



Church of the Holy Child
The Thatch Road, Whitehall,
Dublin 9

PARISH of LARKHILL WHITEHALL & SANTRY

Parish Newsletter 22nd September 2024



Chapel of Blessed Margaret Ball
Oak Park Avenue,
Santry, Dublin 9



PARISH & DIOCESAN NOTICES



THANK YOU

Crosscare would like to thank our Parishioners for their most generous contribution of €2,860 to the annual collection which took place last weekend.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

We will be holding a Christmas Raffle in December this year. If you would like to donate any new unwanted gifts which we could use as prizes, we would be grateful to receive them at the Parish Centre Reception any weekday morning between 9am and 1pm.

PARISH UPKEEP FUND

Envelopes for the Parish Upkeep Fund will continue to be available in the Church and Parish Centre. Your generous donations are very much appreciated and all money donated in this manner stays in the Parish. Donations by notes only please.

COFFEE SHOP

The coffee shop is now open on Tuesday and Thursday mornings **after 9.15am Mass until 11.30am.**



Please come along and enjoy tea, coffee and biscuits.

BOOKS

Why not visit our new book section located in the Parish Centre? Pop by for a browse and if you see something you like why not take it away for a small donation.

COFFEE MORNING

A Coffee Morning in aid of St. Francis Hospice will be held on **Thursday 26th September** at 14 The Thatch Road, Whitehall starting from 9.45am. All are welcome to enjoy coffee / tea / cakes and participate in a raffle. Please support this great cause.

EXPLORING PRIESTHOOD

There will be a Vocations Day "Exploring Priesthood" on **Saturday, October 12, in UCD, Belfield, Dublin 4**, for men who wish to find out more about diocesan priesthood and how they may take steps to discern a vocation.

Further information can be found at vocations.ie.

If you would like to submit something for inclusion in the newsletter, please contact the Parish Office.

ADULT CHOIR (Sunday Mass 10.30 a.m.)

The Adult Choir members are delighted to be back following the Summer break. New members are very welcome, no audition necessary, just a commitment to attend practice every Monday evening, from 7.30p.m. to about 9.00p.m. If you would like to join, come along on Monday at 7.30p.m., entrance through the Parish Centre, Thatch Road.



LEGION OF MARY PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK

There will be a pilgrimage to Knock on **Sunday 29th Sept 2024** leaving from the **Church of the Holy Child** at 7.30am. For more details, contact Mary Noone on 0862567261.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

If you or your family need assistance, our Parish Conference of the Society of St Vincent de Paul is here to help. Contact the East Region helpline: 01-8550022

PARISH LOTTO

Our fundraiser lotto is temporarily suspended. The team is working to relaunch the lotto in the coming months. Thank you all for your loyal support.

PARISH CENTRE CLASSES

Rhythm & Style Dance Classes are on each Thursday evening from 8pm-10pm, €10.00 pay as you go. For additional information please contact Liz 0862517223 or Mary 0879676774

Pilates Classes are on each Wednesday morning at 9.15am and Wednesday evening at 7.30pm, contact Nora on 085 7768817 or on pilateswithnora@gmail.com for more information. Pilates classes are taking a short break and will return Oct 2nd 2024.

Chair Pilates will return on September 12th 2024 from 11.30am-12.15pm Please contact Anne-Marie on 0872361517 for more information

Crochet Classes Crochet Classes will resume on September 18th 2024 from 11.30am-1pm. Courses will run for 5 weeks at a cost of €60.00.

