

Collections for Last Sunday

Parish	Gift Aid	Loose	Levy	Total	At Mass	Priest Training
Immaculate Conception	£252.00	£62.64	£83.28	£397.92	113	£163
All Saints	£249.00	£112.09	£100.21	£461.30	105	£183
St. John's	£149.00	£9.50	£17.10	£175.60	28	£105
			Total	<u>£1034.82</u>	<u>246</u>	<u>£451</u>

Development Fund April: Immaculate Conception £393.93

100 CLUB	1st Prize	No. 139	John Jones £50
	2nd Prize	No. 129	Maureen Harris £25
	3rd Prize	No. 90	Carol Smith £10

PARISH NOTICES

- * Congratulations and best wishes to Mary Mosely on her 90th birthday
- * All Saints APF Red Boxes – all monies to be handed in to Mary Taylor or the Sacristy asap. please
- * All Saints Luncheon Club Tuesday 16th May at 1pm; see menu in porch.
- * Defibrillator: We are still taking donations to buy our second Defibrillator; we have £556 in our fund at present and require £996. Please contact mike.morgan0@gmail.com or 01495 711658 / 07407474723 to arrange a training date.

Coming Soon 3rd– 9th June 2017- Parish Mission.

The St. Patrick Community of Ireland will be leading a Parish Mission in our Pastoral Area with the Guest Speaker: John Pridmore. Please keep the days open for an amazing time to encounter the Risen Lord in the power of the Holy Spirit.

MISSION PRAYER

Heavenly Father,
We pray that our Parish Mission may be a time of grace and renewal for all. We ask you to bless all the families in our Pastoral Area especially those who are experiencing difficulties.
Bless the old, the young, the Children, the poor, the sick, the unemployed and those in sorrow or despair.
Help us dear Lord to grow in faith and love of you. Amen



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5th Week of Easter, Year A *Mass Book p265* **14th May 2017**

Vigil	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	Ellen Davies B'Day Teresa Madge
Fifth Sunday of Easter	9:00am	Immaculate Conception	Gordon Wilcox RIP
	10:30am	All Saints	Bill & Margaret O'Shea RIP Peggy Hutton
	5:30pm	St. John's	Mark & Jimmy Duggan (RIP)
Monday 15th	10:00am	St. John's	For Spiritual Maturity in the Church
Tuesday 16th	7:00pm	Immaculate Conception	Dillwyn Herbert RIP B'Day
Wednesday 17th	1:30pm	All Saints	Intentions of the Cliggett Family
Thursday 18th	9:30am	All Saints school	Staff & Pupils
	11:00am	All Saints	Requiem of Rita Beech
Friday 19th	7:00pm	Immaculate Conception	For Vocations in the Archdiocese
	10:00am	All Saints	In Thanksgiving (CB)
11:00am	Wedding of Sophie E. Williams & David R. Griffiths		
Vigil	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	For all who have no one to remember or pray for them
6th Sunday of Easter	9:00am	Immaculate Conception	For a Successful Parish Mission
	10:30am	All Saints	Esme Worthington RIP. John Bell RIP Dec'd members of Twohig Family
	5:30pm	St. John's	Fr. Edmund's Intention

VIGIL LAMPS

All Saints:	Our Lady	Dennis Bevan RIP
All Saints:	Sacred Heart	Holy Souls
Immaculate Conception:	Our Lady	Veronica Yandle RIP
Immaculate Conception:	Sacred Heart	Maureen Baker RIP

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

All Saints: Daily from 10:30am until 6:00pm
St. John: Monday after 10:00am Mass

From the Catechism of the Catholic Church

“Christ, high priest and unique mediator, has made of the Church "a kingdom, priests for his God and Father." The whole community of believers is, as such, priestly. The faithful exercise their baptismal priesthood through their participation, each according to his own vocation, in Christ's mission as priest, prophet, and king. Through the sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation the faithful are "consecrated to be . . . a holy priesthood." (CCC, 1546)

GOSPEL REFLECTIONS

As Jesus was about to depart from this world, he assured his disciples that he was going to prepare a place for them in heaven so that they would be with him in his Father's house. He reminded Thomas and the other disciples that he is the Way, the Truth, meaning the Life to the Father. He is the only way to the Father. There is no other way. In Acts 4:12, Peter told the Sanhedrin that Jesus is the only name by which one is to be saved.

In answer to Philip's question: "Lord, let us see the Father and then we shall be satisfied"; Jesus clearly relates the unique relationship between him and the Father. The Father is present in the Son; "To have seen me is to have seen the Father". This unique relationship validates Jesus' words and works. The words he has spoken are from the Father and the works he has accomplished are the works of the Father. Those who believe in this peculiar relationship between the Father and the Son will be enabled to do similar works of the Son and even greater works than he has done. The Father and the Son share the same divinity, they share the same words and works. Jesus has revealed to us all that we want to know, learn or hear from the Father. In Jesus Christ the Son, we see the true identity or revelation of God, the Father.

Please pray for the Parishioners of our Pastoral Area, especially:

✠ the sick and housebound:

Jeanette Badham, Elise Burgess, Denise Burrows, Yvonne Brown, Grant Caniff, Molly Cini, Jim Clarke, James Cullen, Maria Davies, Maria Death, Brian Garrett, John Godfrey, Michael Gough, Margaret Hancock, Sally Harris, Keyon Hughes, Nicola James, Gary Jones, Celia Jones, Leslie Jones, Mandy Jones, Yvonne Jones, Nina Kokkali, Mabel Kelly, Margaret Lawrence, Colin Lee, Tom Markey, Eileen Michael, Louis Moorhead, Maureen Morgan, Kieran Moseley, Mary Moseley, Des Murphy, Shirley Murphy, Adam Newbury, Brian Norman, Cathy O'Leary, Ruth Phillips, Bill Pritchard, Owen Pritchard, Christopher Rich, Eileen Richards, Paul Riley, Samuel Roach, Maureen Roberts, Norman Roberts, Ivor Rolfe, Paul Roper, Alison Utting, Grant Walshe, Rachel Watkins, Neville Whitcombe, Joan Williams, Kathleen Williams, Pam Williams, Helen Yabsley, Tony Zeraschi, Debra Richards, Daniel Morgan Bennett, Raymond Titley, Jeanette Prothero, Pauline Thomas. Barbara McCarthy, Gavin Hughes, Norma Beecher, Maria James, Maureen Hague, Doris Morris, Sheila Bennett, Joan Spencer.

✠ those whose anniversary occurs at this time:

Rosa Carini, Brian Slater, Leonora Czaplá, Robert Clancy, Johnny O'Leary, Charlie Williams, Emily Lowry, Laurence Worthington... Marie Davies

✠ Rest in Peace

Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Jennifer Padfield** who passed on 8th May. Her Funeral Service is on Monday 15th May 2017 at 2:30pm at Immaculate Conception, and **Rita Maralyn Beech**, who passed on 5th May 2017 Her Requiem is on Friday 19th May at 11am. in All Saints. Our sincere sympathies and prayers go to the bereaved families.

✠ Sacraments

Please pray for **Sophie Elizabeth Williams & David Rhys Griffiths** as they Celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony on Saturday 20th May 2017 at All Saints Church.

Please continue to pray for the Children who are preparing for their First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion