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 Sat
 5.00 pm
 Sat
 5.30 pm (Family)

 Sun
 10.30 am
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 10.00 am (Family)
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 6.00 pm (Youth Mass)
 12.00 noon
 11.30 am



Sunday 3rd January

Sat. 5pm

† Patrick (Andy) Murphy & decd. members of the Murphy family Sun 10.30

† Jean Flanagan (1stA) Sun 6pm

† Altar List of the Dead

Mon. 10.30 Mass for the Sick Tues.10.30

† Eleanor Macken Month's Mind

FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY

Wed.10.30

† Frank Foley (1stA)

† Jean Flanagan (1stA)

Wed. 6.30

† Jack, Joe & John Leehane

Thur.10.30

† Jean Nolan (A)

Fri.10.30

Sat. 10.30

Sunday 10th January

Sat. 5pm

† Tony Hempenstall 5th Anniv. Sun 10.30

- † Breda O'Toole 1st Anniv.
- † Frank McGarry 1st Anniv.
- † Nuala Harvey 4th Anniv. Sun 6pm
- † Altar List of the Dead

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Rest in Peace

We offer our sincere sympathies to the families and friends of **Tom Devine**, Donaghmede & formerly Mt. Prospect Ave., whose funeral took place here on Wednesday, and **May Ennis**, Mt. Proespect Ave. and formerly Dollymount Grove, whose funeral took place here on Thursday.



May Tom and May rest in Peace.

BeannaCht — A New Year Blessing by John O'Donohue

On the day when the weight deadens on your shoulders and you stumble, may the clay dance to balance you.

And when your eyes freeze behind the grey window and the ghost of loss gets into you, may a flock of colours, indigo, red, green and azure blue, come to awaken in you a meadow of delight.

When the canvas frays in the currach of thought and a stain of ocean blackens beneath you, may there come across the waters a path of yellow moonlight to bring you safely home.

May the nourishment of the earth be yours, may the clarity of light be yours, may the fluency of the ocean be yours, may the protection of the ancestors be yours.

And so may a slow wind work these words of love around you, an invisible cloak to mind your life.

Wed. 6th January Feast of the Epiphany



Wednesday is the feast of the Epiphany, when the three Wise Men came from the East to visit the baby Jesus, manifesting that He had come to save all peoples of the world. Their gifts also had significance: Gold for a King, Frankincense was burned in the temple to worship God and was a sign

that Jesus was to be worshipped. Myrrh was used to anoint dead bodies and foretold his suffering and death.

The obligation to attend Mass on Holy Days and Sunday is suspended, but we have an extra Mass on Wednesday at 6.30pm which you may like to follow on webcam.