

**CHURCH OF OUR LADY MOTHER OF DIVINE GRACE, Raheny**

19th July 2009 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Cycle B Week 4

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**MASS INTENTIONS**



***Prayer Friends for Priests***

To celebrate the Year for Priests, the Dublin Diocese is asking for volunteers to become a prayer friend for a priest or a seminarian.

If you wish to volunteer, contact Fr. Eamon Burke at Archbishop's House, telephone: 086 834 6071 or email vocations@dublindiocese.ie

Each of the 605 volunteers required will be sent the 1st name of a priest or a seminarian to remember in prayer every day during the Year of Priests.

Thank you to parishioners who contributed to last weeks **SHARE** collection which totalled €1,605.

Please remember in your prayers the souls of **Eilish McNamara**, Watermill Avenue and **Catherine Hayes**, Watermill Drive, who died recently. May they rest in peace. Amen.

***Questions We Ask***

**Q. Why must we have so many interruptions at Mass like standing, kneeling, shaking hands etc.? I would much prefer a quiet, uninterrupted Mass.**

**A.** Silent worship is wonderful in its own place but the celebration of the Eucharist is a community prayer which recognises the presence of the Lord not only in the consecrated host but also in the gathered community, in the word and in the mission to go out in love and service. 'Though there are many of us we form a single body, because we all have a share in the one loaf' (1Cor. 10:17). Sharing responses, gestures and movements with others is a recognition of Christ in the body that is the community.

***Fr. Silvester O'Flynn OFM Cap***

***Light Out of Darkness***

***Do you want to know God better?  
Is God calling you to deepen your faith?  
Can the Spirit fill the wilderness in your heart?***

Find answers to these questions and others at the **Light Out of Darkness** programme which takes place again this autumn at the Capuchin Friary. Join us every Tuesday evening from August 18th to December 15th from 8pm to 9pm.

Enrolment takes place at an Information Meeting which will be held on Tuesday 18th August at 8pm in the Friary Church.

- Vigil** 6.00pm May, Brian & Jack McEneff (Anniv.)
- 8.30am Pro Populo
- 10.00am Brian O'Mahony (Anniv.)
- 11.30am Patrick & Teresa Lynch (Anniv.)
- Mon.** 10.00am Special Intention
- Tues.** 10.00am Vincent Walsh (Anniv.)
- Wed.** 10.00am Deceased members of the Hector Family
- Thurs** 10.00am John Hoey (Anniv.)
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- Fri.** 10.00am Antoinette Brewer (Anniv.)
- Sat.** 9.40am Morning Prayer of the Church
- Sat.** 10.00am Peter Byrne (Anniv.)

***Next Sunday's Readings*** : 2 Kgs 4:42-44. Ps 144. Eph 4:1-6. Jn 6:1-15

***Feastdays This Week***  
Wednesday 22nd, St. Mary Magdalene

This weekend's Church Gate Collection is in aid of **Lourdes Invalid Fund**.