Contact Sonya for more information on 0860711379

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

*"To love someone means to see him as God intended him."
(Fyodor Dostoevsky)*



MASS INTENTIONS

(FROM SATURDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER TO SUNDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER 2024)

Saturday 7pm	Jim Crowley Tom Hughes Muriel Sloan Sr Eileen McGuirk Anna O'Reilly Patrick, Margaret & Lizzie Moran	Month's Mind 2 nd Anniversary 13 th Anniversary Anniversary Anniversary Anniversaries
Sunday 10:30am Sunday 12:30pm Monday 9:15am	Available for Intention Anne O'Donoghue Tommy Doyle Rosa & Santana Tavares	29 th Anniversary Birthday Remembrance Remembrance Anniversary Anniversary
Tuesday 9:15am	Richard Daly Mary & Murty Costello	Anniversary Anniversary
Wednesday 9:15am Thursday 9:15am Friday 9:15am Saturday 7pm	Josephine Bonar and the Bonar Family Available for Intention Albert O'Keefe Gerald (Gerry) O'Brien Peter Ellis Theresa McCarthy Also remembering her parents Patrick & Kathleen	98 th Birthday Celebration 1 st Anniversary 3 rd Anniversary 2 nd Anniversary
Sunday 10:30am Sunday 12:30pm	Available for Intention Paul McCormack William Kerrigan Helen Carroll	2 nd Anniversary 9 th Anniversary 3 rd Anniversary
Sun 22 nd Sept 10am	CHAPEL OF BLESSED MARGARET BALL Michael Davitt Richard & Philomena Heaney Bernard & Dorothy Keyes Patricia McGuirk Stephanie Kavanagh	Month's Mind Anniversary Anniversary Anniversary
Wed 25 th Sept 10am Sun 29 th Sept 10am	Available for Intention Kay Boylan Frank Doman and deceased members of the Doran Family	1 st Anniversary Anniversary

If you would like your Mass intentions to be included in the parish newsletter, please submit them to the Parish Office on or before the Tuesday preceding the requested date of the Mass.

CHURCH OF THE HOLY CHILD

MASSES

Monday to Friday: 9:15am
Saturday: 7:00pm
Bank Holidays: 10:00am
Sunday at 10:30am & 12:30 pm

All Masses are broadcast daily by webcam

CONFESSIONS

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated after the 7pm Saturday Mass or on request.

CHURCH OPENING TIMES

Mon to Fri: 08:45am - 12:00pm
Saturday: 6:30pm until after Mass
Sunday: 10:00am until after 12:30pm Mass

BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism is normally celebrated on Saturdays at 12pm. This can be arranged by appointment with the Parish Office at least one month in advance of the Baptism.

ADORATION

Monday to Friday from 9.45am to 11.45am in the Oratory.



CHAPEL OF BLESSED MARGARET BALL

MASSES

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Sunday: 10:00am

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RCN: 20016166

We remember in prayer our friends and loved ones who have died in the peace of Christ:

✠ Hugh Long Robert Breen ✠
Michael J. Bradley (in Philadelphia)
Anthony (Tony) Cummins

May they rest in peace and rise in glory

*"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God."
(Philippians 4:6)*



CONTACT INFORMATION

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Parish Website: <http://www.whitehall.dublindiocese.ie>

Saint Bernadette
Relic Pilgrimage Ireland 2024

Encounter Saint Bernadette of Lourdes in Dublin this Autumn

25-26 September Our Lady of Victories, Ballymun Road (Dublin Diocese)	23-24 October Mary Immaculate, Inchicore (Oblates)	25-26 October Adam and Eve's, Merchants Quay (Franciscans)
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"If one dream should fall and break into a thousand pieces... never be afraid to pick one of those pieces up and begin again. ...Enjoy God's amazing opportunities bestowed on us. Have faith in Him always." - Bernadette

Find out more at www.stbernadette.ie



TO HOPE AND ACT WITH CREATION
SEASON OF CREATION 2024

*The firstfruits of hope
(Rom 8:19-25)*

At all the Masses in Whitehall next weekend, 28/29th September we will celebrate Harvest Time. You are invited to participate by bringing along to Mass some fruit and vegetables from your own garden. Our Care for Creation group will be at the end of the church to receive your produce which will be brought to the altar in the Offertory Procession.

All produce received will be distributed after the 12.30 Mass on Sunday.

