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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.

The ANNUAL COLLECTION for ACCORD Dublin, the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, will be made at all Masses next weekend of 15th/16th February

ACCORD Dublin throughout the Diocese offers:

- **Marriage Preparation courses – online, small groups.**
- **Counselling for couples and individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships, currently online or by phone.**
- **A Relationship and Sexuality Programme for schools.**

ACCORD Dublin needs your support this year more than ever.

Please give generously on 15th and 16th February 2025.

Safeguarding Awareness Training

All our volunteers are invited to attend a safeguarding awareness training session in St Charles Centre, Mount Argus on Wednesday 12th February from 7.30pm to 9.00pm. I encourage you all to attend.

Fr Paul.

Holy Mass for the beatification of The Servant of God—Alfie Lambe—Legion of Mary Envoy to South America 1953 to 1959, this Sunday 9th February 2025 at 12.30pm in The Church of St. Agnes, Crumlin. Celebrant and Homilist— Fr Tony O'Shaughnessy PP, Crumlin Parish.

An Hour of Adoration

Tuesday 11th February from 12 noon to 1pm

Legion of Mary, St Josephs', Rathgar Road, Dublin 6 (opposite Circle K filling station).

As this jubilee year begins, we warmly invite you to join us for one hour adoration as we gather to pray for an increase in vocations to the religious life. Pope Francis says that when we speak about vocations, we are speaking about making God's dream come true. We are very grateful to Fr. Andrew O'Sullivan who has given us permission to have the Blessed Sacrament in our Legion House.

All are welcome and refreshments will be available.

Thought for the day

We tend to think of the first disciples as somehow “clergy” with a call special to them. But that is not adequate. Jesus is first of all calling disciples, that is ordinary people, including ourselves. Discipleship includes experience, learning and risk. What experiences have brought me this far? What have I learned and am I still learning? How about the call to “put out into the deep”? Is the Lord asking of me a deeper following, both costly and lifegiving? How am I responding? Is there something in me hesitating and holding back? Do I need to hear again the words, “Do not be afraid”?

God of surprises, help us to take the risk of following Jesus on a path of discipleship costing “not less than everything.” Help us to let go, that we may live the Gospel fully and richly.

Fr. Kieran O’Mahony

We are delighted that work was completed this week on the installation of a new covered bike rack in the parish centre on Mountain View Road. This is being funded by Dublin City Council’s Community Climate Action Fund.

We hope that this will encourage people in the community to cycle rather than use cars. A bike repair station will be installed very soon. Thank you to the Parish Pastoral Council team for their work on this project.

O Lord, seize us with your power and light,
help us to protect all life,
to prepare for a better future,
for the coming of your Kingdom
of justice, peace, love and beauty.
Praise be to you!
Amen.
POPE FRANCIS
(Laudato Si’ 246)

Mass intentions this week

Saturday 8th

5.30pm Paul Elliot (2nd A)
Aidan Fitzgibbon (A)
Paddy Cole (RD)
Tom Boland (7th A)

Sunday 9th

9.30am Ann O’Hagan (RD)
Mairead Phelan (RD)
11.00am John and Ellen Doyle (RIP)
Martin and Kitty Brennan (RIP)

Tuesday 11th

10.00am Ina O’Donovan (RIP)
David Flanagan (RD)
Donal O’Sullivan (RD)

Thursday 13th

10.00am David Flanagan (RD); Donal O’Sullivan (RD)

Saturday 15th

5.30pm Brenda Keenan (RD); Paddy Cole (RD)
Pedro Jajalla Dela Cruz (RD)

Sunday 16th

9.30am Madeleine Knight (A)
11.00am Peter Powell (RD); special intention

We ask for your prayers for the repose of the soul of the late Sr. Angela Morgan MSHR, whose funeral took place here this week. May she rest in peace. We offer our sympathy to her bereaved family and to the MSHR community on Temple Road.

Mass cards are available in the Parish Office and the sacristy. An offering is received with gratitude and is another means of supporting your local clergy. If you make an offering online please contact the office with details of your intention. Thank you.

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