

## MASS TIMES

Parish of St. Colmcille, Knocklyon

### MASS TIMES DURING LENT



**Monday - Wednesday**  
8.25 a.m. 10 a.m. 7 p.m.

**THURSDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> - CONFIRMATION**  
8.25 a.m. 9.45 a.m. 7 p.m.

**FRIDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> - CONFIRMATION**  
8.25 a.m. 9.45 a.m.

Vigil Mass 7 p.m.

**FEAST OF SAINT PATRICK 17<sup>TH</sup>**

Sat. 9 a.m. 10 a.m. 11 a.m.  
Vigil Mass 7 p.m.

Sunday: 9 a.m. 10 a.m. 11 a.m.  
12.30 p.m. & 7 p.m.

**KNOCKLYON HISTORY SOCIETY**  
**MARCH 2012 TALK**

'GLENCREE'

Speaker: Frank Tracey

Wednesday 14th March at 7.45 p.m.  
IONA Pastoral Centre

**IEC2012 LAUNCHES A FINAL CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS** More than 1,200 people have already signed up a volunteers for the Congress but hundreds of different roles still remain for people interested in participating in this significant international event. The closing date for volunteer registration is 17th March 2012.

**REGISTER NOW!**

[www.IEC2012.i.e](http://www.IEC2012.i.e)

**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

There will be EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT each Tuesday morning from 10.30 a.m. - 11.30 a.m. in preparation for the EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS which will take place from June 10th to 17th.

### NEIGHBOURING PARISHES

**Firhouse** Saturday 6 p.m.  
Sunday: 10.30 a.m., 12 noon  
**Ballyroan** Saturday 7 p.m.  
Sunday: 9, 10.30 a.m., 12 noon

**Ballyboden** Saturday 6.30 p.m.  
Sunday 10.30 a.m., 12 noon, 6.30p.m.

**OUTDOOR COLLECTION** this weekend is in aid of the local Conference of St. Vincent de Paul.

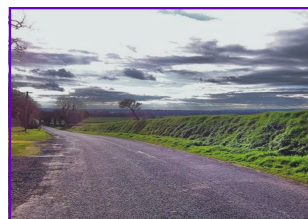
### VDP ANNUAL CLOTHING APPEAL

Distribution of Bags will be available outside the Church on **SUNDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> MARCH**.

The Society will collect the bags on the weekend of **24<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> March after Masses**.

### REFLECTIONS ON THE EUCHARIST

*"Go Forth - The Mass is Ended"*



Br. Benedict, Stamullen Monastery, 2012

**DR. PATRICK MULLINS, O. CARM.**

*Milltown Institute of Theology/  
St. Patrick's College, Maynooth*

**Wednesday 14th March**

**8 p.m.**

**IONA PASTORAL CENTRE**

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday 10th March**  
10 a.m. Catherine McGovern  
7 p.m. Niamh Shorten

**Sunday 11th March**  
9 a.m. Robert Sheppard  
Florence Sheppard  
11 a.m. Edward O'Reilly  
Finbarr O'Leary  
Margaret O'Leary  
12.30 p.m. Cyril Scanlon  
7 p.m. Tom Bourke  
Mary Bourke

**Monday 12th March**  
10 a.m. Paddy Agnew  
7 p.m. Nancy Westby  
Joseph Westby

**Tues. 13th March**  
7 p.m. Catherine O'Sullivan

**Wed. 14th March**  
7 p.m. Diarmuid Mullins

**Friday 16th March**  
7 p.m. Frank Lennon

**Saturday 17th March**  
9 a.m. James Coughlan  
10 a.m. Jim Garvey  
Kate Garvey  
11 a.m. Johnny Doherty  
Mary Kate Doherty  
7 p.m. Carmel Gaffney  
Sunday 18th March  
11 a.m. Catherine McGovern  
12.30 p.m. Coventry Family  
Cremins Family

**KNOCKLYON NETWORKING** meets on Thursdays at 11.30 a.m. in the IONA Centre.

### CHURCH SHOP OPENING HOURS

Mon - Fri. after 10 Mass  
Sunday: after 10 a.m. 11 a.m.  
12.30 p.m. Masses

## BAPTISM DATES

**APR** 14th 21st **MAY** 19th 26th  
**JUNE** 16th 23rd **JULY** 14th 21st  
**AUG** 11th 18th **SEPT** 15th 22nd  
**Contact Parish Office 4941204**

Bereaved? Would it help to talk?  
Why not come along and meet with the

**BETHANY GROUP SUPPORT**  
**MONDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2012**

**8 p.m. IONA Centre**

*One-to-One facilitation  
available on request*

**Bethany Mobile 086 3464556**

**Trócaire Boxes available  
at back of Church**

**Something to think and pray about  
this week**

*The mystery of conversion*  
There is a legend of how Saint Patrick, when preaching to some *soon-to-be* converted heathens, was shown a sacred standing stone marked with a circle that was symbolic of the moon goddess. Patrick made the mark of a Latin Cross through the circle and blessed the stone, making the First Celtic Cross. This legend implies that the Saint was willing to make ideas and practices that were formerly Druid into Christian ideas and practices. The circle may be seen as a halo. The crucifixion is important not just as an event at a certain point in time, but, as the circle symbolises, as the unending mystery of how through the crucifixion and resurrection Christ continues to offer the hope of salvation to the faithful throughout all time.