

## PARISH TEAM

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# SACRED HEART PARISH



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### Mass

Tues, Thurs, & Fri. 9.15am  
Wednesday at 10.00am  
Followed by the Rosary

### Adoration

Every Saturday  
10.30am-12noon

### Confessions

Every Saturday at 10.30am  
in the Prayer Room.

<b>MASS INTENTIONS</b>	<b>3RD FEB. - 11TH FEB.</b>		<b><u>MASS TIMES</u></b>
Sat. 3rd Feb. 6.30pm	Jack Finlay	B/day Rememb.	Tuesday, Thursday and Friday @ 9.15am Wednesday @ 10.00am
Sunday 4th Feb. 11am	Liam Kiernan	1st Anniversary	
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>NO MORNING MASS</b>		Saturday @ 10.00 am
Tuesday	Martin Lynch	Anniversary	Vigil Mass @ 6.30 pm
<b>WEDNESDAY 10am</b>	John McBrien	Anniversary	Sunday @ 11.00 sm
Thursday	Telia Dawson	Recently Deceased	 <b>JOIN US ONLINE</b>
Friday	Lucy Boniface	Anniversary	→ <a href="https://sruleenparish.com">https://sruleenparish.com</a>
Saturday 10th Feb. 10am	Colm O'Brien	Recently Deceased	<a href="https://churchservices.tv/sruleen">https://churchservices.tv/sruleen</a>
Vigil 6.30pm	Kevin Heffernan	1st Anniversary	
Sunday 11th Feb. 11am	Jane Maloney	Anniversary	

### Weekly Church Collection

1st Envelope €190 : 2nd Envelope €105  
Parish Upkeep Envelope €675



As always, thank you for your prayer, and financial donations. Much appreciated!!



10th/11th  
February

6.30pm (W) Declan Hanley (E) Mary McCoy  
11.00am (W) Liam Balfe (E) Teresa Kelly

**PLEASE TURN OFF ALL MOBILE PHONES OR PLACE THEM ON SILENT  
BEFORE MASS BEGINS. THANK YOU.**



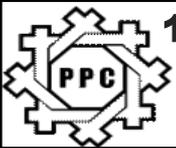
**PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING CORRECTIONS:**  
**Friday, 15th March, celebration of the Sacrament of confirmation at 11am and 1pm respectively.**  
Parish Pastoral Council Meeting, **Wednesday, 7th February,** in the Parish Centre at 7.30pm.



Preparations for the Season of Lent are currently taking place. Among the prayers we celebrate during this time is the Stations of the Cross on each Friday morning immediately after Mass, with one exception on Good Friday. The following is the schedule for the different groups, ministries involved:

Friday, 17th February, Visitation; Friday 23rd February, Lectors; Friday, 1st March, Rosary; Friday, 8th March, SS.CC Secular Branch; Friday, 22nd March, 'women's group'; *Friday, 29th March, St. Damien Mission Group, 7.30pm.*

**Friday, 16 February, closing date for receipt of Baptism Certificates for first Holy Communion and Confirmation students of our Second Classes and Sixth Classes who were not baptised here at Sacred Heart Church Sruleen.**



**17th February, Training Session for those members of our PPC who are currently involved on the council of the new Parish Partnership.**



Let us remember Fr. Michael who has been spending this week leading some of our new novices on Retreat at the commencement of their Spiritual year in Hemet, California, a place very close to my own heart!

### **The Lighter Side !**

The only survivor of a shipwreck was washed up on a small, uninhabited island. He prayed feverishly for God to rescue him. Every day he scanned the horizon for help, but none seemed forthcoming. Exhausted, he eventually managed to build a little hut out of driftwood to protect him from the elements, and to store his few possessions. One day, after scavenging for food, he arrived home to find his little hut in flames, with smoke rolling up to the sky. He felt the worst had happened, and everything was lost. He was stunned with disbelief, grief, and anger. He cried out, "God! How could you do this to me?" Early the next day, he was awakened by the sound of a ship approaching the island! It had come to rescue him! "How did you know I was here?" asked the weary man of his rescuers.

"We saw your smoke signal," they replied.

**The Moral of This Story:** It's easy to get discouraged when things are going bad, but we shouldn't lose heart, because God is at work in our lives, even in the midst of our pain and suffering. Remember that the next time your little hut seems to be burning to the ground. It just may be a smoke signal that summons the Grace of God.