

## MASS TIMES

Parish of St. Colmcille,  
Knocklyon

### MASS TIMES DURING LENT



Monday - Friday  
8.25 a.m. 10 a.m. 7 p.m.

Saturday  
10 a.m. & 7 p.m.

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

### REFLECTIONS ON THE EUCHARIST "2012 The Time of the Miracle"



Speaker: **Dr. Martin O'Sullivan**  
Consultant Child & Adolescent Psychiatrist

Wednesday 29th February  
8 p.m.  
IONA PASTORAL CENTRE

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#### 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.

#### RECENT COLLECTION

The CARMELITE YOUTH MINISTRY thank you for your generous contribution to last Sunday's Collection which netted €1,095.

#### PARENTS' ASSOCIATION TALK

##### KEEPING AFLOAT IN TIMES OF STRESS

Speaker: Orlaith Flannery  
*St. John of God's*

**St. Colmcille's  
Community School**  
Monday 27th February  
7.30 p.m.

#### EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS 2012

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.

#### HOUSEBOUND & HOSPITAL PARISHIONERS

If you or any member of your family is unable to come to Church due to sickness or old age, or in hospital, please contact the Parish Office at 4941204 and arrangements can be made to bring Holy Communion to them.

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday 25th February**  
7 p.m. Kevin Doherty

**Sunday 26th February**  
9 a.m. Kathleen Phibbs  
11 a.m. Mary Cora Nolan  
12.30 p.m. Conneally Family  
7 p.m. Seán Murray

**Monday 27th February**  
7 p.m. Br. Athanasius [M.M.]

**Tuesday 28th February**  
7 p.m. Sr. Malachy Shanahan [M.M.]

**Wed. 29th February**  
7 p.m. Felix Curtis [M.M.]

**Thursday 1st March**  
7 p.m. John & Lil McCormack

**Friday 2nd March**  
7 p.m. O'Brien Family

**Saturday 3rd March**  
7 p.m. Frank Quinn

**Sunday 4th March**  
9 a.m. Joseph Moran  
Cecily Moran  
11 a.m. Michael McNamara  
12.30 p.m. Lucretia Stoleru  
7 p.m. Jack Conlon

**Monday 5th March**  
7 p.m. Letitia McDonnell  
Margaret Hannan

**Tuesday 6th March**  
7 p.m. Kathleen Davy  
Pat Davy  
Mary Dowdall

**Wed. 7th March**  
7 p.m. Timothy O'Connell

**Thurs. 8th March**  
7 p.m. Catherine McGovern

**Friday 9th March**  
10 a.m. Catherine McGovern

## BAPTISM DATES

**MAR** 3rd 10th **APR** 14th 21st  
**MAY** 19th 26th **JUNE** 16th 23rd  
**JULY** 14th 21st **AUG** 11th 18th  
**Contact Parish Office 4941204**

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

**BETHANY GROUP SUPPORT**  
**MONDAY 27<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2012**  
**8 p.m. IONA Centre**  
*One-to-One facilitation*  
*available on request*

**Bethany Mobile 086 3464556**

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

*Strength in the desert*  
Jesus went into the desert, an unknown young carpenter from Nazareth, with thirty years of hidden life behind Him. After the desert He returned to Galilee "with the power of the Spirit in Him," and started to preach. Quickly He became a public figure, but He loved to withdraw to the desert or mountain to recharge His energies by prayer. He moved forward like any of us, with no sure knowledge of what was to happen to Him. His life was shaped also by the accidents of His life, the enthusiasm of some of His listeners and the resistance of others. He has a sense of where God was calling Him, "I am sent to cast fire on the earth", and He felt a joy in His vocation "My food is to do the will of Him who sent me." After the quiet life of Nazareth, Jesus' public life was tumultuous. If we are to do justice to His humanity, we must accept that He did not know what would happen next, only that this was where God wanted Him to be.