



Parish of St. John the Baptist, Blackrock.

Parish Newsletter 28<sup>th</sup> /29<sup>th</sup> May, 2022.

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**Masses available on webcam**

**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:**  
**Sunday Vigil (Saturday) 6.30 p.m.**  
 10.00 a.m.  
 12 noon

**Weekdays: 1.05 p.m.**  
**Saturday 6.30 p.m. Vigil.**

**Confessions**  
 On request.

**Baptisms:** First Sunday of each month and Third Saturday.

**Marriages:** By arrangement, three months' notice required to Parish in which you reside.

**When entering the Church, please wear face masks, social distance, and use hand sanitizers provided.**

**The Church is cleaned at regular intervals to make it a safer environment for all. Thank You.**

**ECUMENICAL BIBLE WEEK 2022**

**5 EVENT PROGRAMME 2022**

**Opening Event: Morning Prayer**  
 Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June at 10.00am

Venue: Tallaght University Hospital led by Fr. John Kelly & Chaplaincy Team

**Every Tribe & Tongue**

Celebrating the diversity of Christian expression throughout Ireland.  
 Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> June from 7.30pm - 9.00pm

Presented by Rev Philip McKinley

**Symposium**

Topic: Listen to the Word  
 Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2022 from 2.00 - 5.00pm

Chairperson: Fr. Kieran O'Mahony OSA  
 Presented by: Bishop Michael Burrows, Seán Goan, Lorna Gold

**Thinking Allowed**

What is my personal vision of a New Pentecost?  
 Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2022 from 7.30 - 9.00pm

Chairperson: Pat Coyle  
 Presenters: Amy Carey, Archbishop Dermot Farrell,  
 Archbishop Michael Jackson, Dr Ebon Joseph, Fr Ioann Kazadojev, Barbara Walshe.

**Closing Event: Worship**

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> June at 12 noon

Venue: Inchicore Solid Rock Church led by Pastor Emmanuel Might.  
 Reflection: Fr Vasyl Kornitsky

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**The Visitation of Our Lady**  
 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2022.

**Our Lady Most Gracious,**  
 Pray for us as we go about our  
 daily lives.

**That we may work hard, be kind,**  
 and always do our best.

**That we keep safe, as we grow in**  
 your love and care.

**That we believe in ourselves,**  
 achieve our potential,  
 and aspire to be the best  
 we can be.

**Help us to follow the example**  
 of your Son, Jesus,  
 as we learn to understand more  
 about the wonderful world  
 which God has created for us.

Amen.



*St Kevin, man of prayer*

Help us to imitate you by making stillness and silence a priority in our lives

*St Kevin, man of service*

Help us to imitate you by never holding back on helping others

*St Kevin, upholding creation*

Help us to imitate you by showing reverence to even the smallest of creatures

*St Kevin, man of inspiration*

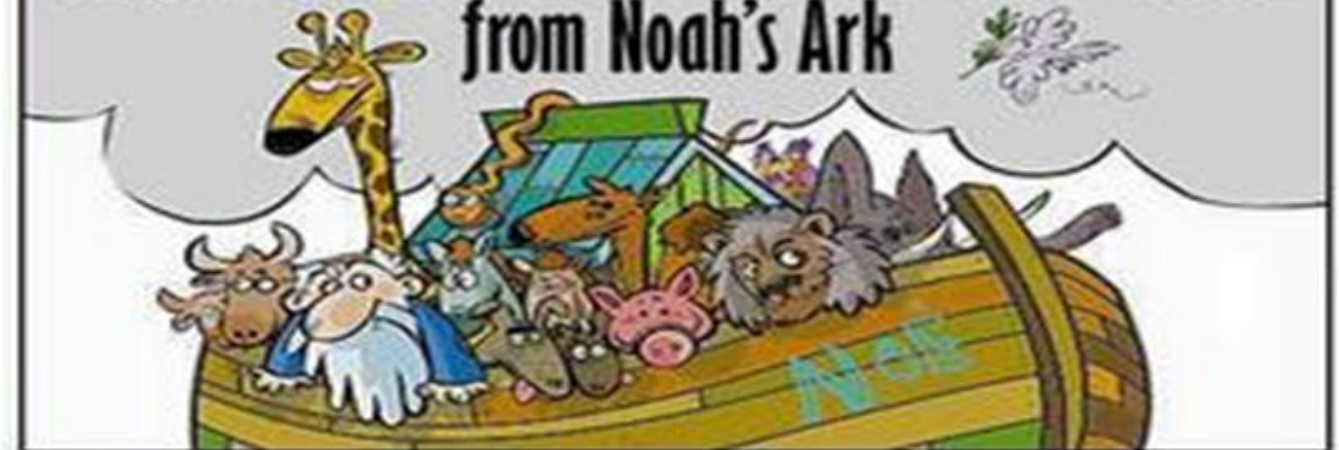
Help us to imitate you by listening to the promptings of the Spirit deep inside us

*St Kevin, patron of Dublin*

Help every person in our Archdiocese to hear a call to service and to stretch out their arms in kindness and compassion

**The Feast Day of St. Kevin, who brought Christianity to Glendalough, is celebrated on 3rd June. He is one of the Patron Saints of the Archdiocese of Dublin.**

**Everything I need to know about life, I learned from Noah's Ark**



- 1 Don't miss the boat.
- 2 Remember that we are all in the same boat.
- 3 Plan ahead. It wasn't raining when Noah built the ark.
- 4 Stay fit. When you're really old, someone may ask you to do some thing really big.
- 5 Don't listen to the critics; just get on with the job that needs to be done.
- 6 Build your future on high ground.
- 7 For safety sake, travel in pairs.
- 8 Speed isn't always an advantage. The snails were on board with the cheetahs
- 9 When you're stressed, float a while
- 10 Remember, the Ark was built by amateurs; the Titanic by professionals.
- 11 No matter the storm, when you are with God, there's always a rainbow waiting...