

LITURGY

First reading: Ezekiel 17:22-24

Response to the Psalm: It is good to give you thanks, O Lord.

Second reading: 2 Corinthians 5:6-10

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia! I call you friends, says the Lord, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father. Alleluia!

Gospel: Mark 4:26-34

Church Rotas

Masses	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers
5.00pm Sat 16 th June	Geraldine & Martin Flynn	Mary Flynn & Anna Charles
10.30am Sun 17 th June	Gemma Holdsworth	Denise & Andrew McDonnell
5.00 pm Sat 23 rd June	Mary Flynn & Helen Woodhouse	Anna Charles
10.30am Sun 24 th June	Christine Holdsworth	Tracy Volante

Coffee Rota

17 th June	Barbara Wall & Ziggy Sollis
24 th June	Jay Hodgson & Anna Rickard

Children's Liturgy Rota

17 th June	Gemma and Catherine
24 th June	Denise and Annette

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Parish Priest: Fr. Benedict Thompson O.S.B



**11th Sunday Year (B)
Week commencing Sunday 17th June 2018**

Registered Charity Number 1063237

Masses

Sat 16 th June	5.00pm	Week 11 Year B	Basil and Laura Bott RIP
Sun 17 th June	10.30am	Week 11 Year B	Violet Nolan RIP
Mon 18 th June			
Tue 19 th June	7.00pm	Confirmation Mass	
Wed 20 th June			
Thurs 21 st June			
Fri 22 nd June			
Sat 23 rd June	5.00pm	Birthday of St. John the Baptist	Paul Bunn RIP
Sun 24 th June	10.30am	Birthday of St. John the Baptist	Private Intention

Collection weekend 9th/10th June was £331-24. Many Thanks

Roof Repairs 2nd collection was £842-18. Many thanks

Prayers for the Sick: Doleen Evans, Faith Lyons, Steve Smith, Jane-Christina Thomson, Joan Smith, Derek Sollis, Michael Hall, Christopher Hurd, Edward O'Neill, Michael Smith, Barbara Wall, Pamela Young, Mick Sollis, Margaret Birkett, Nell Bridge, Annie McHugh, Georgette Cowell, Richard & Dolores Flynn, Carol Shuck, Tony Lyons, Jackie Ingrams.

Those who have recently died:

Jennifer Harvey, Anne Nora Finnegan, Mary Hadley, Barbara Flowers, Gerald Clarke, Alma Clarke, Eric George Dunton, Jill Smith, Paula Brookes, Jean McCarthy, Joe Brennan, Paul Bunn.

Please pray for the children from St. Mary's who are to be confirmed on Tuesday.

PARISH EVENTS

TEA/COFFEE IS SERVED IN THE CONSERVATORY AFTER THE 10.30 AM MASS. *Please join us.*

Church Cleaning

Because of other commitments a few of our church cleaners are no longer able to help so we are in need of a few more. It is hoped to run the rota over a 7 or 8 week period for about one hour each time.

Please can you help.

A big thank you to all those who already give of their time

CAN YOU HELP?

We are planning to commemorate the centenary of the end of the 1914-1918 war by participating in the **There But Not There Project**

(www.therebutnotthere.org.uk). We will have 2 silhouettes & 4

commemorative blocks as well as a small display. In our Parish graveyard there are 4 graves of men who served their country; 2 serving in the FWW & 2 in WW2. We are asking parishioners for any information, photos, etc you may have about them. Their names are: John Leslie Tucker, Andrew Francis Lamb, Francis James Davies, James A. Stiles. Please see Fr Benedict or Lin Rea if you can help. Thank you!

Emergency Repairs

The rear elevation of the sacristy roof has a number of leaks and we are hoping to do the repairs over the next few months during the good weather. We need to renew the felting, hopefully add insulation, new lathes and the lead work in the valleys between the church and sacristy and the church and the house will need renewing. We also need to renew the lead work round the chimney. The estimated cost is £4000. We will be having 2nd collections over the next few weeks to try and raise as much as we can towards this amount. Thank you for your support. **So far we have raised £842-18.**

The Friends of St. Mary's.

There will be a meeting of 'The Friends' on Thursday 21st June at 2pm in the Conservatory. All Welcome.