



# St Peter's Church, Phibsborough

## Parish Newsletter

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time: 3 November 2024

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### Sunday, 3 November

*St Malachy, bishop is not celebrated this year*

#### NOVEMBER LIST

Con Lenehan (BR)  
Sean Lenehan (1st A)  
Lucy Cahill (2nd A)  
Margaret, Dolly & Tommy O'Malley (A)  
John Freeman (A)  
Qarraj Family (D)  
Michael & Larry O'Sullivan (D)  
John & Kathleen Maughan (D)

#### Monday, 4 November

*St Charles Borromeo, bishop*

#### NOVEMBER LIST

John & Kathleen Maughan (D)

#### Tuesday, 5 November

*St Martin de Porres, religious*

#### NOVEMBER LIST

John & Kathleen Maughan (D)

#### Wednesday, 6 November

*Bl. Fortunato Velasco Tobar, Vicente Queralt Lloret, José Fernández Sánchez, priest, Melchora Adoración Cortés Bueno, Josefa Martínez Pérez, virg. & Companions, martyrs & All the Saints of Ireland*

#### NOVEMBER LIST

Michael Foley (MM)

#### Thursday, 7 November

*St Willibrord, bishop & missionary*

#### NOVEMBER LIST

Susan & Patrick Hehir (A)

#### Friday, 8 November

Suzanne Miller (SI)

#### NOVEMBER LIST

Kathleen, John & David Cullen (D)

#### Saturday, 9 November

*The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica*

Marion Grehan (Thanksgiving)

#### NOVEMBER LIST

Eddie Lawrence (BR)  
Brian Lawrence (5th A)

## In Loving Memory

On Saturday, 2nd November 2024 at 6.30pm you are invited to join us for our Annual Mass of Remembrance when we pray for our loved ones who have died during the year

*Jimmie McCauley  
Joseph Williamson  
Marie Mills  
Ettie Gorman  
Rory Larkin  
Dermot Byrne  
Rose Kelleher  
Brendan Neville  
Jean Barron  
Sheila Dunne  
Maureen Dalton  
Martin Ryan  
Pablo Silva  
Thomas Abbey  
Kay McCabe*

*Jack Corbett  
Carmel Strickland  
Noel Kelleher  
Melissa Ryan  
Marie Connaughton  
Paddy Forbes  
Eithne Scott  
Sheila O'Neill  
Mary Mitchell  
Maureen Connell  
Joan Wylde  
Jimmy Hannon  
Rosaleen Kelly  
Willie King  
Rose McCabe  
Brian Duffy  
Mairead Spellman  
Michael Montague  
Hilary Smith  
Michael Foley  
Mary Neville*

### DAILY PRAYER FOR THE SOULS OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

Absolve, we beseech you Lord, the souls of the faithful departed, our brothers and sisters who have died. Grant that, being dead to this world, they may live to you and whatever sins they committed in this life through human weakness, we ask you to forgive, through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## LITURGICAL READINGS FOR: Sunday, 3 November 2024

### FIRST READING

A reading from the Book of Deuteronomy

Moses said to the people:

If you fear the Lord your God all the days of your life and if you keep all his laws and commandments which I lay on you, you will have a long life, you and your son and your grandson.

Listen then, Israel, keep and observe what will make you prosper and give you great increase, as the Lord God of your fathers has promised you, giving you a land where milk and honey flow.

Listen, Israel: The Lord our God is the one Lord. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength. Let these words I urge on you today be written on your heart.

The Word of the Lord.

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Response: I love you, Lord, my strength.

### SECOND READING

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

There used to be a great number of priests under the former covenant, because death put an end to each one of them; but this one, Christ, because he remains for ever, can never lose his priesthood.

It follows then, that his power to save is utterly certain, since he is living for ever to intercede for all who come to God through him.

To suit us, the ideal high priest would have to be holy, innocent and uncontaminated, beyond the influence of sinners, and raised up above the heavens; one who would not need to offer sacrifices every day, as the other high priests do for their own sins and then for those of the people, because he has done this

once and for all by offering himself. The Law appoints high priests who are men subject to weakness; but the promise on oath, which came after the Law, appointed the Son who is made perfect for ever.

The Word of the Lord.

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

Your words are spirit, Lord,  
and they are life:

you have the message of eternal life.

Alleluia!

### GOSPEL

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

One of the scribes came up to Jesus and put a question to him, *'Which is the first of all the commandments?'*

Jesus replied,

*'This is the first:*

*Listen, Israel, the Lord our God is the one Lord, and you must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind and with all your strength.*

The second is this:

*You must love your neighbour as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these.'*

The scribe said to him,

*'Well spoken, Master; what you have said is true: that he is one and there is no other.*

*To love with all your heart, with all your understanding and strength and to love your neighbour as yourself, this is far more important than any holocaust or sacrifice.'*

Jesus, seeing how wisely he had spoken said, *'You are not far from the kingdom of God.'*

And after that no one dared to question him any more.

The Gospel of the Lord.

### IN LOVING MEMORY

Please remember in your prayers all those who died recently especially Sr Angela Garahy DC, Dympna O'Gorman, Margaret Hempenstall, David Murphy, Olive McConville (née Regan, Fr Pdraig's sister), Mary Connolly (née Farrell, Fr Sean's sister), Michael Flanagan & Linda Burke (née Flanagan, Fr Eamon's brother & sister).

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. **Amen.**

### COLLECTIONS - Sun 20 Oct

Parish (1st Collection, incl. Online) = €1,189.85

Envelopes (Online/Payzone) = € 874.90

Share (2nd Collection) = € 272.77

Thank you for your support to the parish and to the Diocese.

### SVP COLLECTION

St Peter's Conference of the Society of St Vincent de Paul will have their monthly collection at all Masses next weekend, 9th/10th November.

### FAITH DEVELOPMENT, FAITH DEEPENING...

... Sacramental preparation for children and their parents/guardians preparing for First Holy Communion, Sunday next 10th November at 9.10am in the Church.

### RCIA PROGRAMME...

... for adults preparing to receive the Sacraments for the first time, Sundays 9.00am in the Frank Duff Room (entrance via the Sacristy corridor).