

**PARISH OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE**

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February 6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup> 2016 – Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

World Day of the Sick

**Day of Prayer for Temperance**

❖ **Mass for the coming week:**  
Monday to Friday at 10.00a.m.

❖ **Sacrament of Penance Rite II:**  
First Saturday of the month after evening Mass.

❖ **Lent begins on Wednesday next – There will an evening Mass at 6.30p.m. on Ash Wednesday. Ashes will be distributed during the 10.00am and 6.30pm Masses.**  
Ash Wednesday is a day of Fast and Abstinence.

➤ **Blessing of the Sick will take place during the 6.30p.m. Mass on Saturday next 13<sup>th</sup> February. If anyone requires transport to this Mass please leave your name, address and telephone number in the Sacristy and a member of the Team will contact you.**

❖ **Mass at 4.30pm Monday to Friday with an extra Mass at 1pm during Lent in The Oratory Blanchardstown.**

**The annual collection of ACCORD, the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, will be made at all Masses next weekend the 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup> February. The collection for ACCORD will replace the usual Share collection.**

**ACCORD Dublin throughout the Diocese offers:**

- ❖ **Marriage Preparation Courses.**
  - ❖ **Counselling for couples and individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships.**
  - ❖ **A Relationship and Sexuality Programme in Schools.**
- ACCORD Dublin needs your support. Thank you.**

❖ **A silent one-day Lenten Retreat for men and women will be held on Sunday next, 14<sup>th</sup> February at Milltown Park from 10.00a.m. to 6.00p.m. Spiritual direction by Jesuit Fathers. Talks, Guided Prayer, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Mass and Blessing of the Sick. Meals provided. Suggested offering €30.**  
**Contact Lay Retreat Association on 01-5577113 to book a place.**

❖ **MASS INTENTIONS:**

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>Richard Gallagher Anniversary</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Margaret Fallon 9<sup>th</sup> Anniversary</b>
	<b>11.00am</b>	<b>Peter Brady Anniversary</b>
	<b>12.15pm</b>	<b>Jim O'Connor Anniversary</b>
	<b>5.30pm</b>	<b>Eileen and John Kinsella Anniversaries</b>

❖ **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

**Desmond Liliback, recently deceased, Annie McNulty, recently deceased (mother of Mary Costello C/knock Meadows)'**  
**Also, Jack and Kitty Ryan, Peter and Loretta McGrath, Des Boyle, Julie Aspil and Brigid O'Flaherty whose anniversaries occur at this time and all those whose names are on the Altar List of the Dead.**