

St Monica's Parish Bulletin

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SUNDAY MASSES: Vigils at 4pm & 5.30pm 10am (livestream) 12 Noon & 5pm

WEEKDAY MASSES: Monday – Saturday 10am

CONFESSIONS: 30min before the mass in the sacristy

BAPTISMS: Please speak to Fr Ghislain

MARRIAGES: Please speak to Fr Ghislain. Please note 6 months' notice is required.

13th Sunday of the Year-B

First Reading: Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24

Responsorial Psalm: I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me.

Second Reading: 2 Cor 8:7.9. 13-15

Gospel: Mk 5:21-43

Collections

Offertory Collection: £951.40
Building Fund: £176.57
The SVDP will be at the church doors collecting the offertory for the parish.

500 Club Winners

1st Prize: B McMullen 2nd Prize: J McLaughlan 3rd Prize: A Kane

Weekly Offering

Your financial support of the Parish in recent months has been appreciated and I would ask you to please continue to show your support. If you wish to donate your weekly offering to the parish online, below are the parish bank details.

Account Name: RCDM St Monica's Sort Code: 83 17 13
Account Number: 00163062

Fundraising Meeting

A meeting for anyone interested in becoming part of our fundraising group will take place on **Thursday 1 July 2021** in the church hall at **7pm**. Please come along and help us fundraise for our building fund.

World Day for Grandparents and Elderly

12 noon Mass on Sunday 25 July will be dedicated to the celebration of the World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly. We will pray for those who departed from us because of the pandemic. Tea and coffee will be served in the hall afterwards. Helpers will be needed so please give your name to Father Ghislain if you can help on this day.

Please remember in your prayers

Recently Dead: Anne Green, Mr Walker

<u>Sick:</u> Niamh Cassidy, Anne & John McShane & Family, Linda Webb, Annie Carr, Michael McAdams, Nicolas Hardy, Mary & Joseph Cope, Isobel Reilly, Gerald McDonald, Carol McGuinness, Pauline O'Rourke



<u>Months Mind</u>: Sadie Slowey, Patsy Robertson, Michael McMurray, Willie & Margaret Reilly, Patrick, Mary & Fr John McMurray, The McMurray Family, Kathleen Wallace, May & Jimmy McLaughlin, Kathleen & Peter Dolan, Tilly & Marie Clarke, Mattie, Tommy & Thomas Collins, Jim Boyle, Alphonsus Sludden, Sadie & Arthur Craig, Fr Frank Kelly

<u>Anniversaries</u>: Colette Kelly, Nora Sludden, Francis & Bridget McDonagh, James McCann (Jnr)

Please also remember the souls who have no one to pray for them.

Services this week		
Monday	10am	Holy Mass
	Vigil Mass – Holiday of Obligation 7pm	St Peter & Paul
Tuesday Holyday of Obligation	10am & 7pm	Holy Mass St Peter & Paul
Wednesday	10am	Holy Mass
Thursday	10am	Holy Mass
Friday	10am	Holy Mass
Saturday St Thomas - Feast	10am	10am Hoy Mass
	4pm & 5.30pm	Vigil Mass
Sunday	10am, 12 Noon & 5pm	14 th Sunday of the Year – B Holy Mass

Prayer for the First World Day For Grandparents and the Elderly

I thank You, Lord,
for the comfort of Your presence:
even in times of loneliness,
You are my hope and my confidence,
You have been my rock and my fortress since my youth!

I thank You for having given me a family and for having blessed me with a long life.

I thank You for moments of joy and difficulty, for the dreams that have already come true in my life and for those that are still ahead of me.

I thank You for this time of renewed fruitfulness to which You call me.

Increase, O Lord, my faith,
make me a channel of your peace,
teach me to embrace those who suffer more than me,
to never stop dreaming
and to tell of your wonders to new generations.

Protect and guide Pope Francis and the Church,
that the light of the Gospel might reach the ends of the earth.
Send Your Spirit, O Lord, to renew the world,
that the storm of the pandemic might be calmed,
the poor consoled and wars ended.

Sustain me in weakness and help me to live life to the full in each moment that You give me, in the certainty that you are with me every day, even until the end of the age. Amen