

The CMC Times

The magazine of the Church of Ireland Parishes of
Castleknock and Mulhuddart with Clonsilla

July & August 2019

Congratulations and well done

Congratulations and well done to Gordon, George and Sydney (photo right) who recently completed the Costa Verde Cycle Challenge from Santander to Santiago in Northern Spain in aid of the Irish Hospice Foundation.



Nigerian Royalty in St. Mary's

More inside.



In this months issue:

It's summer time and so we have a double issue of the magazine. The July and August services are on page 4 and 5.

Our summer services continue in St. Thomas' Church, Mulhuddart with a service every Sunday evening at 7.00 p.m. from June to September. There will be a special service on Sunday 7th July at 7.00 p.m. to dedicate the new Columbarium Wall.



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Living your Confirmation

Dear Parishioners,

On Trinity Sunday, 16th June, we presented in church a confirmation certificate and a book to those who had been confirmed by the Archbishop on Palm Sunday. 11 young people and 1 adult were confirmed that day.

Along with their confirmation certificates, the young people were presented with a book with the challenging title 'Living your Confirmation' - Putting Promises into Action. The adult was also presented with a book, again with a challenge – 'Does Christ Matter?', an Anglican and Jesuit – in dialogue.

Confirmation does not mark the end of a journey, for we are on a constant journey as Christians. We will only reach our destination when we meet Christ face to face. If you are willing to trust in Jesus, to listen to his voice and to seek his leadership in your life, then it will never get dull.

Sometimes we will need to go back over things, we will need to re-learn old truths we have forgotten or strayed away from. But that is all part of the continuing journey. This is a challenge to all confirmed Christians!

What you can be certain of is that Christ promises to walk with us the whole way – he will never leave and never give up on us.

With best wishes,

Canon Paul



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**If any parishioners are unwell or due
to go into hospital, please let us know
so we can visit. Contact details above.**

Print Deadline

The next edition of The CMC
Times will be for **September
2019**.

The deadline for articles /
photos will be **Wednesday
14th August 2019**.

Wednesday Club



The Wednesday Club have had a busy couple of months with trips to Kilkenny and Skerries Mills to name two. A number of events have been scheduled for the next couple of months including a Trip to Hillsborough House and Gardens on Thursday 1st August. This trip will be a full day trip by bus. The plan is to leave Castleknock (St Brigid's Church) at 10.00 a.m.

The tour of the Castle, etc., is approx. €10 pp and the coach will cost approx. €16 pp depending on numbers.

It is planned to arrive in Hillsborough at around 12 noon which gives us time to wander around and have some refreshments before the tour, which has been provisionally booked for 2.30 p.m.

It is important that those wishing to go on this trip to let on of the committee know as soon as possible as full payment is required by 14th July.

On Saturday 31st August there is a BBQ planned, more details later.

On Wednesday 18th September, the Wednesday Club are heading to Naas Racecourse for a day at this races. The cost will be 40 euro, which will include Admission to the races, Racecard, Main course Meal, reserved table in the Panoramic Restaurant and seating for



the entire race day. Lunch will be at 2.30 p.m. and races finish at 7.00 p.m.

If you are interested in attending any of these events, please speak to one of the committee.

Services for July 2019

Sunday 7

The Third Sunday after Trinity (Proper 9)

St Brigid's Holy Communion 8.30 a.m. & Holy Communion 11.30 a.m.

St Mary's Holy Communion 10.00 a.m.

St Thomas' Evening Prayer 7.00 p.m.

Sunday 14

The Fourth Sunday after Trinity (Proper 10)

St Brigid's Holy Communion 8.30 a.m. & Morning Prayer 11.30 a.m.

St Mary's Morning Prayer 10.00 a.m.

St Thomas' Evening Prayer 7.00 p.m.

Sunday 21

The Fifth Sunday after Trinity (Proper 11)

St Brigid's Holy Communion 8.30 a.m. & Holy Communion 11.30 a.m.

St Mary's Holy Communion 10.00 a.m.

St Thomas' Evening Prayer 7.00 p.m.

Sunday 28

The Sixth Sunday after Trinity (Proper 12)

St Brigid's Holy Communion 8.30 a.m. & All Age Service 11.30 a.m.

St Mary's All Age Service 10.00 a.m.

St Thomas' Evening Prayer 7.00 p.m.

**Our regular Wednesday service of Holy Communion is held at
10.30 a.m. in Castleknock Parish Centre (CPC).**

Services for August 2019

Sunday 4

The Seventh Sunday after Trinity (Proper 13)

St Brigid's Holy Communion 8.30 a.m. & Holy Communion 11.30 a.m.

