

MASSES FOR THE WEEK (Ss. Peter & Paul's Church)

(Saturday, 18th June - Sunday, 26th June)

Saturday:	6.30 p.m.	Patrick Ganly
Sunday:	9.00 a.m.	Mass for the People of the Parish
	10.30 a.m.	Kieran Hynes
	12 noon	Larry & Martina Hayes
Monday:	9.30 a.m.	Michael & Frances Broderick
	7.30 p.m.	"NOVENA"
		Frances & James Malone & Browne family & Tom O'Brien
Tuesday:	9.30 a.m.	Michael & Margaret Flynn
Wednesday:	9.30 a.m.	Richard, Mary Kate, Bridie & Una Durkan
Thursday:	9.30 a.m.	Packie Dunning
Friday:	9.30 a.m.	Ted Conroy
	7.30 p.m.	"SHARED MASS"
		Mary Geraghty (nee Curley), Paddy & Annie Pillion, Kay, Bill & David Shine, Martin Lee, Phil Galvin, James Brennan, Bill Courtney, John Berrigan, Pat Fennell, Sinéad Gallagher, Tadgh O' Regan & Charlie, Kathleen & Jimmy Gallagher.
Saturday:	9.30 a.m.	Catherine Lennon Moran
	6.30 p.m.	John & Marie Reardon
Sunday:	9.00 a.m.	Mass for the People of the Parish
	10.30 a.m.	Frank Greene
	12 noon	Frank & Annie Dunleavey

REST IN PEACE

TONY JOYCE, R.I.P., Montree & formerly St. Peter's Tce.

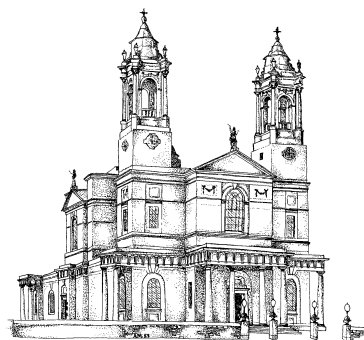
OLIVE O'BRIEN (nee Wallace), **R.I.P.,** late of St Anne's Tce

(who died in London sister of Rose & William Wallace)

MARIE MULVEY, R.I.P., Rathfarnham, Dublin (sister of Michael Mulvey, Battery Rd.)

May God grant them eternal rest and comfort and console their bereaved families relatives and friends.

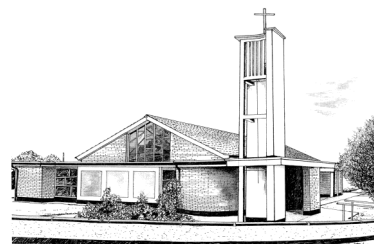
OFFERTORY COLLECTION: Sunday, 12thk June..... € 2,060



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Newsletter

**TWELFTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

19th JUNE 2016



"Who do the crowds say that I am?" They said in reply, "John the Baptist; others, Elijah; still others, 'One of the ancient prophets has arisen.'" Then he said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter said in reply, "The Christ of God." — Lk 9:18b-20

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REFLECTION - Personality Profiles

When asked the question, “*what is she like?* Or “*what is he like?* We attempt to sketch in broad strokes an outline of the person. Most of us however, want to know another answer: *What do the think of me?* What are they saying about me?” Jesus was no different. Today’s gospel remind us that even Jesus wanted to know what others thought about him, what they were saying. However, the real answer comes from his friends, his disciples. They are the ones those who knew him most deeply, from the inside. In today’s Gospel Peter outlines the personality profile of Jesus - in a few broad strokes. Jesus is the Christ!

However, his being the Christ is not a title of honour and to follow him is not to place oneself in a position of privilege. There is a cost involved and Jesus clearly outlines what such a following costs. The decision to follow Him is closely linked with failure, renunciation and death. Peter would know all too soon that the following of Jesus involved these things, and others besides.

