

MOUNT MERRION PARISH



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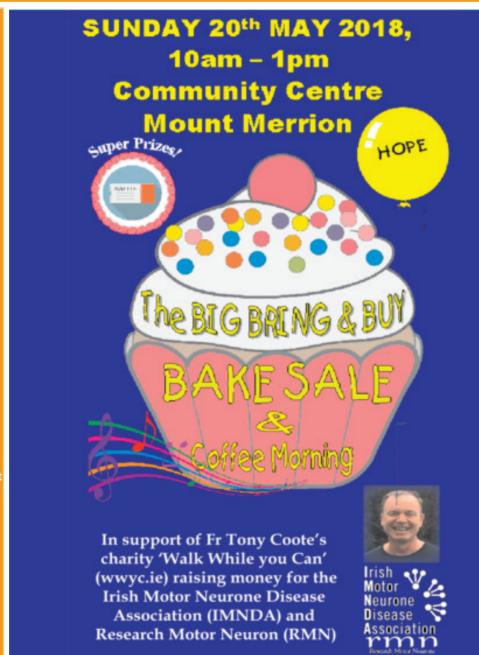
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NOTICE

On Friday the 25th May, Referendum Day, the Eucharistic Adoration will take place in the Main Church, not the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. All are invited to come and pray.



WOULD YOU LIKE TO BECOME A PARISH VISITOR?

The Mount Merrion Visitors is a parish voluntary group which provides a friend for those who are housebound, sick or living alone. Our members visit

for up to an hour once a fortnight, on a day and at a time to be agreed. It is a confidential relationship, on a one to one basis. The precious gifts we bring are time and a listening ear. For more information, please contact the Parish Secretary at tel: 01 288 1271

FIND OUT ABOUT WALK WHILE YOU CAN

Anybody who would like to know about the 'Walk While You Can' with Fr. Tony, there will be a meeting in the Community Centre on Tuesday 22nd May at 7.30pm and details will be given.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 19th

10.00 NO MASS

11.00 Scoil San Treasa First Holy Communion

6.00 Pat Hughes [A]

Monica Costelloe [A]

William Byrne [M.M.]

Sunday 20th

10.00 Jerry O'Brian [A]

11.15 John McDermot [A]
Antonio Giannatonio [A]
Christine Higgins [A]

7.30 Valerie Mac Amhlaigh [A]

Monday 21st

10.00 For all who are ill

Tuesday 22nd

10.00 Liturgical Service Wednesday 23rd

10.00

Thursday 24th

10.00 Special Intention
Patrick & Elizabeth Moran [A]

Friday 25th

10.00

Saturday 26th

10.00 NO MASS

11.00 Oatlands First Holy Communion

6.00 Jim King [A]
Paul Creevy [A]
Joseph & Sheila Arkins [A]
Vincent & Bob Kelly [A]
May & John Glynn [A]

Sunday 27th

10.00 Maureen & Jerry Beegan [A] Charlotte Murtagh [A] Josef & Barbara Brezina [A]

11.15 Brian Hanna [A] Kevin Costelloe [A]

7.30 Sean & Nancy King [A]

Maire Cronin [A]

Patricia O'Brian [A]

BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP Kilmacud & Mount Merrion

Session 3 – May 22nd

Bereavement Healing Liturgy
Tuesday at 7.30pm
at KILMACUD Parish Centre

Each session will last one hour approx. Tea will be provided and all sessions are FREE Contact:
Parish Office 01 288 4009 or come along on the night

A JOURNEY TO THE HEART SONGS OF HOPE FOR THE JOURNEY

An evening of music and reflection will take place in the Church of St. Thérèse, Mount Merrion on June 15th 2018 at 7.30pm. The evening will be led by Sr. Marie Dunne with the St. John of God Choir, Holy Faith Past Pupils Choir and will feature Mount Merrion Parish Children's Choir.

A collection will take place during the event to support the Irish Motor Neurone Disease Association (IMNDA) and Research Motor Neurone (RMN). All welcome



As summer approaches, so do students exams! We invite you to write the first name of a student on a label from the basket in the Faith Space, then hang it on one of the wall pins there.

By so doing, you promise to pray for that student, and the whole parish can pray for all of them.

You will also find bookmarks printed with an exam prayer on the tables at the back of the church and in the side porches.



Mount Merrion Historical Society
Outing to Cavan Museum & Tullynally Castle
and its attractions



Saturday 9th June, 2018

Depart: Mount Merrion 9.00am (from The Rise car park Church of St. Therese) **Return:** Mount Merrion 5.45pm

Price: €39.50 per person

(includes coach trip, tea/coffee on arrival, guided tours)

Guided tours of: Cavan Museum WW1 and GPO
exhibits. Tullynally House (self-quided in Gardens)

for more details <u>www.mountmerrionhistorical.com</u> bookings please contact:

Brendan McManus 0879072032 Evanna Kennedy 0868756969 Members and Non-members welcome

FEAST OF PENTECOST



As we celebrate 'the great beginning of the Church,' the coming of the Holy Spirit to the confused and astonished disciples, the scripture readings give contrasting images of what that experience might be like.

In the first reading, the gift of the Holy Spirit is an overwhelming experience, full of the noise and power of wind and the warmth of fire, but then in John's Gospel Jesus gives the Holy Spirit as gently and quietly as His breath.

We praise God for this great Gift, and ask for a new outpouring in our day. We pray for ourselves, and for Christian communities all over the world, that however the Holy Spirit comes to us in our particular circumstances, we may recognise that Presence, as lifegiving encouragement to grow in faith, hope and trust in the Lord.

Filled with the power of the Holy Spirit, the disciples took the message of Jesus out into the streets of Jerusalem, and from there, to the whole world. May we too spread the Good News of Jesus by our words, our actions and our way of being.

Come, Holy Spirit, breathe new life into your people. Show us the true meaning of the gospel and enkindle our hearts with a love that will transform our lives! Amen



Our sympathies to the family, relatives and friends of **David Egan** whose funeral took place here this week