



St. Brendan's Marist Parish

Coolock Village, Dublin 5
(Under the care of the Marist Fathers)
"Newsletter"

Registered Charity Number 20016166

Sunday, 26th December, 2021

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph



An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,
I believe that You are present in
the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into
my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally, come
at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were
already there and unite myself
wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated
from You.

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.

Curates: Fr. John Harrington S.M. and Fr. Paddy Stanley S.M.,
Parish Chaplain: Fr. Frank Corry S.M.

Sacristan:	Ciaran Doyle
Parish Secretary:	Malachy Keena
Child Protection Delegate:	Lesla Marsh & Cathal O'Sullivan
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Live Streaming :	www.churchservices.tv/coolock
Office hours:	9am to 11.30am Tuesday to Friday
Sunday Mass Times :	Saturday: 6.30 pm (vigil)
Sunday:	9.30am, 11 am, 12.30pm and 6.30pm
Weekday Masses:	8am and 10am Monday to Friday Saturday 10am

The Priests of the Parish thank
our Parishioners and all who
worship here for their generous
support throughout the year.

A Very Happy Christmas
and Every Blessing for
A Peaceful and Healthy
New Year

Saturday, 25th December
Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ
9.30am, 11am and 12.30pm
No Evening Mass

Sunday, 26th December 2021
Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph

9.30am	
Holy Souls	
Caroline Hubert Foley	RD
Aidan Branigan	RD
Special Intention	
11am	
John (Sean) Gallagher	A(1st)
John Brian Dunne	A
Special Intention	
12.30pm	
Fr. John Hand S.M.	BR
Florence Murphy	A(1st)
John Digan Christmas Remembrance	
Norman Whelan	RIP
The Living and Deceased Members of the Whelan and McGinn Families	

No Evening Mass

Monday, 27th December
St. John, Apostle and Evangelist
No 8am Mass

10am	
Deirdre Folan	RD
Sheila & Larry Soraghan	A
Special Intention	

Tuesday, 28th December
The Holy Innocents, Martyrs
No 8am Mass

10am	
Damien McGonagle	A
Lil & Patrick Lynch	RIP
Special Intention	

Holy Souls
Deceased Members of the O'Connor
Family

Wednesday, 29th December
No 8am Mass

10am	
Catherine Kealy	A
John McKeever	A
Vincent O'Gorman	BR
Deceased Members of the Doyle Family	
12noon: Baptisms	
Daniel Joseph Reynolds	
Myles Alan Comerford	

Thursday 30th December
No 8am Mass

10am	
Altar List of the Dead	
Mr. Vergano	RD
John Ward	A
Special Intention	

Friday, 31st December
No 8am Mass

10am	
Raymond McKenna	RD
Malachy Brogan	A
Margaret & William Donohoe	A

Saturday, 1st January, 2022
Mary, The Holy Mother of God

10am	
Michael Colgan	A
Phyllis Kane	RIP

Sunday, 2nd January, 2022
Second Sunday of Christmas

6.30pm vigil	
Kevin Sloan	RD
Special Intention	
9.30am	
Nuala & Pat Toal	A
11am	
John Gallagher	A(1st)
Maureen Gilleece	A(1st)
Bill Murphy	A
Special Intention	
12.30pm	
Kevin Sloan	MM
Michael Murphy	A
Bernard Mullen	A

No Evening Mass

Thursday,
6th January
is the Feast of the
Epiphany
and is a Holy Day.
Masses as follows
Wednesday 6.30pm
vigil
Thursday 8.00am,
10.00 am,
1.10 pm and
6.30 pm evening
Mass



**On line appeal for families in food poverty
December 2021**

We in Crosscare need your support to help families experiencing food poverty this Christmas. We are working with hundreds of families and children in Dublin who struggle to get basic food supplies.

Families need our help this Christmas, but not just for Christmas in the months after Christmas, which many people find challenging.

Crosscare helps people with food parcels and meals in our cafes and food banks in the short term, and we work with them to move out of food poverty in the long term.

We keep in touch with families, helping them to help themselves. We help them with budgeting, healthy eating, and long-term housing and welfare support they may need, giving them the dignity and independence to provide for themselves.

Due to Covid restrictions, the online appeal for donations replaces the food collection in parishes in previous years. Your ongoing support for Crosscare makes a huge difference to those most in need.

We are asking for donations to continue this vital work at Christmas and into 2022.

Please help us to help them.

Support our appeal to end food poverty by giving what you can

online at www.crosscare.ie/donate or call 01 8360011

Thank you for your ongoing support from all in Crosscare, working for those most in need with love, respect and excellence.

**The Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist Rota
for January 2022 is now available on the shelf
just outside the Sacristy door.**

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

21-28 June, 2022, staying in the

Agena Hotel, 7 minutes from the Grotto.

If you're interested please contact

Betty Donohoe on 01-848 0525 / 086 367 9433

THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

**Would like to thank all those who supported
the annual collection which was taken up
Last Sunday.**

**The amount collected was a very generous
€10,555.00**

Your support is greatly appreciated.

Synod Prayer

**We stand before You, Holy Spirit,
as we gather together in Your name.**

**With You alone to guide us,
make Yourself at home in our hearts;
Teach us the way we must go
and how we are to pursue it.**

**We are weak and sinful;
do not let us promote disorder.
Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path
nor partiality influence our actions.**

**Let us find in You our unity
so that we may journey together to eternal life
and not stray from the way of truth
and what is right.**

**All this we ask of You,
who are at work in every place and time,
in the communion of the Father and the Son,
forever and ever.
Amen.**

CHRISTMAS 2021

In this Season of Christmas we the priests of St Brendan's wish to extend a warm and heartfelt **Thank You** to all our parishioners. We mention today those who enrich our parish – musicians, Cantors, Choir, Ministers of the Word and Eucharist, Sacristans, Florist, Cleaners, Sanitisers, Office Staff, IT personnel, Parish Pastoral Council, Parish Finance Team, Baptismal Team, Funeral Team, the various Religious Communities resident in our parish, those who count and collect money and to all those who contribute, all the various Church organisations, to all who add to the life of our Parish in the social, residential, sporting and caring area

***A heartfelt Thank You
and a Happy and Peaceful
Christmas to you all***

Charis Music Group

Please note that after 25 years of loyal service we will still retain the services of Charis.

In cooperation with other valued singers and musicians, Charis will now sing on the 1st Saturday of each month 6.30pm vigil Mass and on the 2nd Sunday of each month at the 11am Mass.

We are delighted to be able to retain the services of Charis in St. Brendan's.