



Chapelizod Parish

Church of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time February 4th, 2024
Jesus cured many who were suffering from diseases of one kind or another.

MASS TIMES

Weekday Mass

Monday - Friday

10.00 a.m.

Sunday

11.00 a.m.

**Mass from our Church is available
online via the Parish Website**

The Church is open

from 9.30am - 12.00pm, Monday—Friday.

*You are welcome to drop in to light a candle, say a prayer
or simply have a quiet moment.*

A very Happy St. Brigid's Bank Holiday weekend to you all! At the end of what can feel like the very long month of January, it is good to have a moment to stop and notice the first signs of Spring appearing. Do take care if you are out and about, especially while driving.

Thank You to the young people and families who joined us on Monday for the Confirmation Enrolment Ceremony. Please continue to keep all our young people and their families in your prayers. *The Sacrament of First Holy Communion takes place on Saturday, May 18th.*



The Office of Mission & Ministry is running the **Introduction to Servant Leadership course** during the coming year. It is aimed at those with a parish ministry – but all are welcome. The course requires participants to attend three sessions on Zoom (consecutive Tuesdays from 7.30pm to 9pm) AND ALSO a Saturday session in person (from 10.00am to 2pm). Sessions are a mixture of input, discussion and reflection exploring what Servant Leadership is and how we might grow this ministry. For more information please contact peter.siney@dublindiocese.ie. To complete the online registration please visit the Adult Faith section of www.missionministry.ie.



A Prayer for Drivers

God, keep all drivers safe on the roads.

Help them to be focused and alert,

Always remembering that they share the road with others.

May they drive with compassion and care,

And only encounter others who do the same.

Wherever they go, may they travel with peace and love

And know that you are with them at every turn.

May your Angels surround and protect them

in any danger that they face

and bring them safely to their destination.

Amen.

HYMNS FOR MASS

Seek ye first the kingdom of God.

And his righteousness.

And all these things

shall be added on to you.

Allelu, Alleluia.

Ask and it shall be given unto you,

Seek and you shall find.

Knock and it shall be opened unto you.

Allelu, Alleluia.

Recessional:

Let's all join together

in communion sweet.

Walk, walk in the light.

And love one another till

the Saviour we meet,

Walk, walk in the light.

Walk, walk in the light

Walk, walk in the light

Walk, walk in the light.

Walk in the light of God.

Jesus died on Calvary,

Walk, walk in the light.

To save the lost like you and me.

Walk, walk in the light.

Walk, walk in the light.....



Planned Giving

The boxes of weekly envelopes are now ready.

You can collect your box from the back of the Church after Mass. If there is a box for any of your neighbours, you might drop it into them please. If you are taking a box for the first time, please do make sure to leave your contact details on the sheet provided alongside the number on the box you take.

If you would prefer to make a contribution through Standing Order, forms are available in the Church.

Sincere thanks to those who have already taken their box and who have helped with delivery.

Lent this year begins on Wed, February

14th. Ever wondered how this date is

decided? The simple answer is that it

depends on when Easter is. Easter follows

a lunar, rather than a solar, calendar and is

celebrated on the Sunday that follows the first full moon

after March 21, the vernal (spring) equinox. In 2024,

Easter falls on March 31st.

The season of Lent comprises 40 days before Easter

without counting Sundays which, even though they are

called "Sundays of Lent," are not days of penance. So 40

days, along with 6 Sundays, brings us to the date for Ash

Wednesday.

