

**PARISH OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE**

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November 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> 2016– Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

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

- ❖ Rite I of the Sacrament of Penance is available in the Confession Room every Friday morning from 9.15a.m. to 9.45a.m. and Saturday evening from 5.45p.m. to 6.20p.m.
- ❖ Rite II: First Saturday of the month after evening Mass.

As we come to the last Saturday of the liturgical calendar, we honour Christ as our King. All through the year we are invited to build up his kingdom, where values such as justice, love, forgiveness and mercy are strongly encouraged. His kingdom is so different from the values of this world.

First Reading: (2Sam.5:1-3)

We see how David became king of a united country. His kingship prefigures the universal kingship of Christ.

Second Reading: (Col.1:11-20)

We thank God the Father for giving us Jesus who brought us out of darkness into his own wonderful light.

Gospel: (Luke 23:35-43)

The kingly throne of Jesus was his cross. It was on this cross that He gave us redemption.

❖ Readers and Ministers of the Eucharist

Those who wish to continue in their ministry of Reader or Communion Ministry are invited to renew their commitment on the first Sunday of Advent. This renewal will take place during Mass and the commitment will be for three years.

‘Songs for a Winter’s Evening’ Christmas Concert in aid of Focus Ireland in St. Mochta’s Church on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> December at 7.30p.m.  
See poster in courtyard for full details.

Castleknock I.C.A. will host a talk by Sinead Kavanagh on **Holistic Wellbeing** on Monday, 21<sup>st</sup> November at 8.15p.m. in the Parish Centre, Beechpark Ave., Castleknock. All welcome. Admission €5.

❖ MASS INTENTIONS:

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>Maureen O’Connor Anniversary</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>First Holy Communion Preparation Mass</b>
	<b>11.00am</b>	<b>Tommy Reid Anniversary</b>
	<b>12.15pm</b>	<b>John Lane 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary</b>
	<b>5.30p.m</b>	<b>Gerry Landers Month’s Mind</b>

❖ REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

We extend our sympathy to the families of Brendan Kelly, Anne Jolley, Fr. Martin Murnaghan and Peter Butler, all recently deceased.

Also, Harry Johnston, Pat O’Malley and Fr. Sean Rainey whose anniversaries occur at this time and those whose names are on the November Altar List of the Dead.