PARISH TEAM AND COMMUNITY

Fr. Max McKeown OFM Conv. (Parish Priest)
Fr. Aidan Walsh OFM Conv. (Guardian)
Fr Marius Tomulesei OFM Conv.
Br Joe Fenton OFM Conv.

Sr. Margaret Ivers RSC (Pastoral Assistant)

MASS TIMES

Sunday 5:30pm (Vigil Saturday), 9.30am, 10.45am, 12pm, 1.15pm, 5:30pm

<u>Weekdays</u>

Monday-Friday: 8am, 10am

Saturday : **10am** First Friday : **7.30pm**

Holy days: Vigil 7:30pm, 8am, 10am,

12noon and 7:30pm

See notice board for details

Rosary said after 8am and 10am Mass in Church and at Adoration at 6pm

CONFESSIONS

Monday-Saturday after 10am Mass

DEVOTIONS

St. Anthony Devotions:

Tuesday 8am and 10am

St. Maximilian : **Votive Mass to Our Lady** First Saturday 10am

Divine Mercy Devotion:

After first Friday Mass 7:30pm friars in advance

BAPTISMS: Baptism usually takes place on Sunday's at 1:15pm Mass. Parents must first meet with one of the parish team. Both parents must attend the preparation talk held in the parish meeting room. Details may be obtained from the Parish office.

MARRIAGE arrangements should be made **six months** in advance. Details may be obtained from the Parish office.

Franciscan Parish of the Visitation.

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Email: <u>visitation.fairview@gmail.com</u>
PARISH WEBSITE: <u>www.fairviewparish.ie</u>

Our Lady's Hall

Parish Centre PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday — Friday 9:30am - 1:00pm & 2:00pm - 5:00pm

FRANCISCAN MASS ASSOCIATION (F.M.A.)

Mass cards are available from the Parish Office during office hours only. The 1:15pm Sunday Mass and the First Friday Masses are offered for all members of the F.M.A. both living and deceased.

CHURCH CLOSES: Monday-Friday at 7pm and after evening Mass Saturday and Sunday. Car park is free during Mass Times. Parking fees apply at all other times.

NEWSLETTER ITEMS should be handed into the Parish Office by Thursday morning.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

In the case of sudden illness or an emergency please call a priest immediately Friary 01-4825821. Holy Communion is brought to the sick and housebound on the First Friday. Hospitals are visited weekly. **Please inform the friars in advance**

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

The main Church will be open until 7pm Monday to Friday.

Adoration & the Rosary will take place between 6pm - 7pm Monday to Friday



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Parish Newsletter: 16th – 22nd January 2022 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2022

Theme: The theme for the 2022 Week of Prayer is 'We saw the star in the East, and we came to worship him' (Mt 2:2), taken from the account of the visit of the magi to pay homage to the infant king (Mt 2:1-12). It is a call to unity, of those from the North and the South, from the East and from the West, old and young, men and women.

Introduction

The story of the Magi visiting the Holy Family in Bethlehem is one very familiar to us. The Magi have sometimes been seen as a symbol of the world's diversity – different religions and cultures – that comes to pay homage to the Christ–child. The story might therefore represent the unity of all created that God desires.

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in 2022 has been prepared by the churches of the Middle East, the history of which was, and still is, characterised by conflict and strife, tainted with blood and darkened by injustice and oppression. The Christians of the Middle East offer these resources conscious that the world shares many of the travails and much of the difficulties that it experiences, and yearns for a light to lead the way to the Saviour who is the light that overcomes darkness.

Serving the Gospel today requires a commitment to the human being, especially the poorest, the weakest and those marginalised. It requires from the churches transparency and accountability in dealing with the world, and with each other. This means churches need to cooperate to provide relief to the afflicted, to welcome the displaced, to relieve the burdened, and to build a just and honest society. This is a call for churches to work together so that young people can build a good future according to God's heart, a <u>future in which all human beings can experience life</u>, peace, justice, and love.

Sunday Offering

Church € 512

Share

Envelope € 1073

Months Mind

Lauri Grennell

'The song is ended but the melody lingers on'

St Mary's National School Enrolment:

€ 301

Applications for enrollment to St. Mary's N.S. for children staying in September 2022 will be accepted in the school office during the month of January. St. Mary's caters for boys up to the end of First Class and girls up to Sixth. Please note any child starting must be 4 years old by August 28th of the year they are starting school as per our Enrolment Policy.

Applications may be picked up in the office between 9am and 3pm daily or you can download a form from the school website: www.stmarysfairview.ie

PLEASE WEAR FACE MASKS

Please continue to wear <u>FACE MASKS</u> inside the Church, even if you have received the vaccine. This will help stop the spread of COVID-19. People can still receive / transmit the Covid 19 virus. The vaccine helps to prevent serious illness. Vulnerable people still need to follow the safety guidelines.

- → You can pay weekly Church contributions by envelopes or **BANK STANDING ORDER**. Please email <u>visitation.fairview@gmail.com</u> for one of the following; New Envelope Box, Setup a **BANK STANDING ORDER**, Change from Envelope to Bank Standing Order
- → **NEW FAMILY COLLECTION ENVELOPES 2021** are ready for collection at the back of the Church or email to request. The remaining boxes of envelopes will be posted out this week.

<u>Vacancy</u>: Communications Officer – Archdiocese of Dublin

It is an exciting time in the Archdiocese, with a new Archbishop in post, many pastoral initiatives being undertaken, restructuring plans being developed, and hope-filled ministries and services being delivered every day of the year. We are looking for a communications officer to lead our internal communications within the Catholic Archdiocese of Dublin and external communication with the wider society. For more information please visit: www.activelink.ie/node/87384

Closing Date for applications is 21st January 2022.

Mass Intentions 16th – 22nd January 2022

Sunday 16th January

Vigil 5:30pm +Joe Mc Cabe9.30am Pro Populo

10.45am ++Rita and Micheál Mc Loughlin

12noon + Sick Parishioner (Intentions),

+Holy Souls,

++The Tobin Family,

Ciaran Kearin (Vincent de Paul Volunteer),

+Maura Dunne, +Kitty Devereux,

1.15pm FMA – Franciscan Mass Association

5:30pm Healing of the Family Tree

Monday 17th January

8am ++Stephen and Lily Flatley

10am +Tommy Ryan

Tuesday 18th January

8am + Christine Mc Manus

10am + Lauri Grennell (Months Mind)

Wednesday 19th January

8am +Rita Smyth

10am ++Martin and Brigit Mc Manus

Thursday 20th January

8am ++Martin and Brigit Mc Manus

10am + Christine Mc Manus

Friday 21st January

8am ++Sally and Hugh Green

10am ++Frank and Peggy White, Michael and Ann Falvey

Saturday 22nd January

No 8am Mass

10am + Christine Mc Manus

Mass Intentions - Sunday 23rd January

Vigil Mass 5:30pm – +Michael Dowd

9.30am - Pro Populo

10.45am – +Connie Vaughan

12noon – Grace Hazley, Barney Meagher

1.15pm – F.M.A. ,

5:30pm – ++Martin and Brigit Mc Manus