



# SACRED HEART PARISH



## PARISH TEAM

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### Daily Mass

**9.15am**

*Followed by the Rosary*

### Adoration

**Every Saturday**

**10.30am-12noon**

### Confessions

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

MASS INTENTIONS	4TH DEC. - 12TH DEC.
<b>Saturday 4th Dec. 6.30pm</b>	<b>Patrick &amp; Fiona Redmond Annivs.</b>
<b>Sunday 5th Dec. 10.30am 12 Noon</b>	<b>Margaret Butler Anniversary Eddie Costello Anniversary</b>
<b>Monday 6th</b>	<b>Mary St. Ledger Recently Deceased</b>
<b>Tuesday 7th</b>	<b>Thanksgiving Mass for the Benefactors of St. Damien Mission Group</b>
<b>Wednesday 8th 10AM</b>	<b>Sr. Marie Lyons Recently Deceased</b>
<b>Thursday 9th</b>	<b>Jeanie Browne Recently Deceased</b>
<b>Friday 10th</b>	<b>Sr. Ursula Sharpe Best Wishes</b>
<b>Saturday 11th Dec. 10.00 am 6.30pm</b>	<b>Nora Shanahan Recently Deceased Elias Kelly 11th Anniversary</b>
<b>Sunday 12th Dec. 10.30 am 12 Noon</b>	<b>Christy &amp; Kathleen Murrey Annivs. Kevin O'Brien Anniversary</b>



## Join us online for Mass

**Weekdays @ 9.15 am**

**Saturday @ 10.00 am**

**Vigil Mass @ 6.30 pm**

**Sunday @ 10.30 am**

**& 12 Noon**

**<https://sruleenparish.com>**

**<https://churchservices.tv/sruleen>**

### Ministers 11th/12th Dec.

**6.30pm (W) Joe Moon  
(E) Phyllis Finn**

**10.30am (W) Ann McWeeney  
(E) David Martin**

**12 Noon (W) Hugh O'Neill  
(E) Maisie McDonald**

### Polish Reflection on this week's Gospel

The silence around us can feel uncomfortable. After all, we live in a very loud and noisy world. Some of us may even fear silence because it brings about uneasy feelings and memories. We may also think that we are wasting time sitting in silence and doing nothing concrete.

The word of God came to John in the wilderness. And so began John's life mission. Often, to hear God's voice, we must enter the mystery of silence, like John in the desert. Let us meet the Lord in the silence of our hearts and let him take us on another journey!

Cisza wokół nas może być niekomfortowa. W końcu żyjemy w bardzo głośnym i hałaśliwym świecie. Niektórzy z nas mogą nawet bać się ciszy, ponieważ niesie ze sobą smutne uczucia i wspomnienia. Może nam się wydawać także, że marnujemy czas siedząc w ciszy i nie robiąc nic konkretnego.

Pan Bóg przemówił do Jana na pustyni. I tak rozpoczęła się jego życiowa misja. Często, by usłyszeć głos Boga, musimy wejść w tajemnicę ciszy, jak Jan na pustyni. Spotkajmy Pana w ciszy naszych serc i pozwólmy mu by zabrał nas w kolejną podróż!



Congratulations to the parents, family and friends of  
Harry Lar Grogan and Alexandra Maria O'Reilly  
all who were recently baptised into our Christian community.

**Weekly Church Collection:**

**1st €270 - 2nd €180 - Weekly Parish Envelope €610**

*Thank You*



**Diary Date**

***Wednesday, 15th December at 7.30 pm***

**Service of Reconciliation** (via Webcam and in Church).

**Please note:** There will be no individual administration of the  
Sacrament of Reconciliation.



**Sruteen Christmas Cards** will be on sale after all Masses this  
weekend. 7-Card pack for €5 .

The Advent Pack will be delivered to houses very soon. The Pack will contain a  
Parish-themed Calendar, an Advent Letter with our Christmas Mass schedule on  
the reverse side, and a Christmas donation envelope.



**Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin  
Mary Wednesday, 8 December. Mass will be at 10.00am**



The Pastoral Council will meet on Monday the 6th December 7.30pm  
in the Parish Centre. Please continue to keep us all in your prayers,  
as we continue to discern the needs of our parish community.



**Pope Francis Tweets!**

**Our life becomes beautiful when we wait for a dear one or someone  
important. May this advent help us transform our hope into the  
certainty that He whom we await loves us and will never abandon us.**

**The Lighter Side !**

**A little boy wants a bike for Christmas really badly, but the kid is a real bad seed, and  
he knows it. He writes a letter to Jesus. "Dear Jesus, if I get a bike for Christmas, I'll  
be good for a whole week." He thinks about it, crosses out what he wrote, and says,  
"I can't be good for a whole week, I'll be good for five days." He crosses that out and  
writes, "I'll be good for four days." Then he thinks again and says, "Can't do that." He  
gets down to one day and says, "I can't even be good for a day." Then in frustration,  
goes in his mother's room and get the statue of the Virgin Mary, wraps it  
up in a blanket, puts it in a paper bag, throws it in the closet and says,  
"Dear Jesus, if I don't get a bike for Christmas, you'll never see your  
mother again!"**

