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Enfield Parish Bulletin

Masses this weekend: 5th/6th November, 2016

Sat. 7pm. Michael and Paul Donnelly. Ned and Brendan Shanley. Patrick and Rose Prendergast. Mary and Michael Nolan and sons. Breda and Ned Corbett. Michael and Kathleen Prendergast. Tom Flynn, Connellstown and relatives.

Sun. 9am. Lists of the Dead

11am. Michael and Sheila Fagan and Patrick Sherlock. Billy, Joan & Liam Foran

Tuesday - Friday: Mass at 9.30am **Saturday:** Mass at 10am.

Next weekend: Sat. 7pm. Kevin and Sarah Carey. Dan and Elizabeth O'Driscoll. Toddy Kelly and P.J. Souhan. **Sun. 9am.** Paddy Keogh, m.m.

Sun. 11am. John Marley, m.m. John Joe Naughton and Oisín Duggan.

Plate Collection: €1,005 **Building fund:** €130. *Many thanks.*

Building Fund envelope due next weekend.

Eucharistic Adoration: *Tuesday:* 10am-9pm. *Thursday:* 10am-1pm & 7pm-10pm.

Irish Catholic Newspaper on sale at back of church. Price €1.80

Baptisms after 11am Mass on 1st and 4th Sundays and 3rd Saturday at 2pm.

We welcome Evan Anthony Bohan and Emer Margaret Holton baptised this weekend.

Please pray for Teresa McElvanna, Co. Armagh, mother of Francis McElvanna, Connellstown, Una Ward, Longwood, Patricia Jordan, who died in England, mother of Michael Jordan, Rathdale and Robin McCormick, Rathroane. R.I.P.

November Offerings for the support of the Priests due this weekend. Please give subscription to collector at church door or place envelope in box provided.

Lists of Dead: Those whose names are on the Lists of the Dead will be remembered in all First Friday Masses during the year. Please return lists as soon as possible to church or parochial house

November Prayer Service: A Service in memory of all the departed will be celebrated in Jordanstown church this **Wednesday 9th November at 8pm.** At this prayer service we will be remembering in a special way those who have died in the past year, those laid to rest in our parish cemeteries, the lists of the dead and all deceased relatives and friends of parishioners. At the service all present will be invited to bring a lighted candle (candles available in church) and place it before the Blessed Sacrament in memory of their dead.

Some suggestions for November - Month of the Holy Souls: Visit grave of loved ones, go to daily Mass, take temporary pledge, do something for charity, go to confession, give some time to Adoration and Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.

ACCORD Navan 046 9023146 have issued details of pre-marriage courses for 2017, which are available on the Accord website. Couples preparing for marriage are asked to attend an ACCORD course and give 3 months notice to the State Registrar.

Enfield Revue 2017: Enrolment for all cast members for Enfield Revue 2017 variety show will take place on Sunday 6th Nov. in The Hamlet Court Hotel from 12 noon to 1pm. Cast members must be 14 years on or before 1st January. 2017.

Na Fianna GFC: Lotto Nos. 5,8,12,19. Next draw Tuesday 8th in Boggans.

Enfield/Rathmolyon Parish in 1916 and surrounding years "*The Way We Were*" - **Prayer Service and Exhibition in Enfield Primary School this Sunday 6th November at 3pm.** We have assembled a large amount of photos and family histories from that period together with street photos and memorabilia, which will be of great interest to many. Come along and enjoy.

Pioneer Dinner Dance: Castle Arch Hotel, Trim on Fri. 18th Nov. at 8.30pm Music by Tony Bird and Brian Duffy. Tickets €25. Adm. by ticket only. Contact Lena 9541580.

Baconstown School Parents Association: Table Quiz Friday 18th November at 8.30pm in Boggans. Table of 4 €40.

Sacrament of Confirmation: Meeting for Parents of children receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation from our 3 schools will be held in Enfield school on Tuesday 15th November at 8pm. The meeting will be addressed by Elaine Mahon

Enfield Macra monthly meeting is on 9th November at 8.30pm in the Parish Meeting room. New members always welcome. Contact Laura on 086-3942756 for more info.

Meath Macra na Feirme: Dinner dance 19th November in the Newgrange Hotel, Navan at 8pm. Tickets €40. For tickets and information contact Aoife on 086-8436677

Diabetes Prevention Programme: A free education programme will be held in Navan Education Centre, Athlumney, Navan on Tuesday 8th Nov. and Tuesday 15th Nov. from 9.30am to 1pm. If interested contact Mary McNally 046 9420804.

Prayer on lighting a candle during November: As you hold this candle card in your hand, recall the memory of your loved one. Pray God's peace and rest on their soul. Pray also for yourself that God in His infinite love for you will give you peace of mind and heart at this time of brokenness and loss in your life. May the Souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. O Sacred Heart grant them a place of peace and joy in your Kingdom.

Today's Gospel - Resurrection: A New Breakthrough: God breaks into life in a new way at our death. It happens in small ways every time we are transformed a bit - when we forgive, make peace, really help another, when we promise ourselves to someone or something,....this is an effect of the resurrection. But the final one is a gift unlike any earthly gift. We need to share this hope with each other. The peace you may have felt at the death of someone, the dream where the loved one was happy, the thanks you feel for another for ever...all of this brings hope even when their death is sudden or at a young age. As we place our candle at the altar for our loved ones in November, we are letting them go into what death really is - our finding our way to the arms of God. Words of Pope Francis: "Hope is not looking at a half-full glass, which is simply optimism, which is a human attitude that depends on many things. Hope is a gift of Jesus, of His very self, His very name is hope. It is Christ in you, the hope for glory". This is the eternal hope which is the root of our joy even in the losses of our lives

Next weekend: Eucharistic Ministers:

Vigil: M. Farley, E. McNally. 9am. I. Scully.

11am. B. Walsh, N. Curran.

Readers: Vigil Mass: H. Walsh, A. McLoughlin.

9am. S. McNally. 11am. A. Deering, M. Heneghan.

Servers: Vigil: Group 4: A. Kelly, G. Doherty, A. Moy.

9am: Group 5: K. Hanley, C. Ryan, C. Duffy.

11am: Group 6: H. O'Hara, K. Counihan.

