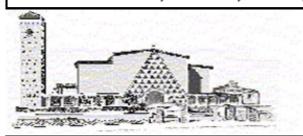
CHURCH OF OUR LADY MOTHER OF DIVINE GRACE, Raheny

19th October 2008 - Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Cycle A Week 2

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The Holy Rosary Missionaries, **Killeshandra Sisters** wish to thank all parishioners who generously give to their recent church collection. The amount contributed was €2,244.32. Your contribution, support and generosity to their apostolates at home and overseas make it possible to continue and expand their Missionary work.

There will be a **free film show** in the Conference Room (above the Candle Room) in Raheny Church on Thursday 23rd October at 3pm and 7pm. This film deals with the *miraculous cures in the Urkraine* in 2004. All are welcome and do bring a friend.

Congrulations to **Jennifer Cronin** and **Garry Byrne** who were married recently in our church. May they have many years of happiness together.

Are you a Quiz Whizz? If so, sign up to host a Quiz-ZA-Thon during the month of November 2008 and help raise funds for **The National Children's Hospital**, Tallaght. We will send you out everything you need to run your very own Quiz-ZA-Thon including quiz questions, answer sheets, posters, balloons, a quizmasters t-shirt and more. You can sign up today by calling 01-4142375 or email quiz@thenationalchidrenshospital.ie

Thank you to parishioners who contributed to last weeks SHARE collection which totalled €1820.

Pope John Paul II proposed the Rosary as an effective weapon against the evils now afflicting society: "Today we are facing new challenges. Why should we not once more have recourse to the Rosary with the same faith as those who have gone before us?. Today I entrust to the power of this prayer the CAUSE of PEACE and the CAUSE of the FAMILY". The Rosary is by its nature a Prayer of Peace: it consists in the contemplation of Christ, the Prince of Peace. The Rosary is also and always has been a Prayer of and for the Family. It is important not to lose this precious inheritance. The Family that prays together stays together. The Family that recite the Rosary together reproduces something of the atmosphere of the household of Nazareth; its members place Jesus at the centre, they share His joys and sorrows, they place their needs and their plans in His hands, they draw from Him the hope and the strength to carry on.

The Rosary follows the life of Our Lord From His conception to His death, And then to His Resurrection

Emmaus Vocation Journey

Wondering where God is calling you in life? Wondering if putting your gifts and talents at the service of God through the priesthood or religious life is what you should be doing? Why not give one morning a month for the next six months looking at these questions. The Emmaus Vocation Journey is an opportunity for men and women between the ages of 19 to 35 or so to pray together, to discuss and to learn about priesthood or religious life.

For more details contact Fr. Eamonn Bourke on 086 8346071 or vocations@dublindiocese.ie or the see the church noticeboard.

This weekend's Church Gate Collection : **Mission Sunday** in aid of Pontifical Mission Societies.

Next Sunday's Readings Ex 22:20-28, Ps 17. 1 Thess 1:5-10. Mt 22:34-40

MASS INTENTIONS

Vigil	6.00pm	Anne Hyde (1st Anniv.)
	8.30am	Pro Populo
	10.00am	Pat Quinn (Anniv.) and deceased members of Raheny Shamrocks
	11.30am	Intentions of those who sympathised with the McKenna family on the occasion of John's death
	5.00pm	Bill Jordan (Anniv.)
Mon.	7.30am	Paddy Nolan (Rec. Dec'd)
	10.00am	Thomas Bookey (Anniv.)
Tues.	7.30am	Hugh McGreevy (Anniv.)
	10.00am	John and Mary Leslie (Anniv.)
Wed.	7.30am	Dora Daly (Rec. Dec'd)
	10.00am	Deceased members of the Burke family
Thurs.	7.30am	Brendan McLoughlin (Rec. Dec'd)
	10.00am	Deceased members of the O'Reilly family
Fri.	7.30am	Andrew and Mary Devereux & Elizabeth and Thomas Howley (A)
	10.00am	Mary and William Egan (Anniv.)
Sat.	9.40am	Morning Prayer of the Church
	10.00am	John Carr

Feast Days This Week

Thursday 23rd - St. John of Capistrano Friday 24th - St Anthony Claret Saturday 25th - Bl Thaddeus McCarthy