



**St. Brendan's Marist Parish,**  
Coolock Village, Dublin 5  
(Under the care of the Marist Fathers)  
Sunday 31st March (Mother's Day)  
Fourth Sunday of Lent



**Parish Mission Statement**

*"St Brendan's is a caring Catholic Parish inspired by the Gospel, celebrating and working together to build a community of justice, love and peace."*

**PRIESTS OF THE PARISH**

Fr. Edwin McCallion S.M., P.P.  
Fr. John Harrington S.M. Fr. Paddy Stanley S.M.  
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Office hours: Tuesday – Friday 9.00 am – 11.30 am

Sunday Mass Times : Saturday: 6.30 pm (vigil)

Sunday: 9.30 am, 11 am, 12.30 pm & 6.30 pm



**TODAY IS MOTHER'S DAY**

**Summertime**

Began last night did you remember  
to put your clocks and watches  
forward by one hour.  
Summertime ends on  
Sunday 27th October 2019

**Advocate Collection**

There is an outdoor collection after all  
Masses next weekend 6th / 7th April  
for the Sunshine Fund of the

**St. Vincent de Paul Society.**

The Sunshine Fund, a special works  
conference of the St. Vincent de Paul  
provides Summer Holidays for children all  
over Dublin who need a holiday. This  
collection is their only source of funds.

**Mercy Centre, St. Brendan's Drive**

Tel: 848 7259 FAX:867318

**LENT REFLECTION Continue**

Scripture, meditation, music and quiet  
prayer in preparation for Easter

**Wed. 3rd - 17th April**

**10.30 - 12.30pm**

*Kathleen Somers and Denise  
McDermott.*

**"Would you spend some time with  
me"**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
takes place from after 12.30 pm Mass  
each Sunday, concluding with

**Rosary & Benediction  
at 5 pm**

**Weekday Exposition**

Monday to Thursday from  
3pm to 5.30pm.

**Sunday 31st March  
Fourth Sunday of Lent**

<b>6.30pm</b>	Special Intention vigil Jack Mulligan (Baby) Gerard, Josephine & William Meade Joseph & Bridget Byrne	A A A
<b>9.30am</b>	Breda Kiernan	RD
<b>11am</b>	Patricia White Kay Mahony Terry Byrne	A A MM
<b>12.30pm</b>	Erica O'Mara Daniel (Donny) O'Neill	MM A(1st)
<b>6.30pm</b>	Norman Whelan	RD

**Monday, 1st April**

<b>8am</b>	Alan Seery	RD
<b>10am</b>	George Pigott	RD
<b>1.10pm</b>	Michael Keegan Eamonn Farrell	RIP A

**Tuesday, 2nd:**

<b>8am</b>	Special Intention	
<b>10am</b>	Ursula Stobie	RD
<b>1.10pm</b>	Special Intention Sadie & Patrick Farrell	A

**Wednesday, 3rd:**

<b>8am</b>	Special Intention	
<b>10am</b>	Patrick O'Connor	A
<b>1.10pm</b>	Kathleen Coffey Michael & Margaret Byrne	A A

**Thursday, 4th :**

<b>8am</b>	Special Intention	
<b>10am</b>	Special Intention	
<b>11am</b>	Confirmation	
<b>1.10pm</b>	Pauline & John Comiskey	RIP

**Friday, 5th**

<b>8am</b>	Special Intention Joe Gibbons	RD
<b>10am</b>	Special Intention	
<b>1.10pm</b>	Anthony Kelly	RD

**Saturday, 6th :**

<b>10am</b>	Brian Taylor	RD
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**Sunday 7th April  
Fifth Sunday of Lent**

<b>6.30pm</b>	Michael Stone	A
<b>vigil</b>	May Lynch	A
<b>9.30am</b>	Chrissie & Andy Tier	A
<b>11am</b>	Holy Souls	
<b>12.30pm</b>	Paddy Blackwell Denis Mason Letty & Andy Fitzpatrick	MM A A
<b>6.30pm</b>	Paddy Dunne Joan Ryan	A A

**Lough Derg**

St. Oliver Plunkett  
Pilgrimage 2019.

**Departs Fri. 31st May at 8am  
Returns Sun. 2nd June at 2.30pm**

**Departs Fri. 5th July at 8am  
Returns Sun. 7th July at 2.30pm**

**Departs Fri. 9th August at 8am  
Returns Sun. 11th Aug at 2.30pm**

**Advance Booking Essential:**  
€115 (OAPs, Students with ID €105)  
Includes coach, boat, and stay.  
Direct Coach leave Parnell Square 8am  
Sharp (outside Hugh Lane Art Gallery)

Contacts:

St. Oliver Plunkett Office 086 385 3027  
Ms Miriam Delaney (01) 494 1171

**The Family Envelope Collection**  
**for last two weeks amounted to €1,510.00**

Thank you for your continued support towards the family offering. Thanks also to all who collected and counted the money.

