical year at the beginning of Advent this workshop will provide you with tools to open up the Gospel of Luke for children. There will be input on breaking open the word with children, and also a focus on simple methods of prayer. Anyone who is intending to take part in either of these workshops **should register** at: evangelisation@dublindiocese.ie

Mindfulness – Give Yourself Some Breathing Space: Join Dr Anne O’Reilly Thursday, 8, 15, 22, 29 November & 6, 13 December for the following 6 weeks Course: Morning session: 10.30am - 12noon | Evening session: 7.30 - 9.00pm (Cost of course €90 - Booking essential). Venue: Margaret Aylward Centre for Faith and Dialogue, Holy Faith Sisters, Old Finglas Road, Glasnevin, D11 TC21. Tel : (01) 797 9364 | Mob: 087 6649862 | Email: info@macfd.ie - www.margaretaylwardcentre.ie

Diocesan Priesthood - Vocation Exploration Retreat: The National Vocations Office is running an overnight **“Come & See”** retreat for Young men aged between 18 – 40 in Mount St. Anne’s in Killenard, near Portarlington. Starting at 6pm on Fri 23rd and concluding at 4pm on Saturday 24th November. Maybe you know some man in your parish that may be interested in exploring what is involved in becoming a

priest and would like to find out more, without commitment or obligation. Perhaps if you do, you could bring this to his attention? For further information, email Deacon Eric Cooney in the National Vocations Office on: info@vocations.ie

'Living with Loss' Bereavement Information Evening Thursday 1 November, 5.30–8.00pm at the Alex Hotel, 41-47 Fenian Street, Dublin 2. Niamh Fitzpatrick, sister of the late Captain Dara Fitzpatrick, will address the gathering and speak on the theme 'Living with Loss'. Admission is free. For more information, contact The Irish Hospice Foundation: www.hospicefoundation.ie

Liturgical Music Workshop Facilitated by Marie Dunne, CHF, on Tuesday 6 November, from 7:30pm to 9pm, in Margaret Aylward Centre, Holy Faith Sisters Old Finglas Rd. Glasnevin, Dublin 9. Music presented will include Marie's new Mass setting Mass of the Presentation of Mary and music resources for the season of Advent. Donation €10 Music book will be provided. Further information 01 7979362 or e-mail mcfldglasnevin@gmail.com or mobile, 087 6649862.

Cherrybrook Music Workshops: Join us for two evenings of musical workshops for singers, choir directors and musicians on Wednesday 7 November in Corpus Christi Church, Drumcondra, Dublin 9 and in Newman University Church, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin 2 – Wednesday 14 November. Time for both events is from 8.00-9.45pm. In the workshops we will look at music from Our Hearts are Restless a new collection of liturgical music by Ephrem Feeley, Composer for A Joy for All the Earth. Cost is €10 per participant – [booking essential](#) by Monday 5th November for Corpus Christi and 12 November for Newman University Church as places are limited. Email: cherrybrookmusic@gmail.com

Miscarriage Association of Ireland will hold its Annual Service of Remembrance on Sunday the 11 November at 3pm in St Teresa's Church, Donore Avenue, off South Circular Road, Dublin 8. All parents, siblings, grandparents & anyone else affected by the loss of a baby are very welcome to attend, regardless of whether the loss was recent or long ago.

Sean McDermott Street Parish: Annual Mass of Remembrance on Wednesday 14 November at 7.30pm in the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, Sean McDermott Street (off Gardiner Street) D1. For more information Tel: 01 855 1259 or email: seanmcdermott@dublindiocese.ie

B.E. is a support group for those coping with the pain of loss of their life partner, through death, separation or divorce. Do you find that you need more support than family and friends can provide? Seeking help is a sign of strength and self-knowledge – not weakness. This is a healing ministry which helps to resolve the grief that goes with the end of a marriage or relationship. Coping effectively with bereavement is a skill we can all learn. Next residential weekend will be held 16 – 18 November in Dominican Retreat House, Tallaght, Dublin 24. For further information please contact 086 0877379 or email bedublin@gmail.com. www.beginningexperience.ie

North Wall Parish: Annual Service of Remembrance on Thursday 22 November at 7.30pm in the Church of St. Laurence O'Toole, Seville Place D1. For more information Tel: 01 874 4236 or email: northwallparish@gmail.com

Concert: Join Firhouse parish to hear the wonderful voices of the Three Tenors who will perform in concert in Firhouse parish Church on Friday 23 November at 8.00pm. The night promises to deliver popular classics from artists such as Sinatra, The Dubliners, and Pavarotti. Tickets cost €25 – to book Tel: 01 4524702 or email: olmcfirhouseparish@gmail.com – all welcome.

Altar Server Day After the wonderful joined experience of Altar Servers coming together for the World Meeting of Families and serving together at the masses in the RDS and Phoenix Park. We are inviting **Altar Servers** from the Archdiocese of Dublin to gather on Saturday 24 November in St. Paul's Arran Quay for a Diocesan Altar Server day. From **9.30am – 2.30pm** the **Altar Servers** are getting to know others in the same ministry, singing, praying and sharing together.

For further information please contact:

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National Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima: The pilgrim statue of Our Lady of Fatima currently travels through Ireland and is currently in the Chapel of the Missionaries of Charity, 223 South Circular Road until November 28. The statue is accompanied by relics of St. Francisco Marto and St. Jacinta Marto, two of the children to whom our Lady appeared. Anyone wishing to visit the chapel for prayer is welcome at these times: Morning 8am – 12pm and Afternoon 3-7pm.

Job Vacancies

A list of current job vacancies is available online at www.dublindiocese.ie/job-vacancies

VACANCY FOR MASS LEAGUE OFFICE SECRETARY The Pallottine Fathers are currently recruiting a Mass League Office Secretary. This role is offered initially on a one year fixed term, part time basis, Monday – Friday, 20 hours per week (9.30am – 1.30pm). Please forward your letter of application with an enclosed up to date curriculum vitae by email to Fr. Michael Irwin, mirwinyawl99@gmail.com. The closing date for completed applications is Wednesday 31 October 2018 at 5pm. A full job description is available from the Pallottine website pallottines.ie and the Diocesan website, www.dublindiocese.ie. (job advert attached)