



**Priests:**  
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**Parish Office:**  
 Hours 10.30 a.m. – 1.30 p.m. Monday to Friday.  
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**Times of Mass:**  
 Saturday: Vigil 6.30 p.m.  
 Sunday 9.00 a.m. 10.30 a.m. 12 noon  
 First Sunday of the Month 9 a.m. Gaeilge  
 Family Mass: 10.30 a.m. 2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Sun. of month  
 Weekdays: 10.00 a.m. and 1.05 p.m.  
 Saturday 11.00 a.m.  
 Holy Days: Vigil 6.30 p.m. 10 a.m. 1.05 p.m. and 6.30 p.m.

*There may be parishioners or visitors, who come to Mass here in St. John the Baptist, on Sunday, and Weekdays, who are unable to receive the Host in Holy Communion. Please feel free to receive Holy Communion from the Chalice, which is placed in front of the statue of the Sacred Heart, on Sundays and on the side of the altar on Weekdays.*



**Confessions**  
 Saturday: After 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Mass.  
 Eve of Holy Days & First Fridays after 10 a.m. Mass.  
**Miraculous Medal**  
**Novena** : Monday after the 10 a.m. Mass.  
 Bank Holiday after 11a.m. Mass.  
**Baptisms**  
 First Sunday of the month at 1 p.m. Other weekends: Saturdays at 12 noon.  
**Marriages:** By arrangement, 3 months notice required to Parish in which you reside.

**Pope's Intentions for October**  
**Universal: Journalists**  
 That journalists, in carrying out their work, may always be motivated by respect for truth and a strong sense of ethics.  
**Evangelisation: World Mission Day**  
 That World Mission Day may renew within all Christian communities the joy of the Gospel and the responsibility to announce it.

**ANNUAL MASS FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED**

The Annual Mass for those who have died and whose funerals took place from our Parish Church during the past year will be celebrated on

**THURSDAY 10<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER at 7.30 p.m.**

To parishioners who experienced a family bereavement outside of our parish during the year and who would like to participate, we extend a warm welcome. Should you wish to join with us in our Mass and bring to the altar a candle please give the name of your loved one into the Parish Office before **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November** so that a candle may be available to you on the day

**Parish Maintenance Fund**

The collection for the Parish Maintenance Fund, for repairs to the Church buildings, will take place this week-end **15<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup> October.**

**Your support is much appreciated.**

**MISSION SUNDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> OCTOBER 2016.**

Next Sunday marks the Annual Worldwide Catholic Celebration of Mission Sunday, The theme for this years' Mission Month of October is 'Every Christian is a Missionary of Mercy'. Our prayers and donations on Mission Sunday help to support mission projects and allow Catholic communities worldwide to become self-sufficient and progress according to their own needs and traditions. The collection for **MISSION SUNDAY** will take place next weekend **22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup> October** and will replace the **USUAL SHARE COLLECTION.** We invite you to pray for all Missionaries especially those of our own parish.

**November Altar List of the Dead**

The month of November gives us the opportunity to remember our dear departed when we enter their names on the **Altar List of the Dead**, so that they may be prayed for at all Masses during November and on the first Friday of each month for the coming year. If you wish to have the names of your loved ones inscribed on the list, there are envelopes at the back of the Church. These can be returned in the collection baskets at Mass or to the Parish Office.

**A Week of Guided Prayer**

A week of Guided Prayer will take place from **Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November to Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November, 2016.**

The venue will be the Daughters of Charity, St. Teresa's, Temple Hill, Blackrock. Participants from last year's group will speak at all Masses next weekend **22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup> October.** Kindly see Church notice boards for further details.

**St. Joseph's Young Priests Society**

The monthly meeting of St. Joseph's Young Priest's Society will take place, in the Parish Centre, next Thursday **20<sup>th</sup> October**, after the **10.00 a.m. Mass.**

**New members welcome**

**Missionaries of Charity**

The Missionaries of Charity would like to invite you to a **Thanksgiving Mass** for the Canonization of **St. Teresa of Calcutta.** It will be held next **Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> October at 3.00 p.m.** at **Our Lady's Shrine Knock.** The Thanksgiving Mass will be celebrated by the Papal Nuncio of Ireland, His Excellency Rev. Archbishop Charles Brown.

**All are welcome.**