**Coffee Morning today Sunday March 31st, Parish Centre**

My name is Sarah Challoner and I am a Eucharistic Minister in St. Brendan's Parish. I am a student in Manor House School and have organised a Coffee Morning in aid of Manor House students assisting pilgrims in Lourdes on the Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage. There are 5 students selected to assist with helping pilgrims in Lourdes, of which I am one. **A Coffee Morning will be held in St. Brendan's Parish Hall after all Masses next Sunday, 31st March 2019.**

All support would be greatly appreciated.  
**Thank You, Sarah**

**CONFIRMATION**

The Sacrament of Confirmation for the girls of Scoil Chaitriona will take place in St. Brendan's next

**Thursday 4th of April 2019 at 11 am**

The Minister of Confirmation will be **Monsignor Liam Ó Cuiv**

**Today is Mother's Day Prayer for Mothers**

Loving God, as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children, so you watch over your Church. Bless these women, that they may be strengthened as Christian mothers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honour them always with a spirit of profound respect. Grant this through Christ our Lord.

**Church Gate Collection last weekend for ZAMDA Irish Zambian Aid Project.**

The collection for the above last week-end amounted to a staggering **€4,185.00**

Debbie White thanks all those most sincerely, who generously contributed to the collection, from within and outside the parish.  
**God Bless you all.**

**Parish Pastoral Council Meeting**

will be held in the Parish House on Wednesday, 10th April at 7.30 pm

**Artane Coolock Family Resource Centre**  
**55 Gracefield Road, Artane**

**Community Art**  
Drop in class every Wednesday in the centre @3.15 €4 per class .

**New term in Art classes start week beginning April 1<sup>st</sup>. All Materials provided!!!**

Men's Art Tuesday April 2<sup>nd</sup> @12.15  
9 week term €40

Women's Art Friday April 5<sup>th</sup> @9.15am  
9 week term €40

**Sewing for beginners**  
30<sup>th</sup> April @ 10am  
4 week term €40 .

**B.E. - BEGINNING EXPERIENCE**

B.E. is a support group for those coping with the pain of loss of their life partner, through Death, Separation or Divorce. Few people are able to cope alone with the pain of loss. Do you find that you need more support than family and friends can provide? Seeking help is a sign of strength and self-knowledge – not weakness. This is a healing ministry, which helps to resolve the grief that goes with the end of a marriage or relationship. Coping effectively with bereavement is a skill we can all learn.

**Next residential weekend will be held 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> May 2019, in Dominican Retreat Centre, Tallaght Dublin 24.**

For further information please contact 086 0877379 or email [bedublin@gmail.com](mailto:bedublin@gmail.com). [www.beginningexperience.ie](http://www.beginningexperience.ie)

**Teaching and Healing through the Scriptures**

Join St. John the Evangelist Church, Greendale Road, Kilbarrack, Dublin 5 for an evening with Br. Johnson on Wednesday 24 April, commencing with Mass at 7pm. Br. Johnson returns to Ireland with his mission to help Catholics gain a deeper understanding of God's Holy Scripture. He guides those looking to strengthen or reignite their faith. His teaching helps the faithful reconnect with Christ by demonstrating the power of God's Word and how it can be unlocked and used in our daily lives. His preaching is accompanied by healing.

Contact Yvonne on 087 230 4010.  
**All welcome.**

**PILGRIMAGE**

**Knock 1879-2019: Celebrating 140 years of our National Marian Shrine.** Our Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock, to be led by His Grace Archbishop Diarmuid Martin, will take place on Saturday April 27, 2019. See poster in main porch.

For queries email: [knockpilgrimage@dublindiocese.ie](mailto:knockpilgrimage@dublindiocese.ie)

**Advance notice Pilgrimage to KNOCK Organised by Kay Hogan Wednesday, 10th July Full particulars later**

**The Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist Rota for April is now available on the shelf just outside the Sacristy door.**

**St. Brendan's Lourdes Pilgrimage 2019**

The Annual Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes this year will take place from Wednesday 11th to 18th September (7 nights)

Price is €810 per person sharing. Deposit of €200 at time of booking. Single room supplement is €250. Final Payment due on 12th. July 2019 Price includes Full Board, Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner, all airport taxes, insurance, plus Hotel City Tax.

Staying at the 4\* **Hotel Eliseo** just around the corner from Hotel Roissy. For booking please call to the Parish Office Tuesday to Friday 9.30am –11.30am or Ph. 01-848 0102.

We are willing to facilitate those pilgrims who would like to pay by instalments if they wish.