

PARISH TEAM

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Daily Mass

9.15am

Followed by the Rosary

Adoration

Every Saturday

10.30am-12 noon

Confessions

Every Saturday at 10.30am in the Prayer Room. Or in Presbytery by request.

MASS INTENTIONS	26TH SEPT. - 4TH OCT.
Saturday 26th Sept	Nancy O'Connell 90th Birthday
Sunday 27th Sept	Parish Intentions
Monday 28th	Special Intentions
Tuesday 29th	Karl Weafer Recently Deceased
Wednesday 30th	Catherine Gregory Recently Deceased
Thursday 1st Oct	John Kilgannon Recently Deceased
Friday 2nd	Altar List of the Deceased
Saturday 3rd Oct.	Edward Brannigan Anniversary
Sunday 4th Oct.	Andrew Clancy 1st Anniversary

WE ARE OPEN!



Our church is open from 8am—8pm daily for private prayer.



Our new parish web site is now up and running and can be viewed at

<https://sruleenparish.com>



Friday 2nd is the

first Friday where all on our sick housebound list will be visited. If you know of any parishioner in hospital, at home or in a nursing home that may like a visit, please let one of us know. Thank you.



We welcome into our Christian Community the following children who were recently baptised: ~~Reece Dunne Magee~~ and Archie Andrew Coates

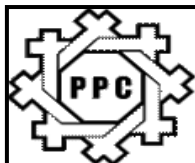
Polish Interpretation of this week's Gospel

Czasami obwiniamy Boga za nasze decyzje, za konsekwencje naszych działań, bo tak jest nam po prostu najwygodniej. Ale czy nie mamy wolnej woli, i nie możemy podejmować decyzji, jakich tylko chcemy? Musimy wziąć odpowiedzialność za nasze decyzje i czyny, i zrozumieć, że każda decyzja będzie miała swoje konsekwencje, albo w naszym życiu albo życiu innych. Ale nie bójmy się, bo Pan jest zawsze z nami i jego serce jest pełne miłosierdzia.

Sometimes we blame God for our decisions, for the consequences of our actions, because that is simply the easiest way for us. But don't we have free will, and can't we make whatever decisions we want? We must take responsibility for our decisions and actions, and understand that each of them will have consequences, either in our own lives or in the lives of others. But let us not be afraid, because the Lord is always with us and his heart is full of mercy.



CONGRATULATIONS to the boys and girls of the 2020 Sixth classes of our Sacred Heart School, Sruleen on receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation this past week. Due to Covid-19 restrictions the administration of the sacrament needed to be revamped. I am very pleased to say that the liturgies were very dignified, well-respected and prayerful. My profound thanks to all involved in the preparation of the children at the school, and to the Greeters, Ushers, Sacristan, and Musician who facilitated the seamless flow of the ceremonies each night. We wish all the boys and girls the best of luck in their new Secondary schools in the years ahead.



The current covid-19 landscape has provided additional challenges in how we are able to share as a praying community, notwithstanding its pastoral accompaniment and outreach. Consequently, the Parish Pastoral Council has decided to purchase a Webcam for our church, our worship space. Therefore, details and arrangements are being actively pursued with an appropriate company. At the moment, we cannot provide a definite time and date for its introduction. Obviously, we would wish it to be as soon as possible.



→ With the re-imposition of lockdown status in the county of Dublin, the recent, designated weekend of the Second Collection during Masses for Crosscare was unable to take place. Alternatively, envelopes are available on the small tables inside the entrance to our church. Crosscare, the social justice outreach arm to the church of the Archdiocese of Dublin responds to the needs of many marginalized and disenfranchised individuals both young and not so young among us.

At this time in particular, your help would be profoundly appreciated.

Envelopes may be put into the Presbytery mail box.

WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES 2020

The Church has been celebrating the World Day of Migrants and Refugees (WDMR) since 1914. For 2020, Pope Francis has chosen the theme "Forced like Jesus Christ to flee", with a focus on the need for the pastoral care of internally displaced persons. This year's World Day of Migrants and Refugees will be marked today, Sunday 27th September. Message of Pope Francis for the 106th World Day of Migrants and Refugees In his message the Holy Father says: "Displaced people offer us this opportunity to meet the Lord, "even though our eyes find it hard to recognize him: his clothing in tatters, his feet dirty, his face disfigured, his body wounded, his tongue unable to speak our language"" (Homily, 15 February 2019).

We are called to respond to this pastoral challenge with the four verbs:-

welcome, protect, promote and integrate.

The Lighter Side !

The cowboy lay sprawled across three entire seats in the posh Amarillo theatre. When the usher came by and noticed this he whispered to the cowboy, "Sorry, sir, but you're only allowed one seat." The cowboy groaned but didn't budge. The usher became more impatient. "Sir, if you don't get up from there, I'm going to have to call the manager. The cowboy just groaned. The usher marched briskly back up the aisle. In a moment he returned with the manager. Together the two of them tried repeatedly to move the cowboy, but with no success. Finally, they summoned the police. The cop surveyed the situation briefly then asked, "All right buddy, what's your name?" "Sam," the cowboy moaned. "Where ya from, Sam?" With pain in his voice Sam replied....

"The balcony."

