



<p><b>Priests:</b> Fr John Delany 283 23 02 Fr. Eddie Conway 288 22 48 Sacristy 288 21 04</p> <p><b>Parish Office:</b> Hours 10.30 a.m. – 1.30 p.m. Monday to Friday. Tel: 288 21 04 www.sjb.ie</p>	<p><b>Times of Mass:</b> 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.</p>
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*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 on the table in front 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: Human Trafficking:** That human trafficking, the modern form of slavery, may be eradicated.

**Last Sunday's Mission Collection amounted to €2468.00. Many thanks for your generosity.**

**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 12<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 6<sup>th</sup> November** so that a candle may be available to you on the day

**MONDAY 26<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER – PUBLIC HOLIDAY**

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October is a Bank Holiday. Mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. and the Church will close at **12 noon**. We wish all those who are travelling this weekend a safe journey and an enjoyable restful break.

**Feast of All Saints – Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2015**

Vigil Mass: Saturday 31st October at 6.30 p.m.  
**November 2<sup>nd</sup> Feast of the Holy Souls.** Masses will be offered for the Holy Souls. Indulgences may be gained for the Holy Souls during the month of November see Notice Boards for details.

**Parish Maintenance Fund**

The next collection for the Parish Maintenance Fund, for repairs to the Church buildings, will be on next week- end **31<sup>st</sup> October / 1<sup>st</sup> November.**  
**Your support is much appreciated**

**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.

***“Eternal rest, grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace”, Amen.***

**A Week of Guided Prayer**

A week of Guided Prayer is available again this year in preparation for Christmas. The week will begin on **Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> November** and end on **Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> November**. Participants from last year's group will speak at all Masses on the week-end 31<sup>st</sup> October/1<sup>st</sup> November.

The commitment required is one hour of prayer per day. That consists of half an hour of private prayer at a time and place of one's own choosing. The second half hour is spent meeting with your personal prayer guide at an allocated agreed time during the day. Prayer space will be facilitated in the Church during morning sessions and in the Parish Centre during afternoon and evening sessions.