



**Mass and the Blessing of Graves, take place in Esker Cemetery Lucan on Sunday the 31st August at 3pm. Weather Permitting.**



It has been proposed that next week-end is a **'walk to Mass'** week-end when vehicles are left behind. This is to show solidarity with our fellow Christians in Iraq that have had to walk away from their homes and churches. Please make this gesture if you can at that the same time pray for those murdered, wounded and displaced Christians.



**'Retrouvaille' is the name of a programme designed to help heal and renew marriages. The word Retrouvaille, simply means 'rediscovery'.**

The programme offers the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. For dates & details of the next programme being offered see **www.retrouvaille.ie** or please phone **087 792 0101**



**The Thursday Morning Games Club returns on Thursday September 4th at 10am in the Parish centre. The Centre will be open after Mass**

### Weekly Church Collection

**1st Basket €320  
2nd Basket €295  
Envelopes €320**

**Holy Day  
€95**



**Amy Tyndall Irish School of dancing will resume shortly in the parish centre. Contact Amy on 085 7177593 for more details.**

### Remember!

1. When **GOD** solves your problems, you have faith in **HIS** abilities; when **GOD** doesn't solve your problems it's because **HE** has faith in your abilities.
2. Worrying does not take away tomorrow's **troubles**, it takes away today's **PEACE**.
3. Prayer is not a "**spare wheel**" that you pull out when in trouble, but it is a "**steering wheel**" that directs the right path throughout your life.
4. A blind person asked St. Anthony: "Can there be anything worse than losing your eye sight?" He replied: "Yes, losing your vision!"

### The Lighter Side !

**A priest is driving down to New York to see a show, and he's stopped in Connecticut for speeding. The state trooper smells alcohol on his breath, sees an empty wine bottle on the floor, and asks, "Sir, have you been drinking?"**

**The minister replies, "Just water."**

**The trooper asks, "Then, why do I smell wine?"**

**The minister looks down at the bottle and exclaims, "Good Lord, He's done it again!"**



# SACRED HEART PARISH



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## Entrance Antiphon

### Monday

Let the children come to me; do not prevent them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these.

### Tuesday

Turn your ear, O Lord, and answer me; save the servant who trusts in you, my God. Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.

### Wednesday

The woman who fears the Lord will herself be praised. Her children have called her most blessed, her husband has sung her praises.

### Thursday

In the midst of the Church he opened his mouth, and the Lord filled him with the spirit of wisdom and understanding and clothed him in a robe of glory.

### Friday (The Passion of St. John the Baptist)

I spoke, O Lord, of your decrees before Kings, and was not confounded; I pondered your commands and loved them greatly.

### Saturday

Hail, Holy Mother, who gave birth to the King who rules heaven and earth for ever.

### Next Week's Ministers 30th/31st August

6.30pm (W) Joe Moon  
(E) Phil Finn, Delores Harold & Pearl Murphy  
10.30am (W) Kathleen Finnan  
(E) Peg Cullen, Mairead Lombard & Geraldine McDonagh  
12 Noon (W) Aileen Hudson  
(E) Catherine Fitzgerald, Gabrielle McGrath & Claire McCormack

MASS INTENTIONS	23RD AUGUST - 31ST AUGUST
Sat. 23rd Aug. 6.30pm	Catherine Massey (Anniversary)
Sun 24th Aug. 10.30am 12 Noon	Oliver Curran (Recently Deceased) Christy Weldon (Month's Mind)
Monday 25th	Patricia Ryan (Recently Deceased)
Tuesday 26th	Denis Doody (Anniversary)
Wednesday 27th	Patrick Byrne (Anniversary)
Thursday 28th	Sarah Little (Anniversary)
Friday 29th	Pascal Delaney (Recently Deceased)
Saturday 30th 10.00am 6.30 pm	Oliver Curran (Month's Mind) Peter Maher (Recently Deceased)
Sunday 31st 10.30 am 12 Noon	Christy Weldon (Recently Deceased) Special Intention