As we renew our decision to follow Jesus in the ordinary and the day to day journey, let us always remember that others have gone before us and are there to help us along. They know first hand the costs of discipleship and understand the journey we are making.
(Kathryn Williams pddm)



YEAR OF MERCY HOLY HOUR: Chapel of Adoration, 8 Castle St. 8 p.m. - 9 p.m. Wednesday, 22nd June. Sr. Maura Walsh RSM will introduce us to Catherine McCauley and the Year of Mercy. All welcome.

Monsignor McCarthy Family Resource Centre will again be visited by the Irish Heart Foundation on 7th July from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. where full health checks will be carried out free of charge. Appointments only accepted. Tel. 09064 94336 - Limited spaces.

MONTHLY HOUR for the HOLY SOULS continues in the Adoration Chapel on Sat. 25th June from 4 - 5 p.m. You are invited to this special time of prayer for the Holy Souls.

Ss. Peter & Paul’s branch of ST. JOSEPH’S YOUNG PRIESTS’ SOCIETY....
Booking for bus to Knock on Saturday, 25th June. Tel. 090-6493011.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY.....MASS FOR THE ANGELS

On Aug. 24th 2016 we invite all families/persons who have lost a baby during pregnancy at birth or as a baby or infant to join us for remembrance Mass at 7.30 p.m. in Ss. Peter & Paul’s Church to honour the lives of your child/children.

This Mass will provide an opportunity for people who have experienced the huge loss of baby (no matter how long ago) to come together in a spirit of unity and prayer to remember the life, however short of their child.
For more details contact Fr. John on 64-90874

DRUM MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. 18th	8 p.m.	Kathleen Dunning, Ardkeen
Sun. 19th	10 a.m.	Anthony Whyte, Thomas town
Sun. 19th	3.30 p.m.	Drum Heritage Mass
Mon. 20th		No Mass
Tues. 21st	7 p.m.	Private Intentions
Wed. 22nd	7 p.m.	Hannah & Thomas Lennon, Clonrulla
Thur. 23rd	7 p.m.	Tom, Kathleen & John Shine, Crannaghmore
Fri. 24th	7 p.m.	Pake O’Brien, and parents, Creggan
Sat. 25th	8 p.m.	Patrick Seery, Clonellan
Sun. 26th	10 a.m.	Charles & Anna O’Neill, Mount Florence

Servers: Saturday 25th: Team 8, Sunday 26th: Team 5.

DRUM NEW OFFICE HOURS: From July 4th the parish office in Drum will be open from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. Monday to Thursday. The office will be closed on Fridays.

ELPHIN DIONCESAN ASSISTED PILGRIMS TO LOURDES COLLECTION will take place next weekend 25th/26th June at St. Brigid’s Church, Drum. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

MIDLANDS SIMON COMMUNITY annual **CHURCH GATE COLLECTION** at all parishes in South Roscommon on Saturday 18th & Sunday 19th June. Please support.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE MAIN BELL CIRCLE WINNERS FOR 27th Oct.
€200: Batty Walsh; €50: Ann Carty & €30: Alan & Eileen Lee

ANNUAL CONCELEBRATED OPEN AIR MASS AT DRUM MONASTIC SITE ON SUNDAY 19TH JUNE AT 3.30 P.M. Preceded by a Rosary procession from St. Brigid’s Well. Fr. Michael McManus will be the chief Celebrant at the Mass assisted by concelebrants from within and outside the Parish

Join concert pianist Peter Regan and mezzo-soprano Heather Fogarty in aid of **JOIN OUR BOY’S TRUST.** On June 30th at 8 p.m. in Hodson Bay Hotel. Tickets available from hotel or by calling 085-8197250 to have them delivered to your door. Please support.

SUMMER FAMILY FESTIVE DAY in Dean Crowe Theatre on Sunday, 26th June from 1 p.m. - 5 p.m. Stall holders please contact 090-6492129 to book a place.

CLONOWN MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 19th :	Pat Ward, Clonown & Donegal
Sunday, June 26th:	Willie Greene, Cappamore