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The parish Child Safeguarding and Protection representatives may be contacted through the parish office.

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Parish partnership working together—

- ◇ **Beechwood Avenue**
- ◇ **Rathgar**
- ◇ **Rathmines**
- ◇ **Harold's Cross**
- ◇ **Mount Argus**

Mass Times in Church of the Holy Name

- **Tuesday and Thursday 10.00am**
- **Saturday 5.30pm Family Mass**
- **Sunday 9.30am (as Gaeilge), 11.00am**
- **Holy Days 10.00am**
- **First Friday of each month 10.00am**

All our Masses are streamed on the parish webcam.

Please use <https://beechwoodparish.com/webcam/> to access Beechwood webcam link.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place on Tuesdays from 10.30am to 11.30am

Tap and Go machines :

There is a Tap and Go machine at the back of the church to allow you to contribute to the parish. Donations made using this machine remain in the parish.

The other Tap and Go machine at the back of the church is to support the priests of the diocese and the Share diocesan services.

Thank you for your ongoing generous support.

Hymns for our 11.00am Mass this Sunday

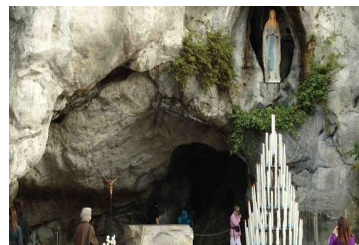
Entrance Hymn

All people that on earth do well,
I sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;
I serve him with joy, his praises tell,
come now before him, and rejoice.
Know that the Lord is God; indeed,
he formed us all without our aid.
We are the flock he comes to feed,
the sheep who by his hand were made.
O enter then his gates with joy,
within his courts his praise proclaim.
Let thankful songs your tongues employ;
O bless and magnify his name.

Recessional Hymn

Guide me, O my great Redeemer,
pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but you are mighty;
hold me with your powerful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,
feed me now and evermore,
feed me now and evermore.

Open now the crystal fountain,
where the healing waters flow.
Let the fire and cloudy pillar
lead me all my journey through.
Strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer,
ever be my strength and shield,
ever be my strength and shield.



The Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes takes place from 5th to 10th September 2024 and is led by Archbishop Dermot Farrell.

There will be a collection after all our Masses this weekend which will be used in support of pilgrims who are joining the pilgrimage.

We ask for your generous support.



We are delighted to confirm that we have been awarded funding from Dublin City Council's Climate Action Fund for works in the parish centre.

Approved works :

- LED lighting to replace existing fluorescent tube lighting
- Solar PV system
- A covered bike shelter and bike repair station
- Rainwater planters, raised beds and seating

We expect work to commence over the coming months. All the lighting in the church and parish office was converted to LED in 2022 and this has contributed to a significant reduction in electricity usage and costs since then. We have also been advised that we will be able to sell excess electricity back to the grid from the solar PV system.

Thought for the day

One could launch the reflection by recalling significant situations in which the costly gift of self nourished others, leading perhaps to the gift of new courage and new life. Christians believe that Jesus gives life by giving himself. This is also the path of discipleship—the believer also gives life by the gift of self. Such memories may lead to the real heart of what is being said here: faith in Jesus and the meaning of his death and resurrection. At this point, questions arise such as, what is at the centre of my life? What give me nourishment and energy? How has that actually taken place in my own, quite personal journey? It might even help to come up with a personal faith statement at this point. Above all, this is an invitation to faith, understood as deep, deep trust. In the words of another text, we believe God was in Christ, reconciling the world to himself (2 Cor 5:19).

You are the mystery at the heart of it all and at the heart of your mystery we find self-giving, sacrificing love. Help us to know you as you truly are and as you have shown yourself to be in Jesus your Son. We ask your blessing as we follow your Son Jesus, our bread of life. May we in turn be able to nourish others.

Fr. Kieran O'Mahony

Mass intentions this week

Saturday 17th

5.30pm Anthony Saab (A)
Colm Carty (A)

Sunday 18th

9.30am Catherine O'Connor (RD)
11.00am Bernard Boylan (19th A)
Donor's Intentions

Tuesday 20th

10.00am Mary Allen (RD)

Thursday 22nd

10.00am Nancy Barry (RD)

Saturday 24th

5.30pm Ken Kinsella (RD)

Sunday 25th

9.30am
11.00am Gerry Morris (A)

Mass cards are available in the parish office and sacristy. An offering is received with gratitude and is another means of supporting your local clergy. If you make an offering for a Mass online, please contact the office with your intention.

We pray for all in our community who are ill and we pray for those who care for them and support them.



Please scan the QR Code to contribute to 1st and Share collection.

Your contribution will be split 60% to 1st Collection (for support of diocesan and parish clergy) and 40% to Share for the support of developing parishes.

Thank you for your support.

I would like again to entrust the anxieties and pains of the people who suffer in so many parts of the world due to social tensions and wars, to Mary, Queen of Peace, who we contemplate today in the Glory of Paradise. I think in particular of martyred Ukraine, of the Middle East, Palestine, Israel, Sudan and Myanmar. May our Heavenly Mother obtain comfort and a serene and harmonious future for all.

Pope Francis—Feast of the Assumption 15th August 2024