



Rest in Peace

It was with great sadness that we learnt of the death of **Patricia O'Donoghue**, Principal of Belgrove Infant Girls' School up until her retirement just the week before Christmas.

We offer our sincere sympathies to Patricia's husband and family and to the staff, parents, pupils and past pupils of Belgrove Girls Infant School.

No arrangements are yet available as we go to print. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a h-anam dílis



Choose Life 2018

Starting today, the Catholic Communications Office in Maynooth will produce a weekly newsletter *Choose Life 2018* to promote the Church's position on unborn human life and encourage family discussions on this important subject. The newsletter will be available each week for download at

www.dublindiocese.ie/choose-life-2018

and we will also have printed copies available in the Gathering Area. Issue No. 1 is available there today (*the lilac sheet*).

Prayer for When the Knees Don't Work

Take my hand, O Blessed Mother
Hold it firmly lest I fall,
For I'm nervous when I'm walking
So today I humbly call.
Guide me over every crossing,
Watch me while I'm on the stairs,
Help me in my undertakings,
Lessen many of my cares.
And when evening comes upon me
And I fear to be alone
Once again, O Blessed Mother,
Take my hand and lead me home.

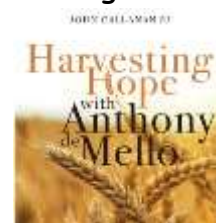
This week we are pleased to welcome

Fr. John Callanan S.J.

from St. John's Parish, who will speak at the 6pm Sunday Mass on

Praying with our Young People

Fr. John worked for many years as Chaplain to the students of UCD. He is also an authority on the teachings and writings of Fr. Anthony de Mello SJ and his recent book on Fr. De Mello "*Harvesting Hope*" is available in our book shop after Mass



World Day of the Sick 2018 Sunday 11th February

A Special Mass with Blessing of the Sick for our Three Parishes will be held in St Anthony's Church next Sunday, 11th February at 11.30am. All are welcome.



The Dublin Diocesan Celebration of World Day of the Sick, Mass of Healing and Anointing of the Sick, will be held in St. Agnes' Church, Crumlin on next Sunday at 3pm (Remember last year!) A revised edition of the World Day of the Sick Prayer Book "I Am With You" is now available in our book shop, price €2.

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