

Wednesday, 25th September at 7:30 pm. The meetings will

SEEING YOUR LIFE THROUGH THE LENS OF THE GOSPEL ()

1. As often with the parables of Jesus, this one is intended to shock in order to make us think. Jesus is not praising the injustice of the servant, but his purposefulness in preparing for the future. In your experience, what difference does it make when you are purposeful and energetic instead of lethargic?

2. It was his master's call to account that galvanised the servant into action. What have been the experiences, or people, that have galvanised you into action when you had been somewhat half-hearted in your efforts?

3. Who have been the people whose energy, drive and astuteness have been an inspiration to you in how to handle difficult situations?

4. 'No servant can be the slave of two masters.' When have you experienced the truth of this statement?

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HOLY COMMUNION – MAY 2020 IMPORTANT PARENT MEETING

Important meetings for all parents of children who wish to receive communion next May. For JFK boys, the parents meeting will be held in the church on Monday, 13th September at 7:30 pm. For Salesian girls, the meeting will be held in Salesian School on

explain the program of preparation between now and next May. It will confirm the date of First Communion and also the dates of special Masses and other ceremonies. Materials will be available to help parents with their preparation at home to supplement the preparation both in school and in the parish. A contribution of five Euro will be collected at this meeting as partial payment towards the cost of these materials, which include a Mass Book, nine colourful Newsletters and prayer cards. The parish subsidises the cost of these materials. Both parents are welcome. At least one parent should attend. Attendance will confirm that you wish to have your child receive First Communion next May and participate in the program of preparation.

PILGRIMAGE TO ROME – 11TH TO 14TH OCTOBER

Bishop Leahy will lead a Diocesan pilgrimage to Rome for the canonisation of Cardinal John Henry Newman. The new saint visited Limerick twice in 1852 and 1854 and resided for some time in the Diocese. The pilgrimage will depart on a Ryanair flight leaving Dublin at 4:30 pm on Friday, October 11th, with the return flight leaving Rome at 9 pm on Monday, October 14th.

HOSPITALITY GROUP CUPPA TEA.

The Hospitality Group welcome you back on Wednesday, 25th September and every

Wednesday, for the usual cuppa and chat after 10 am Mass in the Parish Centre. The Monday afternoon get together will commence on Monday, 30th September at the usual time of 2 pm to 4 pm in the Parish Center.

LANSDOWNE ACTIVE RETIREMENT

Lansdowne Active Retirement Association will meet on Tuesday, September 24th at 10:30 am in the Holy Rosary Pastoral Centre. Looking forward to meeting all our friends with an exciting itinerary for the new term.

LITURGY GROUP

Liturgy group meeting will take place on September 24th at 7 pm in the Parish Centre.

BISHOPS CONFERENCE COUNCIL FOR MIGRANTS

Bishop Brennan of the Bishops Conference Council for Migrants draws our attention to the call of Pope Francis.

As we celebrate the 105th World Day of Migrants and Refugees on 29th September 2019, our first thoughts and prayers are with our migrant brothers and sisters who live here among us in Ireland, in our dioceses, our parishes and most especially those in direct provision centres in our country. In his message, Pope Francis invites us to discern our outlook and actions with regard to this most important topic – “the presence of migrants and refugees – and of vulnerable people in general – is an invitation to recover some of those essential dimensions of our Christian existence and our humanity that risk being overlooked in a prosperous society. That is why it is not just about migrants. When we show concern for them, we also show concern for ourselves, for everyone; in taking care of them, we all grow; in listening to them, we also give voice

to a part of ourselves that we may keep hidden because it is not well regarded nowadays.”

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MASS TIMES: Weekends and Holy Days

Saturday Vigil 18:00

Sunday 10:00; 11:30

Weekdays:

Mon. to Fri. 10:00

Saturday 09:45 Prayer Service

BAPTISMS: Saturday 17:00

Sunday 12:15

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 21 st	18:00	Breda Carmondy (A) Billy Hurley (A)
Sun 22 nd	10:00	Terry McGowan (A) Jack & Peg Kirby (A)
	11:30	Jack Condon (A) Tom & Eithne Burke (A) Joan Daly (A) Brian Corbeth (A)
Mon 23 rd	10:00	Pro Popolo
Tues 24 th	10:00	Tom Hartnett (Rec Dec)
Wed 25 th	10:00	
Thur 26 th	10:00	Fr. Colm O'Riain (Rec Dec)
Fri 27 th	10:00	Jim Kenny (A)
Sat 28 th	09:45	Prayer Service
	18:00	Dermot Keys Cyril Culligan (A)
Sun 29 th	10:00	Margaret Wrenn (A)
	11.30	Rose & Jim Hurley (A)

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