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Entrance Antiphon

Monday: The love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Spirit of

God dwelling within us, alleluia.

Tues & Wed: I will praise you, Lord, among the nations;

I will tell of your name to my kin, alleluia.

Thursday: Men of Galilee, why gaze in wonder at the heavens? This Jesus whom

you saw ascending into heaven will return as you saw him go, alleluia

Friday: You have redeemed us, Lord, by your Blood from every tribe and tongue

and people and nation, and have made us into a kingdom, priests for our

God, alleluia.

Saturday: Come and hear, all who fear God, I will tell what the Lord did for my

soul, alleluia.

MASS INTENTIONS	24TH MAY	- 1st June
Saturday 24th May 6.30pm	May Norton	(Recently Deceased)
Sunday 25th 10.30 am 12 Noon	Aileen Cullen Terry Union	(Anniversary) (Anniversary)
Monday 26th	Thomas Genockey	(Anniversary)
Tuesday 27th	Frank Leonard	(Get Well)
Wednesday 28th	James McGrath	(Recently Deceased)
Thursday 29th	Peggy Campbell	(Recently Deceased)
Friday 30th	Jimmie Shivnan	(Recently Deceased)
Saturday 31st 10.00 am 6.30pm	Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life Parish Intentions	
Sunday 1st June 10.30 am 12 Noon	Eamonn McDermot John Melley	t (Anniversary) (Recently Deceased)

June Church Calendar	
1 st	Feast of the Ascension
2 nd	Bank Holiday Mass 10.00 AM
3 rd	Feast of St. Kevin Ordination of Deacon Seamus in the Pro -cathedral 11.00 am
4 th	First Mass in Village Church at 7.30 PM All Welcome
5 th	World Environment Day
6 th	First Friday Visitation of the Sick & Housebound
8 th 15 th	Feast of Pentecost Feast of Trinity

Church Notice Board

HSE Research with Parents

The HSE is doing research to understand how parents of children aged 4-9 years communicate with them about their bodies, relationships and sexuality. Parents are invited to take part in discussion groups to tell what they think children aged 4-9 years old should know about this; how they talk to their children about these issues etc. The researchers would like to hear the views of parents active in the Catholic faith on these questions. research discussion group will be held on Wednesday June 11th at 11am in the Clondalkin Village Parish **Pastoral** Centre Catholic parents of children aged 4-9. If you have a child aged 4-9 years please come along to have your views included in this study. Parents are asked to call the researcher, Catherine Conlon, (School of Social Work & Social Policy. Trinity College Dublin) on 086-8502954

An ecumenical bible week takes place from 8-15th June in various locations throughout Dublin with the nearest to us being the Methodist Church Centre

<u>in</u> <u>Tallaght</u>. www.bibleweek.ie ********

Lectio Divina29th May at 10am
Parish Centre

Next Week's Ministers 31st May / 1st June

6.30pm (W) Mary Genockey

(E) Pearl Murphy, Phil Finn & Linda Tyndall

10.30am (W) Sr. Margaret

(E) Gretta Scully, Nuala Valentine & Sr. Philomena

12 Noon (W) Lisa Kelly

(E) Catherine Fitzgerald, Gabrielle McGrath & Claire McCormack

St. Damien Mission Group

The cake sale last weekend was a fantastic success. An amazing sum of €1,100 was raised for Natalie and Lisa. A big thank you to everyone who baked or contributed in the buying or selling from our stalls over the weekend. The money has been given to the girls and they are delighted with the result. (Mary McCoy - Chairperson)

Clondalkin Animal Aid

Clondalkin Animal Aid are holding a coffee morning on Thursday 29th May at 91 Boot Road from 10.30am to 1.00 pm. Cuppa and a cake = €3. Please come along and support us, have a cuppa, a goodie and a chat. There will also be a raffle. Thank you.

Variety Concert

The total figure for the amount raised by the charity concert in the Green Isle was €8100.00 with the proceeds being divided between the school, parish and the missions. Thanks again to all who participated and supported the event.

The Annual collection on behalf of Crosscare Youth Services will replace the SHARE collection this weekend 24th—25th of May. This collection will be crucial in allowing Crosscare to continue to provide the best services for young people in our Diocese. Last year CROSSCARE YOUTH SERVICES was involved in supporting 11,000 young people in services throughout the Archdiocese of Dublin including the Clondalkin Youth Service.

Weekly Church Collection: 1st 400 - 2nd €325 - Envelopes €305

The Lighter Side!

Mary, the church gossip, and self appointed monitor of the church's morals, kept sticking her nose into other people's business. Several members did not approve of her extra curricular activities, but feared her enough to maintain their silence.

She made a mistake, however, when she accused George, a new member, of being an alcoholic after she saw his old blue pickup parked in front of the town's only bar one afternoon.

She emphatically told George, and several others, that everyone seeing it there would know exactly what he was doing.

George, a man of few words, stared at her for a few moments and just turned and walked away.

He didn't explain, defend or deny! He said nothing! Later that evening, George quietly parked his blue pickup in front of Mary's house walked home and left it there....all night!

