

ST. GABRIEL'S NOTES

11th December 2016



The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will hold their annual appeal in the Church this weekend. It will replace the usual Share collection.



TOY SUNDAY

On Sunday 18th December we invite children to bring a NEW toy to Mass to be given to a needy family

Sacrament of Baptism

Last week we welcomed into our Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism:

Tergel Gantulga
George Kendrick



Decorate our Christmas Trees

Help us to decorate our Christmas Trees with prayers - Cards are available at our two Christmas trees. All intentions on the tress will be included in our Christmas Masses.



Rest in Peace

We extend our sincere sympathy to the family and friends of **Patricia Murphy**, Dollymount Avenue, whose funeral took place here on Thursday. May she rest in peace.



Advent in Manresa

Prayer Evenings 7.30 – 9pm

Tuesdays 6th, 13th & 20th Dec.

Prepare for Christmas through sessions of guided prayer in Manresa. These evenings create 'sacred spaces' for you to open your heart to the Word of God, helping you to prepare to celebrate God's great love for us.

Families with Children Preparing for Christmas Sat. 17th Dec. 3-5pm

An afternoon for Grandparents / Parents, and children to come together for carol-singing, storytelling, reflections – and a party! See www.manresa.ie or phone 01-8331352

St. Gabriel's Parish Centre will be open from 7pm—8.30pm every evening from Christmas Eve until New Year's Day.

All welcome to drop in for a warm cuppa and a friendly chat — and invite someone who's on their own to come with you