St Mary's Holy Communion 10.00 a.m.

St Thomas' Evening Prayer 7.00 p.m.

Sunday 11

The Eighth Sunday after Trinity (Proper 14)

St Brigid's Holy Communion 8.30 a.m. & Morning Prayer 11.30 a.m.

St Mary's Morning Prayer 10.00 a.m.

St Thomas' Evening Prayer 7.00 p.m.

Sunday 18

The Ninth Sunday after Trinity (Proper 15)

St Brigid's Holy Communion 8.30 a.m. & Holy Communion 11.30 a.m.

St Mary's Holy Communion 10.00 a.m.

St Thomas' Evening Prayer 7.00 p.m.

Sunday 25

The Tenth Sunday after Trinity (Proper 16)

St Brigid's Holy Communion 8.30 a.m. & All Age Service 11.30 a.m.

St Mary's All Age Service 10.00 a.m.

St Thomas' Evening Prayer 7.00 p.m.

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What's happening in our Parish

Dedication Service in St. Thomas'

On Sunday 7th July at 7.00 p.m. there will be a Dedication Service for the new Columbarium Wall. The Columbarium Wall was recently erected in the grounds of St.



Thomas' Church and spaces can now be purchased in the wall.

The Parish is also in a position to offer burial spaces in St. Thomas' Churchyard Mulhuddart, for purchase in advance.

If you would like more information on this, and the terms and conditions, please contact the Parish office.

Canon Paul



Royal Visit in St. Mary's

On Sunday 23rd June, St. Mary's Church, Clonsilla had the pleasure to welcome royalty from Nigeria. His Imperial Majesty, The Ooni of Ife, King Adeyeye Enitan Ogunwusi, Ojaja II, is a Nigerian monarch.

He is the traditional ruler, or Ooni, of the Yoruba kingdom of Ile-Ife in the south west of Nigeria. He has held his title since 2015. He was here on a week long trip to Ireland.



Hospital Visiting

I would appreciate it if families could let me know if a member goes into hospital. I may not hear otherwise, as we may not be contacted by Chaplains to Hospitals.

Many thanks,

Canon Paul.

Holy Baptism

On 16th June in St. Brigid's Church, Frederick Martin Elmes was welcomed into our faith family. Our best wishes go to him, his parents, godparents and family circle.



"I downloaded them from a cloud."

More News

'Honesty Without Fear'

Joint Clergy Retreat Builds Bonds Between Jerusalem and Dublin & Glendalough

The bonds of friendship, trust and solidarity between the Dioceses of Dublin & Glendalough and the Diocese of Jerusalem have been strengthened during a joint clergy retreat from 4th – 7th June. Twelve clergy from Jerusalem joined 12 clergy from these Dioceses, including our own Canon Paul, for the retreat which took place in the Emmaus Centre in Swords. Both Archbishops also joined the retreat.

The participants explored the challenges and joys of ministry. They discovered similarities and common ground despite their vastly differing contexts and very quickly were able, as one participant from Jerusalem put it, "be honest without fear". They recognised that they were united in the body of Christ and pledged to pray for each other as they celebrate Pentecost this Sunday.

The retreat will be in two parts with the second part taking place in St George's Cathedral Guesthouse in Jerusalem in November 2020. It is part of the five year link between the dioceses of Dublin & Glendalough and Jerusalem.



A Prayer for Sanctuary Sunday

Sanctuary Sunday was on 23rd June 2019, marking the end of World Refugee Week. Archbishop Michael Jackson has written this prayer to mark that day.



God of refuge and sanctuary we ask that you will fill our hearts with love of you and love of neighbour and stranger.

You are the God of mercy, of kindness and of humility and through the Movement of Sanctuary your Holy Spirit inspires your people to give fresh voice and fresh legs to the Hebrew and the Christian Scriptures.

Give us the grace to receive the riches and the goodness, the creativity and the capacity, that those who are refugees bring to their place of arrival and their new home.

We ask this in the power of the Holy Trinity.

Amen

Summer time in **St. Thomas'**

The summer schedule of services
in St. Thomas' Church,
Mulhuddart
(Opp. Hollystown Golf Club)
will continue on
Sundays at 7.00 p.m.

All Welcome





CHURCH FLOWERS

Would you like to have flowers in Church in memory of a loved one or to remember an anniversary, a wedding, a baptism, to celebrate a special event or for no particular reason.

The flowers can be an arrangement, fresh flowers in a vase or a pot plant.

It does not have to be expensive

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