



ST. GABRIEL'S NOTES

25th August 2024



A Wonderful Occasion

There was a wonderful turnout last Sunday for the blessing of our new Grotto and Statue, and also the previous Thursday, Feast of the Assumption, for the installation. Even the fox came by - well done to the man who was quick enough to get that photo below !



The Irish Catholic has given us a full page coverage with more great pictures. We got in some copies and they are on sale after Mass in our shop.

The Communications office for the Dublin Diocese send an email to every parish every week and they have given us great cover this week as well.

The Catholic Communications office in Maynooth, which serves the Irish Bishops' Conference, send out the *Sharing the Good News Ezine* - a newsletter by email - every week around all of Ireland, and this week we are one of their featured items. If you would like to receive this ezine every week by email, the link is <https://catholicnews.ie/newsletter/>



Good Luck Ellen

All our good wishes go with parishioner **Ellen Keane** who is in Paris preparing for her fifth and final Paralympic Games which open in Paris next Thursday.

Ellen will be competing in the 100m Breaststroke (where she won gold in Tokyo!) on Saturday 30th August. Her heat is at 10.32 and the final at 19.21

On Tuesday 3rd September she will swim in the 100m Backstroke. Her heat is at 8.45 and the final at 16.44