

PARISH OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE

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July 13th/14th 2019 – Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

❖ Mass for the coming week:

Monday to Friday at 10.00a.m.

❖ Fifteenth Sunday of the Year

The story of the Good Samaritan tells us that God wants us to care for one another. Our biggest sin can be failing to take an opportunity for doing good. Sins of omission can be our worst failings.

First Reading: (Deut. 30:10-14)

Moses urges the people to obey God's law, not as something imposed from the outside but as something that springs up from inside themselves.

Second Reading: (Col. 1:15-20)

Paul asserts the absolute supremacy of Christ.

Gospel: (Luke 10:25-37)

This is the parable of the Good Samaritan. Our neighbour can be anyone who needs our help.

❖ 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.

Thanks to all who donated to Mission Awareness following Fr. Martin Kavanagh's recent visit. The amount donated was €1,810.00.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul urgently need volunteers in the Dublin area to work with individuals and families for about 3 hours, day or night, (whatever suits you best) once a week.

Full training and support provided. For more information call 01 8198405 or visit www.SVP.ie/volunteer@sve.ie

Free Five Week Basic iPhone, iPad, Tablet and Smartphone class commencing in St. Brigid's Community Centre Blanchardstown on Tuesday 10th September from 12noon to 2p.m. If you would like to book a place please call Angela on 046 9280790 or email angela.arkins@meathpartnership.ie

❖ Parish Pilgrimage to Knock

Names are being taken for our Parish Pilgrimage to Knock on Saturday 14th September. The cost is €50 (including transport, refreshments and dinner). If interested please leave your name, contact details and full payment in an envelope marked '*Knock Pilgrimage*' into the Sacristy/Parish Office as soon as possible. Thank you.

Monthly outdoor collection in aid of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will take place after all Masses **this weekend**. Thank you for your continued support.

❖ MASS INTENTIONS:

SATURDAY	6.30pm	Sean Keary – Anniversary Mary O'Carroll - Anniversary
SUNDAY	10.00am	Eileen Connolly Anniversary
	11.00am	Michael, Bridget, Teresa, Mary Christina and Monica Ryan - Anniversaries
	12.15pm	Pauline Murphy 2 nd Anniversary

❖ REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Pray for the souls of Rose Luddy and Gerry Nangle, both recently deceased.

Also, Angela Murphy (birthday remembrance), Myra Fahy, Patrick McCarthy, Tony Dooley, Dermot Lynch, Paddy Rothwell and Loretto and Patrick McGrath whose anniversaries occur at this time and all those whose names are on the Altar List of the Dead.