ST. GABRIEL'S NOTES

19th February 2017



A Big Thank You...

to all who made the Diocesan World Day of the Sick Celebration so special.

So many people were involved from the preparation for the event to the celebration of the Mass that it would be invidious to mention anyone.

Last Sunday saw our Parish Community at its best - young and old making sure that every need of the sick was catered for. So many people came up to me to say how special it was for them especially to see our young people caring for the sick and invalided. May we in St. Gabriel's continue to care for the sick and those in need of our help.

Some copies of "I am with You", the prayer book specially compiled for World Day of the Sick, are still available in the Gathering Area. Please take one.

Again many thanks to all involved in last Sunday's celebration.

God bless and reward you,

Fr. Pat

Bishop Ray Field will return on Sunday 12th March to celebrate the 10.30am Mass. He will unveil the plaque commemorating the World Day of the Sick and thank all involved.



Rest in Peace



We extend our sincere sympathy to the family and friends of

Clodagh Bacon, Park Lawn, Thomas Gallagher, Seafield Road, and Irene O'Sullivan,

Mount Prospect Avenue, whose funerals took place here last week. May Clodagh, Thomas and Irene rest in peace.

Lighten your Heart!

Many people have told us that after our Taize Prayer Nights in St Gabriel's they have felt spiritually uplifted and lighter in heart - so much so that we have changed its name to . . . Lighten your Heart!



Do come along **Next Thursday** to see what they mean — An hour of prayer, song, joy and peace Thursday 23rd February 8 - 9 pm.

Annual Collection for ACCORD

The Second collection today is the annual collection for ACCORD, the Diocesan agency for Marriage and the Family. It replaces the usual Share collection and they request your usual great generosity.