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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

Tuesdays: 10.30am to 4.00pm; 7.00pm to 9.00pm

Saturdays : 3.15pm to 5.15pm

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.

Gluten free hosts are available here at all Masses for those with a gluten intolerance.

World Mission Sunday—Sunday 19th October

This weekend, we will celebrate World Mission Sunday, the Holy Father's annual appeal to support overseas mission and missionaries. The annual collection for World Mission Sunday will be taken up at all our Masses this weekend and will replace the Share collection. We appeal for your generous support.

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

On World Mission Sunday every year, the whole Church prays, united, particularly for missionaries and the fruitfulness of their apostolic labours.

When I served as a missionary priest and then bishop in Peru, I saw first-hand how the faith, the prayer and the generosity shown on World Mission Sunday can transform entire communities.

I urge every Catholic parish in the world to take part in World Mission Sunday. Your prayers, your support will help spread the Gospel, provide for pastoral and catechetical programs, help to build new churches, and care for the health and educational needs of our brothers and sisters in mission territories. This October 19th, as we reflect together on our baptismal call to be "missionaries of hope among the peoples" let us commit ourselves anew to the sweet and joyful task of bringing Christ Jesus our Hope to the ends of the earth. Thank you for everything you will do to help me help missionaries throughout the world. God bless you all!

Pope Leo

"Light a Candle" – A message from the PPC.

Dear Friends & Neighbours,

Each Wednesday we are hosting a "Light a Candle" event in Beechwood Parish Church and invite you to drop in and take a moment for quiet reflection.

This event will take place each Wednesday evening during October and November between 8pm and 9pm. There will be no speaker or formal prayers, just a peaceful space with gentle music, where all are welcome to pause and reflect. Candles will be provided by the church. No donations necessary.

In November, we remember.

Our annual Mass of Remembrance for deceased parishioners will take place on Saturday 8th November at 5.30pm. We will remember in a special way all those whose funerals were held in our church in the last 12 months. If you would like to remember a family member please let us know. A candle with your loved one's name on it will be placed on the altar rails in their memory.



You are invited to pray for a special gathering that will take place in Kilkenny this Saturday, October 18, the Pre-Synodal Assembly of the Catholic Church in Ireland. This assembly is an important juncture on the journey towards a National Synodal Assembly to be held in 2026. Please pray that the Holy Spirit will guide the conversations at Kilkenny, and those flowing from it, as we walk together as sisters and brothers of Christ, united by our baptism and filled with hope.

We pray for all those gathering in Kilkenny for the Pre-Synodal Assembly. We pray that we may all see ourselves as 'Baptised and Sent', co-workers in the ongoing renewal of our Church.

The Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel, May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally. May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen.

Mass intentions

Saturday 18th

5.30pm Tony Boyle (RD); Vincent Steen (RD)

Special Intention

Sunday 19th

9.30am Vincent Steen (RD); Maura Beary (RD)

11.00am Richard Loftus (RD)

Tuesday 21st

10.00am Veronica Freeman (RD)

Thursday 23rd

10.00am Anne Stewart (RD)

Saturday 25th

5.30pm John Crowe (RD)

Sunday 26th

9.30am

11.00am Kitty Watson (A)

We ask for your prayers for the repose of the soul of the late Sr. Kitty Walsh (MSHR) whose funeral took place here this week. May she rest in peace. We offer our sympathy to her bereaved family and to her community.

We pray for all our faithful departed. May they rest in eternal peace.

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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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.



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