



ST. GABRIEL'S NOTES

4th November 2018

Remembering

We welcome to the 10.30 Mass today all those whose loved ones' funerals took place here in St. Gabriel's over the past twelve months.

We offer our sincerest condolences and invite everyone to join us for a cup of tea in the Gathering Area of

Church after Mass. It's a lovely opportunity to catch up with old friends and neighbours and reminisce about those of our loved ones who are gone.

Parish Altar List of the Dead

Forms & envelopes for the new Parish Altar List of the Dead are available in the Gathering Area

Do This in Memory

Our next Mass in preparation for First Holy Communion will be at 6pm next Sunday, 11th Nov

A meeting of parents to prepare the Mass will be held in the Church Conference Room on Wednesday at 8pm (Entrance on Dollymount Park).



Rest in Peace

We offer our sincere sympathies to the family and friends of **Joe Dobbs**, Mt. Prospect Avenue, whose funeral took place here on Thursday, and **Suzanne Walsh**, late of Mt. Prospect Drive, whose funeral was on Saturday.



May Joe and Suzanne rest in peace.



Light a Candle for your Loved One who has died at the Cross in front of the Sacred Head Altar

Bereavement Support

Bethany Bereavement Support is a national volunteer-led organisation which aims to help and support bereaved adults. All members have been bereaved, and have been trained to provide a confidential and compassionate listening presence to those bereaved.

Clontarf Bethany group offers the following:

- (1) A drop-in group on the 3rd Saturday of each month at 10.30am in St. John's Parish Centre on Clontarf Rd.
- (2) Visiting the bereaved in their own homes if they wish
- (3) Assisting at the annual November remembrance services
- (4) Hosting an annual talk on bereavement. This year's talk will be given by Bríd Carroll, an experienced bereavement counsellor, on Thursday 22 November at 7.30pm in St John's Parish Centre at 7.30pm. The talk is entitled 'Grieving the Loss of a Loved One'.

If you feel you would like to volunteer with Bethany, the next information session is being held in St John the Baptist, Parish Centre on Saturday 1st December at 11am. For further details contact Bernadette on 087 6445309.

Leaflets produced by the Bethany Bereavement Support group are available in the Gathering Area