

PARISH OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE

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June 1st/2nd 2019 – The Ascension of the Lord

WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY

❖ **Mass for the coming week:**

Monday to Friday at 10.00a.m.

❖ **The Ascension of the Lord:**

On this day we celebrate the glorification of Jesus, when the Father raised him up in glory. Now in the presence of his father, Jesus continues to act through the Holy Spirit and through his followers.

First Reading: (Acts 1:1-11)

We hear of the ascension of Jesus into heaven, and of his promise to send the Holy Spirit to his disciples.

Second Reading: (Eph. 1:17-23)

Paul sets out the meaning of the ascension; God raised Jesus above all earthly powers, and made him head of the church and Lord of creation.

Gospel: (Luke 24:46-53)

Before ascending into heaven, Jesus promises to send the Holy Spirit to his disciples.

❖ **Sacrament of Penance**

Confessions are available in the Confessional Room every Friday from 9.15a.m. to 9.45a.m. and Saturdays from 5.15p.m. to 6.15p.m.
Rite Two is celebrated after the 6.30p.m. Mass on the first Saturday of the month.

BeKind Ireland would like to thank parishioners for their generosity in donating **€2,740** at last weekend's outdoor collection.

It is very much appreciated.

Trócaire have asked us to express their thanks to all parishioners who returned their Trócaire boxes and donated to this year's Trócaire appeal. The amount donated in total was **€2,315**.

Castleknock Celtic invites boys and girls born between 2007 and 2011 (inclusive) to participate in their Club's hugely popular Mini World Cup from Tuesday 18th to 22nd June in Porterstown Park. Registration on Thursday 6th June from 6.30pm to 7.30pm at Porterstown Clubhouse. More details including application form at www.castleknockceltic.com or text only to 083-4111721/086-1723755.

❖ **Date for your Diary**

Our annual Parish Pilgrimage to **Knock** will take place on Saturday 14th September. Further details in the coming weeks.

❖ **MASS INTENTIONS:**

SATURDAY	6.30pm	Sr. Josephine Macken Recently Deceased
SUNDAY	10.00am	Kevin Doyle Anniversary
	11.00am	Aidan Lynch 6 th Anniversary
	12.15pm	Martin and Ella Henry Anniversaries

❖ **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Pray for the souls of David Musgrave (husband of Dolores, C/k Ave), Matthew O'Neill (father of John, C/k Wood), Bernard Casey (nephew of Clare, C/k Downs) and Stephen Garvey, all recently deceased.

Also, Eileen Dunphy, Minnie McAnaney, Nell Rooney, Tommy McLaughlin, Alex Keenan, Philomena McLaughlin and Noel Mahon whose anniversaries occur at this time and all those whose names are on the Altar List of the Dead.