



St. Brendan's Marist Parish,
Coolock Village, Dublin 5
(Under the care of the Marist Fathers)
"Newsletter"
Sunday, 27th December, 2020.
Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph



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. John Hannan S.M.

Sacristan:	Ciaran Doyle
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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

Further to the Government announcement regarding the move to Level 5, the following Religious Service restrictions apply:

Religious Services:

- Christmas religious services may take place up to and including the 25th December 2020
- With effect from the 26th December 2020 Religious services will move online
- Places of worship may remain open for private prayer

Funerals

- With effect from the 24th December 2020 up to 10 mourners can attend

Weddings

- Up to and including 2nd January 2021, up to 25 guests can attend a wedding ceremony and reception, whether indoors or outdoors
- With effect from 3 January 2021, up to 6 guests are permitted to attend a wedding ceremony and reception, whether indoors or outdoors

St. Brendan's will be open each weekday from 10.30am to 5.30pm for Private Prayer

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6.30pm Vigil	Anne Burgess Alexander, Elizabeth & Fr. Brian Stenson	A RIP
9.30am	Altar List of the Dead	
11am	Zach McDonnell (Baby) RD John McKeever A(1st) Liam & Margaret Lawlor 60th Wedding Anniversary	
12.30pm	Bernard Roe A(1st) Anthony McLoughlin A(1st) Johnny Digan	RIP
6.30pm	Aileen Cahalane Tommy Murphy	RD RD

Mon., 28th: The Holy Innocents, martyrs

8am	No Mass	
10am	Kathleen McPoland Damien McGonagle	RD A(1st)

Tuesday, 29th:

8am	No Mass	
10am	Tommy Murphy Catherine Kealy	RD A

Wednesday, 30th:

8am	No Mass	
10am	Cormac O'Reilly Ann Downes Birdie Gaughran	RD A(1st) A

Thursday, 31st:

8am	No Mass	
10am	John Stafford Cormac O'Reilly	RD RD

Friday, 1st Jan: Mary, The Holy Mother of God

8am	No Mass	
10am	Norman Whelan	RIP

Saturday, 2nd Jan: Ss. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen

10am	Special Intention	
6.30pm Vigil	For the Living & Deceased Members of the Craig Family Martin & Sean Byrne & the Byrne Family	
9.30am	Edward McCallion Nuala Toal	A A(1st)
11am	Maurice Bedford Paddy Hennessy Carmel Hughes	RIP A A
12.30pm	Tommy Murphy Rita McMahan Bill Murphy Jack O'Byrne Patrick & Shay Thornton	MM A(1st) A(1st) A(1st) A
6.30pm	Holy Souls Joe Kelly	RD

Please note that weekday Exposition is suspended for the Christmas period from the 28th December and resumes on 4th January 2021 3pm to 5.30pm
Sunday Exposition continues as usual



"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

Prayer to the Holy Family

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, in you we contemplate the splendour of true love; to you we turn with trust. Holy Family of Nazareth, grant that our families too may be places of communion and prayer, authentic schools of the Gospel and small domestic churches. Holy Family of Nazareth, may families never again experience violence, rejection and division; may all who have been hurt or scandalised find ready comfort and healing. Holy Family of Nazareth, make us once more mindful of the sacredness and inviolability of the family, and its beauty in God's plan. Jesus, Mary and Joseph, graciously hear our prayer. Amen.

(Pope Francis, Amoris Laetitia)

CHRISTMAS 2020

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 and friends. We mention today those who enrich our Parish - Musicians, Cantors, Choirs, Family Mass group, Ministers of the Word and Eucharist, Church Stewards, cleaning and sanitising group, Covid Committee, Sacristans, Florist, Office Staff, Safeguarding Committee, Pastoral Council, Finance Committee, Funeral Team, Baptism Team, those who count and collect money and to all those who contribute, various Religious Communities resident in the parish, management and staff of our schools, and all who add to the life of the parish in the social, residential, sporting and caring area.

A heartfelt Thank You and a healthy and peaceful New Year to you all.

Help your Elderly Neighbours This Christmas.

If you're checking up on an elderly neighbour and their house feels cold, make sure that they have a blanket or rug they can use to keep warm if they are frightened of using too much fuel. You may also ask if they have enough milk, bread and supplies to last them. Check if they are taking their medication.

Christmas Dues

The Christmas Dues Envelopes and Christmas Card with Schedule for Christmas have been distributed to all houses.

Returned envelopes may be handed in to the Sacristy the Parish House, Parish Office or placed in the box provided at the foot of the altar.

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People

ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary.

The support line is open seven days a week, **8.00am – 8.00pm, by calling 0818 222 024.**

Dues, Plan Giving Envelopes and any donations, you have, may also be placed in the Black Metal Box, which is hanging on the wall to the right, just inside Main Entrance Door.