

# The Parable of the RICH MAN & LAZARUS

Luke 16:19-31

## MOUNT MERRION PARISH

26 Sunday in Ordinary Time

29th September 2019 www.mountmerrionparish.ie

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CELEBRATING ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI  
AND THE SEASON OF CREATION

### BLESSING OF PETS

Sunday 6th October 3pm  
Outside Holy Cross Church, Dundrum  
All Welcome



Our sympathies to the family, relatives  
and friends of **Richard Whelan**  
whose funeral took place here this week.

### CALLING ALL YOUNG PEOPLE: VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



Would you be interested in participating in the Sunday Youth Mass?

We, the **Youth Group**, would love to see you, no matter what your talent is: **singing; reading; playing an instrument;** or **helping** to set up for the mass. **For TY students**, the Youth Group will satisfy **Gaisce** requirements. Your community needs you- you can make a valuable contribution. Please speak to a member of the **Youth Group after the 7:30pm Sunday Mass** or email [parishoffice@mountmerrionparish.ie](mailto:parishoffice@mountmerrionparish.ie)

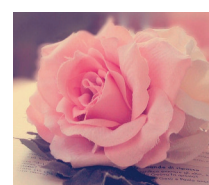


Mount Merrion Parish are now **RECRUITING NEW ALTAR SERVERS** for our Masses. We would like to invite parents of boys and girls from 4th class and above, to get in touch with us by emailing: [altarserversmountmerrion2019@gmail.com](mailto:altarserversmountmerrion2019@gmail.com)  
We will be arranging an information meeting and training in the coming weeks.

### AN INVITATION FOR THE FEAST OF ST THÉRÈSE OF LISIEUX OCTOBER 1ST 10AM MASS



Tuesday October 1st is the Feast of St. Thérèse of Lisieux, our parish patron saint. You are invited to join together in prayer at 10am Mass, which will also include music from the pupils of Scoil San Treasa and the Blessing of the Roses.



We pray that St Thérèse may draw us to follow her "Little Way" of love in our own lives, and that we too may radiate joy and gladness. Amen.

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### Saturday 28th

6.00 Jim Nellie [A] &  
Walter Parkinson [A]  
Sean, Kathleen, Bill &  
Alex Collins [A]  
Tommy McLaughlin [M.M]  
Jim Gannon [R]  
Special Intention

#### Sunday 29th

10.00 Tom & Frances McKenna [A]  
11.15 Fr. Tony Coote [M.M]  
7.30

#### Monday 30th

10.00 For all who are ill

#### Tuesday 1st October

10.00 Feast of St. Therese

#### Wednesday 2nd

10.00 Margaret Burns [A]

#### Thursday 3rd

10.00 Hugh Church [A]

#### Friday 4th

10.00 Altar Lists

#### Saturday 5th

10.00  
6.00 Brendan O Donoghue [M.M.]  
William & Rose McElwee [B.R.]  
Pattie & Sean Browne [B.R.]

#### Sunday 6th

10.00 Pauline Moriarty [A]  
Brian Neilan [A]  
Liam O'Cochlain [M.M.]  
11.15 Betty King [A]  
Philomena Dillon [A]  
Angela Caslin [A]  
7.30

### PATRICIAN MEETING

Subject: Apostolate of Love  
Speaker: Deacon John Taffee  
Date: Monday 30th September  
Time: 8.00pm  
Venue: Community Centre

**ALL ARE WELCOME**

### WALK FOR IMNDA IN MEMORY OF FR TONY COOTE

Minister Josepha Madigan is organising a walk in honour of Fr Tony Coote. It will take place at Deerpark, Mount Merrion (meeting place opposite the playground) at 2pm on September 29th, the day after his Month's Mind.

### All donations to the Irish Motor Neurone Disease Association.

"Not only was he an amazing, incredible man but an incredible priest too. And good friend of mine and so many others. A true beacon of light and inspiration, he turned a negative into a positive like only he could."

## SEASON OF CREATION MONTH SEPTEMBER 1 – OCTOBER 4

"And God saw that it was good" (Gen 1:25). God's gaze, at the beginning of the Bible, rests lovingly on his creation. From habitable land to life-giving waters, from fruit-bearing trees to animals that share our common home, everything is dear in the eyes of God, who offers creation to men and women as a precious gift to be preserved."

"...Each Christian man and woman, every member of the human family, can act as a thin yet unique and indispensable thread in weaving a network of life that embraces everyone."

May we feel challenged to assume, with prayer and commitment, our responsibility for the care of creation. May God, "the lover of life" (Wis 11:26), grant us the courage to do good without waiting for someone else to begin, or until it is too late."

*Extract from Pope Francis' message for The World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation (1st Sept '19) - the first day of The Season of Creation which runs until The Feast of St Francis of Assisi (4th Oct, '19).*



### IRELAND AND THE EU: PAST, PRESENT AND UNCERTAIN FUTURE?



presented by  
**Catherine Day**  
**8.00pm Thursday 3rd October 2019**

Catherine will talk about how the EU has evolved since Ireland joined in 1973 and will discuss how Ireland has changed in response to its EU membership. She will cover the reasons leading up to the Brexit vote in 2016 and will look at the options for the UK outside the EU. She will also explore how the EU will change once the UK has left and what those changes are likely to mean for Ireland. Her talk will provide the context for a discussion which will follow and allow for an update on the unfolding drama in London. Catherine Day joined the European Commission in 1979. She worked in Cabinets of Mr Richard Burke (1982-1984), Mr Peter Sutherland (1985-1989) and Sir Leon Brittan (1989-1996) whom she served as deputy chef de Cabinet. In 2005, Catherine was appointed Secretary General of the European Commission. She served two terms with President Jose Manuel Barroso and continued with his successor Mr. Jean-Claude Juncker until she retired in 2015.

### THE COMMUNITY CENTRE, MOUNT MERRION

Admission: Members No charge (see Season Membership)

Non-Members: €4.00 (Students €2.00)

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