



ST. GABRIEL'S NOTES

14th October 2018



Welcome!

This Sunday we are Delighted to extend a warm welcome to those who are celebrating significant Wedding Anniversaries in 2018, and their families, to our Special Mass of Thanksgiving with Renewal of Marriage Vows at the 10.30 Mass.



Please join them for Refreshments in the Gathering Area after Mass

Two New Saints



Today we celebrate the canonisation in Rome, by Pope Francis, of Pope Paul VI and Bishop Oscar Romero.

Pope Paul took over the Vatican Council after the death of Pope John XXIII, and is mostly known for the publication of *Humanae Vitae*. The two miracles attributed to Pope Paul, which allowed for his canonisation, involved the healing of unborn children.

Oscar Romero, Archbishop of San Salvador, was shot and killed while celebrating Mass during El Salvador's civil war in 1980. He was an outspoken critic of the violence and injustices being committed in his country at that time.

Parish Altar List of the Dead

Lists and envelopes for the new Parish Altar List of the Dead are now available in the Gathering Area. The year begins on November 1st, feast of All Saints, and a Holy Day. All Masses that day and the following day, Feast of All Souls, are offered for those whose names are on the new list. After that, one Mass every weekend is offered for the Altar List

Annual Mass for all our Loved Ones who died since last November

Invitations are being prepared for all those whose loved ones' funerals took place here in St. Gabriel's since last November, to join us for a Special Celebration in their memory on Sunday 4th November at 10.30.

You might like to make a note of the date and come to support the families of those friends and neighbours who are being remembered.

Refreshments will be served in Tabgha after the Mass

Thank You!

The local Conference of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul gratefully acknowledges a very generous €1,775 received in last weekend's Church gate collection.

Sacrament of Baptism

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

Joseph John Flanagan

