

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A, 16th July 2023

'Listen!

Mass Times Mon, Tues, Weds, Fri & Sat @ 10am Liturgy of Word Thurs@10am Saturday vigil 6pm Sunday 10am & 11.30am

Confessions/ Reconciliation After 10am Mass on Saturday morning (10.30)

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The word of God is proclaimed throughout the whole of creation. All of the readings in the liturgy this Sunday are filled with images drawn from nature.

it falls. (First Reading)

The **Psalm** is a prayerful song of thanks after a time of drought. It reminds us of the bountiful love that pours out from the Lord, filling us with joy and good things. Paul (Second Reading) writes of a deep longing within us – and within the whole of creation - for the fulfilment of God's promise. The word of God will give us the freedom we long for.

Jesus shares the parable of the sower casting seeds upon the land to teach us to cherish the word of God. The parable reminds us of the many things that can distract and prevent us from fulfilling all that we are called to be. When we learn to truly listen, the word of God is an abundant source of growth. It provides rich fruit for the benefit of all.

In this coming week, we might want to look around us and notice the different ways in which creation speaks to us of the love of God. Let us pray for the courage and grace to sow, nurture, grow and harvest the Word of God wherever we may be.

World Day for Grandparents & Elderly

"His mercy is from age to age" (Luke 1:50) is the theme chosen by the Holy Father for the third World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly and for the Message, that bears the date of the Feast of the Visitation.

This year's celebration dedicated to grandparents and the elderly will take place on Sunday, July 23, just days before the start of World Youth Day in Lisbon.

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KILMACUD WEEKEND MASS TIMES

SATURDA 6.00pm

> SUNDAY 11.30am

The Congregation of Clarissan Missionary Sisters in Ireland will celebrate 50 years in Ireland

On Sunday 20th August there will be a Mass of Thanksgiving here in Kilmacud @ 11.30am celebrated by Archbishop Dermot Farrell. Light refreshments after in the Parish Centre. All welcome

15th & 16th July Maura & Michael O'Riordan (A) 6pm Blathnaid Ui Dhubhthaighe (5th A) & **Fiachra O Dubhthaigh**

Nancy Mc Cabe (15th A) Kay Mc Cann (A) Michael Cleary (A) 11.30am Gerard Brennan (A) Bridín Dobbyn (A) Tadhg De Brún (A) Frank Kennedy (A)

22nd & 23rd July

| 6pm | Gabrielle Jones (A) |
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| | Joe Mc Loughlin & dec'd members |
| | of Mc Loughlin family |
| | Daniel & Tess O'Dwyer (A) |
| | Kay Moore (6 th A) |
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11.30am

Denis O'Kane (5th A)



World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly 2023

The Blessing of Long Life

God of mercy, Who has given the gift of long life to Your children, grant them Your blessing; let them feel the sweetness and strength of Your presence: Turning back to the past let them rejoice in Your mercy and looking to the future Let them persevere in the hope that does not die Praise and glory to You for ever and ever

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Church reopening after floor repairs

Our Church reopens this weekend after our two-week closure for repairs to the floor and cleaning.

Thank you for joining in the Coffee Dock for daily Mass during this time. We also thank you for your patience and understanding during this time of renovation & repair.

Next Sunday 23rd July @ 11.30am we will have a special Mass of thanks and celebration for Fr Paddy. He will celebrate being 80 years young in July and also will be celebrating his retirement from full time ministry.

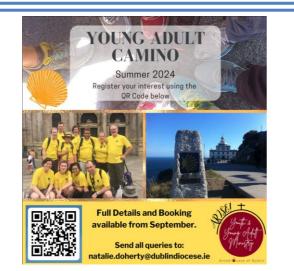
We invite all parishioners to come and join us on this very special occasion.

There will be light refreshments after Mass in the Parish Centre.



St Raphaela's Mass on Sunday

There is Mass in the Convent chapel in St Raphaela's at 10am on Sunday mornings. All welcome.



The word is like rain refreshing the earth, bringing goodness and growth wherever

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