

ST. SYLVESTERS PARISH NEWSLETTER

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MALAHIDE PARISH CENTRE – we welcome all visitors to Malahide especially from outside Ireland. Our Parish Centre is open for refreshments all day every day – We take this opportunity to remind people to visit our Prayer Chapel.

Please be aware of the new autumn mass schedule now in place. In Malahide there will be no 5.30pm on a Sunday evening. Mass times in our grouping are available on our website:

www.malahideparish.ie

THE PRESENT MASS SCHEDULE WILL CONTINUE UNTIL THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Saturday Vigil: 6.30pm Yellow Walls and Portmarnock

Sunday: 8.30 am Carmelite Convent 9.00 am Kinsealy

10.00 am Malahide 10.30 am Yellow Walls 10.30 am Portmarnock

11.15 am Malahide 12.00 noon Yellow Walls 12.00 noon Portmarnock and 12.30 pm Malahide

The parishes in our Cluster will be considering Mass Times over the coming weeks with a view to proposing a permanent Mass Schedule to commence on the First Sunday of Advent, the 30th November.

CASA

'A sincere thank you to all who so generously supported the CASA church gate collection last weekend in Yellow Walls Parish. An amazing €2050.00 was collected which will go a long way towards enhancing our respite care. It is due to the generosity of the community that CASA can continue to provide this much needed respite care service. Thank you so much for your support'

DEATH

Prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of Carmel Coleman who died during the week.

PARISH CHRISTMAS FAIR

Sunday, December 7th in the Gaffney Hall in Malahide Parish Pastoral Centre

From 10.30 am to 5 pm

Homemade jams, chutneys, cakes, Bottle Stall, Fresh Fruit and vegetables, Good as new clothes, Wheel of Fortune, Bric-a-Brac, Monster Raffle, Tea/Coffee, Mulled Wine and LOTS, LOTS MORE.

SANTA WILL BE VISITING TOO!!!

More volunteers needed – contact Parish Office 01-8451244

YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROGRAMME

Any young adults who would be interested in taking part in a new leadership training programme to train and learn how to be active, faith leaders with young people, email myam.admin@gmail.com for more details.

CAMINO de SANTIAGO

INVITATION

Annual Camino Talk

Saturday 15th November 2014 at 2pm

The Clyde Court Hotel, Ballsbridge.

Speaker John Brierley

ADMISSION FREE

Email: stjamesirl@gmail.com to confirm your place

Weekly Collection: We thank people for their contribution towards last Sunday's collections

1st Collection €1,995 (blue basket) towards maintenance of your local clergy and the clergy of the Archdiocese

2nd collection €1,465 (red basket) for Share

MARRIAGES: Congratulations to:

Donna McClean & Frank Watchorne

Yvonne Conville & Stephen Kerr

Mass for the Deceased staff & residents of St. Ita's Hospital

Saturday 15th November 2014 at 3.00pm

Bishop Raymond Field to officiate.

Malahide Bethany Bereavement Support Group holds a Support group meeting for the bereaved on the second Monday of each month at 8pm in the Parish Centre. A support group meeting for the bereaved is held every Monday morning at 10.30am in the Parish Centre in St. Ita's room. The Group also hold a Support Group meeting on the second Monday of the month at 8pm. **The next monthly meeting will be held on Monday 10th November at 8pm, all are welcome.**

Mass intentions for this week

Monday: Funeral Mass for Carmel Coleman (R.I.P.)

Tuesday: Get Well Mass for a Parishioner

Wednesday: Donal O'Brien (A)

Thursday: Rita Friel (A)

Friday: Jim Mangan (R.I.P)

Saturday: Bob & Maureen Heeley (A)

Meals on Wheels

Drivers and cooks required for Meals on Wheels - Monday, Wednesday & Friday Please contact Parish Office at 01-8451244

The Marian Movement:

Regional Cenacle (Priests & Laity) takes place Sat 15th Nov 2014 in ALL HALLOWS COLLEGE. Confession, Mass at 4pm

NEIL Neuro-Enhancement for Independent Lives

'Does your spouse have dementia?' We are carrying out research to gain insight into the health and wellbeing of those living with someone who has dementia. For information about taking part please contact Alan Galvin or Dr. Maria Pertl at Trinity College on 01-8968414

CANDLELIGHT CHRISTMAS CONCERT

With

Jennifer Snow & Guests

In aid of St. Sylvesters Parish

Friday 5th December 8pm

TICKETS ON SALE NOW IN PARISH OFFICE

€20 includes mulled wine & canapes.

FIRST 100 TICKETS SOLD GO INTO DRAW

FOR 2 PREMIUM SEATS at

ANDRE BOCELLI CONCERT

at 3 ARENA

FRIDAY 14TH NOVEMBER 2014.

Amen Support Group Meetings for male victims of domestic abuse and men experiencing difficulties with their relationships commenced in October Please contact 046.69023718 for further details

The Seniors Social Group meets each Wednesday from 10.45am to 12.45pm in the St. Finian Room in the Parish Centre. Tea/Coffee, music and sing a long, poetry, storytelling and gentle exercises, chats, talks etc. All very welcome.

Bethany Support Group will hold a Mass on **Friday 14th November** in St. Sylvester's at **7.30 pm** for all those who have died in the past 12 months. Why not come along and support the families who have experienced bereavement. Those from our parish will be mentioned by name and a special candle is lit in their memory. Deceased relatives and friends can be included in our remembrance Mass. You can write their names on slips at the back of the church. After Mass everyone welcome to refreshments in the Pastoral Centre.

DRIVERS: Can you volunteer two hours of your time **ONCE A MONTH** to drive an elderly person to their medical appointment. Contact Jo Morris 087 6163648

FAMILY MASS: On most Sundays the 10.00 Mass is a Family Mass encouraging the involvement of children during the Mass. In particular children are involved in the procession at the beginning of the Mass, doing the Readings and the Prayers of the Faithful and bringing up the Bread and Wine. Names of those who would like to be involved are being taken at the back of the church after Mass each Sunday for the next Mass. We encourage children to volunteer and ask the support of their parents.

New Readers needed for the 11.15 and 12.30 Masses on one month per year. If interested and willing contact Peter Sheil 01 8450076

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Carmelite Convent, Seapark: Mon:- Fri.: 7.30 a.m. Sat.: 9.00 a.m

St. Sylvester's: Mon- Sat: 10.00 a.m.

Yellow Walls: 9.30 a.m.

Kinsealy: 10.00am.

Portmarnock: 10am

BAPTISMS

2nd & 4th Saturday each month at 12.30 p.m. (Contact Parish Office for Dates)

PARISH OFFICE

Open: Mon – Fri 10.30 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. Afternoon by appointment. Phone: 8451244 Fax: 816 8539 Email: stsylvesters@eircom.net

Parish Website: www.malahideparish.ie

Church of St. Sylvester, Blessed Sacrament Exposition.

Mon. 10.30 a.m. to 10 p.m. Tues. 10.30 a.m. to 3 p.m.; 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Wed, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.; 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Convent: Each Sunday from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.