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

**The Chair of the Parish Pastoral Council and the Chair of the Parish Finance Committee may be contacted through the parish office.**

**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 5.30pm Mass this Saturday**

**Entrance Hymn : 349**

**Recessional Hymn : 284**

**There are hymn books available at the back of the church. You are welcome to use one during Mass. We ask that you leave them back at the end of Mass. There is a hymn board on the altar which shows the number of the hymns being sung.**

**All our volunteers are invited to attend a Vulnerable Adult/Child Safeguarding training session on Wednesday 11th September from 7.30pm to 9.00pm in St Charles Centre, Mount Argus Parish. I encourage you all to attend, especially if you have not received training in this area in the last 3 years.**

***Fr. Paul***

**September calendar**

**Thursday 19th September at 7.30pm**

**Information meeting with parents of children preparing for First Holy Communion.**

**Monday 23rd September at 7.30pm**

**Information meeting with parents of children preparing for Confirmation.**

**Saturday 28th September**

**5.30pm Confirmation Enrolment and Blessing of Pets**

**Sunday 29th September**

**9.30am Do this In Memory of Me Mass and Blessing of Pets**

**Legion of Mary Pilgrimage to Knock**

**Sunday 29th September**

**Coach departs from opposite Birchall's pub Ranalegh at 7.50am**

**Adult €30; child €15 (accompanied by parent)**

**To book please phone 085 776 5391**

**Season of Creation 2024 1st September to 4th October**

**This year's theme: "To hope and act with Creation"**

*'Creation is groaning' (Romans 8:22). This biblical image of a whimpering planet is played out daily as the climate and biodiversity crises worsen, affecting the most vulnerable people and unravelling vast ecosystems. The times we live in show that we are not relating to the Earth as a gift from our Creator, but rather as a resource to be used. Saint Francis of Assisi understood this when he referred to the Earth as our sister and our mother in his Canticle of Creatures. How can Mother Earth look after us if we do not look after her? Creation is groaning because of the unsustainable actions that harm her. Along with our Sister, Mother Earth, creatures of all kinds, including humans, cry out because of the consequences of our destructive actions causing climate crisis, loss of biodiversity, and human suffering as well as Creation's suffering. And yet, there is hope and the expectation for a better future. To hope in a biblical context does not mean to stand still and quiet, but rather actively striving for new life amidst the struggles.*

Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference. For more information please see [www.catholicbishops.ie/laudato-si/season-of-creation-2024/](http://www.catholicbishops.ie/laudato-si/season-of-creation-2024/)

**Crosscare Collection 14th/15th September**

Next weekend, 14th/15th September, Crosscare will hold its Annual Appeal for those most in need. This will replace the Share collection at all Masses. Crosscare delivers a wide range of homeless, youth, and food poverty support to people at various stages of poverty or marginalisation. Regrettably, the demand for these vital services continues to increase, and Crosscare relies on your generosity to reach as many people as possible who need help. Please support the Crosscare collection if you can next weekend at all Masses in the Archdiocese, or you can donate online at [www.crosscare.ie](http://www.crosscare.ie).

**Mass intentions this week**

**Saturday 7th**

5.30pm Hugh Geoghegan (RD)  
Conor Massey (RD)

**Sunday 8th**

9.30am Gail O'Connor (RD)  
James Cooney (A)  
11.00am Clare O'Flaherty (20th A)  
Annie Teresa Leech (RD)  
Nora Maher (A)

**Tuesday 10th**

10.00am Kevin Ryan (RD)

**Thursday 12th**

10.00am Hugh Geoghegan (RD)  
Maeve Cleary (RD)

**Saturday 14th**

5.30pm John Markham (A)  
Gabriel and Mary Murphy (RIP)

**Sunday 15th**

9.30am  
11.00am Clare O'Flaherty (20th 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 for those who care for them.



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