PARISH of ST. THOMAS the APOSTLE

in partnership with the parishes of Porterstown & Castleknock

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THIRTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 24th November 2024

FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING

We are members of the Kingdom of God and Jesus is our King.
We are meant to be his witnesses by the way we live. It is a great joy and a great challenge to belong to his kingdom.

<u>First Reading</u>: (Dan. 7:13-14): On this the last Sunday of the Church's year we think of the end and judgment. The vision from the Book of Daniel sets the tone.

<u>Second Reading</u>: (Rev. 1:5-8): Basing itself on the same text from the Book of Daniel, Revelation looks from the redemption wrought by Christ in time to his coming at the end of time.

Gospel: (Jn. 18:33-37): This reading contains a section from the Passion narrative. Jesus was crucified on the charge of being a Messianic pretender. The title "King of the Jews" was nailed to his cross.

REFLECTION: Jesus had no palace, no throne, no crown and no armies, yet we call him our King and we give him an allegiance and loyalty we would not give to another person or institution on earth. Lord Jesus, our King and Shepherd, gather your flock from the ends of the earth into the peace and joy of your kingdom. To you belong glory and power forever and ever. Amen

November Altar
List of the Dead
envelopes are
available at the
back of the Church.
Please return all
envelopes by
Friday 29th
November.

The Pope's Intentions – November 2024 FOR ANYONE WHO HAS LOST A CHILD

We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.

<u>THANK YOU</u> - Bekind Ireland would like to thank the parish for their very generous donations of €4,220 last weekend.

FESTIVE AFTERNOON TEA - St. Mochta's Parish along with Laurel Lodge and Castleknock is hosting a Festive Afternoon Tea in our Pastoral Centre on Saturday 7th December beginning with Mass at 12 noon. There are only 60 tickets available at €10 each. Tickets are on sale from St. Mochta's Sacristy after any Mass or from St. Mochta's Parish office during office hours.

CHRISTMAS WARMTH CONCERT: On Sunday 15th December at 6pm a Christmas Concert will take place in St. Mochta's Church featuring the Church Choir and Mary Flynn and Friends combining what in previous years was our "Carol Service" and "Songs for a Winter's Evening". The proceeds will be used to provide a warm glow from the church heating over the Christmas Season. Please come along and enjoy the afternoon which will include refreshments in the Parish Centre afterwards.

Tickets €10 per adult/Family Ticket €20 on sale from the Sacristy in St. Mochta's Church after any Mass or from St. Mochta's Parish Office during office hours

CAROL SERVICE: OUR ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE TAKES
PLACE ON MONDAY DECEMBER 9TH AT 7.30 PM. ALL WELCOME

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY:	6.30 pm	Rebekah Kiely (anniversary)
		John Bourke (anniversary)

SUNDAY: 9.30 am Lia and Lynsey Flood (anniversary)

11.30 am James and Martin Brosnan (anniversary)
Anna Power (1st anniversary)

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Cathal Deasy (recently deceased)

And those whose anniversaries occur at this time

Joe Ryan, Pat O'Malley, Eithne McAllister, Audrey Merrigan, Marie Jeffers, Tommy and Katie Brennan, Tony Reilly, Helen Clifford Deceased Members of the Killock Family Sheila Fitzpatrick (Birthday Remembrance)

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<u>PRAYERS/INTENTIONS</u>: A basket will be left at the altar for people to place their intentions/prayer requests.

These will be prayed for at the 10.00am Mass on the day.



ADORATION: TAKES PLACE IN LAUREL LODGE CHURCH EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 8PM TO 9PM. ALL WELCOME.

AVAILABLE ON THE PARISH WEBCAM: <u>WWW.LAURELLODGEPARISH.IE</u>
ALSO IN - **ST MOCHTA'S, PORTERSTOWN** - SUNDAYS 7PM TO 8PM
AND **OUR LADY MOTHER OF THE CHURCH** - THURSDAYS 8PM TO 9PM

MASS INTENTIONS: TO ARRANGE AN ANNIVERSARY MASS OR MASS FOR A SPECIAL INTENTION PLEASE PHONE THE PARISH OFFICE (01 8208112) OR EMAIL OFFICE@LAURELLODGEPARISH.IE WITH THE DETAILS.

MASS INTENTIONS CAN ALSO BE BOOKED WITH THE SACRISTAN.

EARLY BOOKING IS RECOMMENDED.

EXPLORING THE TEACHINGS OF IESUS

What is Prayer? Why should we pray? – And how?

If you are interested in these and similar questions please join us, for one or more, of a series of discussions to be held in St Brigid's Pastoral Centre, Blanchardstown (Eircode D15 YY61) for 4 Wednesdays of Advent 7:00pm to 8:10pm (Nov 27, & Dec 4, 11 & 18 2024)

Further information available from Michael O'Connor (087 294 1729)

BAPTISMS

Baptism Ceremonies are held on the first Sunday of the month at 12.30pm and the third Saturday of the month at 3.30pm.

Please contact the Parish Office for more information.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Friday mornings: 9.00am-9.30am
Saturday evenings: 5.00pm-5.45pm:
Rite II (communal celebration) after the 6.30pm Mass on the
1st Saturday of the month.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

The Irish Hospice Foundation provides a free Bereavement Support Line. This National Freephone Service is available from 10am to 1pm, Monday to Friday, by calling 1800 807077.

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AWARE - SUPPORT & SELF CARE GROUPS

f you or those with whom you work wish to connect with people in relation to your mental wellbeing, consider using Aware's phone-in and Zoom support and self-care groups, support line or support mail. For more information visit www.aware.ie.