Church of the Holy Spirit Ballyroan

27th of October 2024

Thirtieth Sunday In Ordinary time

Sunday Week 30B. 27th October 2024
Our Gospel reading is from Mark 10:46-52

We read about the blind beggar Bartimaeus (the son of Timaeus), who has his life changed by Jesus.

Perhaps the key words from Jesus are ... **Go** your faith has made you well.

The story ends after the young man, Bartimaeus has his sight restored, and he becomes a follower of Jesus. Theologians tell us that the fact we know his name suggests that Bartimaeus may have been one of the eyewitnesses that contributed to Mark's Gospel. While Jesus did amazing things in his short ministry, what is important is the gift of faith, the insight to know that Jesus is the Messiah. The recovery of sight in biblical stories is often a metaphor for coming to faith and a deeper understanding of who Jesus is.

How is your relationship with Jesus and what does it mean for how you live your life?

Reflection by Deacon Frank.

(ref: www.tarsus.ie)



Fr Michael and the Nandri team would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who turned out in support of the "Sing For Nandri Concert".

It was such a meaningful and successful night. The Figure raised to date is €9,300 with a few more donations coming in. This money will reach so many families, your support really will change lives for the better, Thank you.

Fr. Michael would like to thank all the wonderful Artists and performers who enhanced the evening so beautifully.

A special thank you to Bernie Drennan and Maureen Murray and team for all their hard work. You went above and beyond as always....Thank you.

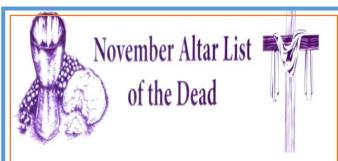


Active retirement singers meet this Sunday in the Ruah Centre 27th of October @ 7.30

All are welcome to what is sure to be a fun night of

music, laughter, tea and coffee!!!





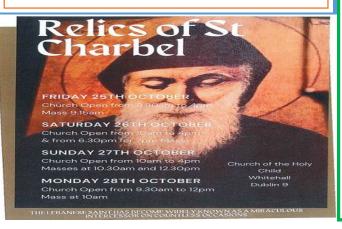
Envelops are available at the back of the Church.

In November We Remember

Fr Michael and the Funeral Ministry team will be having a special mass for all those who passed away from our parish in the last year. We ask as that as many of you as possible come out to support these families in their time of Grief. The mass will be held on Monday 11th of November.



Thank you for your kind contributions . We Raised €1,545



Mass Intentions 26th — 1st November

Saturday 7pm: Jim O' Neill (A) Liz Payne (A) Maurice Roche

(A) Peggy Quinlan (A) Karen Gallagher (A) Seamus Murphy (A)

Sun 10am: Teresa Hickey (A) Bernie Gilmer (S.I.) Teresa

McGreal (A)

Sun 12pm: John Horan (A) Gobnait Waters (Get Well) Daragh

Kral (R.I.P.) Sean Shiel (R.I.P.) George Mulhern (A)

Monday: Bank Holiday

Tuesday: Prayers with Ger Healy

Wednesday: Prayers with Ger Healy

Thursday: Prayers with Ger Healy

Friday: Alter List of The day

Saints of the Day 26th - 1st Of November

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

Sunday: St. Otteran

Monday: Ss Simon and Jude

Tuesday; St Colman

Wednesday: St. Of The Day Thursday: BL. Dominic Collins

Friday: All Saints

Parish Information

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Mass Times

Monday - Friday: 10am Saturday: 7pm

Sunday: 10am & 12am