

## Note from Fr Tony:

This is our final Newsletter until September. We hope that all will enjoy and have a good rest during the Summer months. It will be a special time for Ireland. In August we will be celebrating the International World Meeting of Families (August 21st to 26th) Various meetings and celebrations have been arranged and are booked out for the first four days. The highlight for the week will be the visit of Pope Francis to Ireland which will be celebrated on Saturday 25th August and Sunday 26th August. On these two days Pope Francis will have a very full schedule, various meetings on Saturday including a celebration in Croke Park (ticket only). Sunday morning he will travel to Knock to visit, Our Lady's Shrine, returning early to lead the Papal Mass in the Phoenix Park. This event as we have advertised in recent weeks is now completely booked out and those who applied for tickets on—line will receive them shortly. While tickets are necessary, because of Health & Safety considerations they are free of charge.

Locally we have 3 Celebrations arranged to which all are very welcome.



### Friday August 24th 7.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m.

An international meeting for our community and many visitors from abroad. The evening will begin with a short prayer service led by the Oblate Partners in Mission, followed by some refreshments and a social evening.

### Saturday 25th August 11.00 a.m to 3.00 p.m.

Family Picnic, Fun, Food and Faith. Mary Immaculate Oblate Parish, Tyrconnell Road, Inchicore . Dj, Games, Face Painting, Music, BBQ, Ice cream, Party and much more .....



Come along with your family.

### Sunday 26th in Our Lady of the Wayside Church 2.30.p.m. to 4.30.p.m.

Thanks to John Lee the Papal Mass from the Phoenix Park will be televised live in Our Lady of the Wayside Church, Bluebell on Sunday 26th August.

Come along at 2.30 and take your seat. It might be wise for you to bring a cushion!!!

22nd July 2018



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## THE DEEP END: Crowds and Shepherds



The gospel today emphasises the importance of taking time for yourself as Jesus takes the disciples to a deserted place after all their hard work. It teaches an important lesson about remaining connected to Jesus if we are to be his followers. It is unfortunate for them that their break is interrupted. The crowd are thirsty for more and suffering from a lack of real leadership. Jesus has so much compassion for the people that the phrase Mark uses actually means he felt compassion in his intestines! A biblical way of saying he felt compassion for them in the pit of his stomach.

Next month we greet the shepherd of the Catholic Church as Pope Francis comes to Ireland for the World Meeting of Families. It will be a momentous occasion, a once in a life-time experience to see and to hear from a Pope who has so much to say to us about sharing the gospel message in our world. He calls us to be joyful Christians, to reach out to the poor and abandoned, to be disciples in our families, communities, on the streets and to help build a world that is true to Christ's vision for this world. Pope Francis is a leader who inspires many. Whether you are travelling to the festival or watching it at home we pray for the success of this extraordinary event. Let us pray today for leaders in our Church and in our communities, that they will inspire people, nurture people and listen to the spirit who guides us on this path.



Jane Mellett

### Mass Times:

**Sun: Vigil** 6.30 p.m. (**Folk Group**) 8.30 a.m. & 11.00 a. m. (**Family Mass**)  
**Mon-Fri:** 9.30 a.m.  
**Sat:** 10.00 a.m.  
**Holy Days:** 10.00 a.m. **Confessions:** Sat: 10.30 am & 6.00 p.m.

## Bluebell Resident 's Association Notes (A.B.C.)

The Committee would like to Thank those who have taken up membership of the Association in recent weeks. Residents can still become members up to the A.G.M. later in the year. At our last meeting Residents expressed reservation regarding walk –way to Canal via Old Community centre based on past experiences at Millrose estate. Meeting advised Secretary to contact **Cluid Housing**, regarding ground maintenance at new houses on Bluebell Avenue.

### Allotments

It is expected that D/C/Council will meet all interested to work out allocations and structures.

### Works at Football Pitch.

Local residents have been promised consultation will take place to iron out any snags that may follow.

Keep your eye on the Ball.....

**Any Information regarding Association:  
Contact Andy Connolly, Millrose Estate.**

### **Our Lady of the Wayside Parish Baptism dates for 2018**



**18th August  
Saturday**



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**Our Annual Trip to Knock took  
place last Saturday 14th July.**

**A very successful trip. Thanks to  
all who helped prepare and  
organise the Pilgrimage**

**If you love it, lock it.....**



### **Thank You'**

**The Malone Family would like to say a big 'thank you' for the wonderful generosity shown to us during Lily's illness and during our bereavement.**

**We would also like to express our sincere gratitude for your presence, prayers and Masses offered for Lily which helped us through those difficult days and for which we are grateful.**

**God bless you and your families .**

**Peters Pence** collection  
amounted to €317.00.  
Thank you all for your  
continued support.

**Trocaire** wishes to  
'Thank' you all for your  
generous donation which  
amounted to €1127.81

**The Green Door Market .....now in Bluebell.**

**At the Green Door Market our focus is on great quality food. Wide range of traders from organic fruit and veg, organic meat, fish, bakers, cheese, and olives. Flowers and plants also.**

**You can have your breakfast, lunch or snack with great tea and coffee.**

**Opening times: Tuesday & Wednesday 12.00 to 7.00 p.m.**

**Thursday & Friday 12.00 to 7.00 p.m.**

**Saturdays 9.30 to 4.00 p.m.**

**Sundays 11.00 to 5.00 p.m.**

**Situated at A1 Bluebell Business Centre, Old Naas Road, Dublin 12.**

**R.I.P.**



**We pray for  
Betty Hannon  
Lily Malone  
Pauline Phillips**

We remember their  
families and friends in prayer.

Sadly missed along life's way  
Quietly remembered every day  
No longer in our life to share  
But in our hearts you're always there.

**Baptised: 23rd June 2018**



**Jovi, Caiden, Ellis,  
Donna, Jackson.**

Congratulations to the  
parents, godparents, families  
and friends.

May the Lord watch over  
these children in every step  
of life's journey.