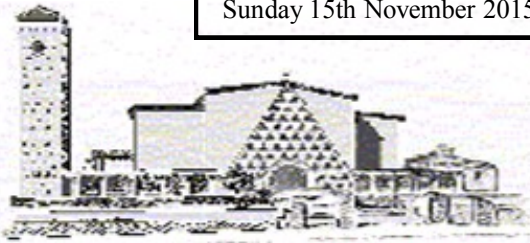


**CHURCH OF OUR LADY MOTHER OF DIVINE GRACE, Raheny**  
 Sunday 15th November 2015 Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Cycle B Week 1



**World Youth Week - Krakow 2015**

Pope Francis has invited young people from all over the world to celebrate the Catholic faith during world youth week. It is a wonderful opportunity and we are blessed to have seven young people who are delighted to represent our parish community. They will travel to Krakow in July 2015. The young people will be introduced to the congregation in Our Lady Mother of Divine Grace at 11.30am Mass on Sunday 22nd November. All welcome to come along and enjoy a cuppa.

Please remember in your prayers those who have died recently and those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace. Amen.

*Next Sunday's Readings* : Dn 7:13-14. Ps 92:1-2, 5, R/ v 1. Apoc 1:5-8. Jn 18:33-37.

Many thanks for your generous contributions to last weekend's collections.

This weekend's church gate collection is in aid of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

**Feast Days this Week**

Tuesday 17th - St. Elizabeth of Hungary  
 Saturday 21th - The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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The **Dublin Diocesan Children's Pilgrimage (DDCP)** is inviting new volunteers to travel to Lourdes next Easter. Our 41st Annual Children's Pilgrimage to Lourdes takes place from Easter Monday 28<sup>th</sup> March to Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2016. Each year we bring up to 36 children from throughout the Dublin Diocese to visit Lourdes during 'children's week'. Each child is cared for on one-to-one basis by our helpers. Existing helpers come from all over Ireland and from a variety of backgrounds. The group has grown from strength to strength over the years but we always welcome new helpers. We are having an introductory meeting for potential new helpers on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> November in Holy Cross College, Clonliffe Road at 8.00 pm. If you think that you would enjoy this kind of experience and you'd like to learn more about our group we'd love to hear from you. Please contact the Secretary, Aileen McCusker at [ddcpsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:ddcpsecretary@gmail.com) with your name, email address, contact details, home address. You might also let us know how you heard about our group too please. If you would like to speak to someone about the group in advance of the meeting on the 16<sup>th</sup> November, please call the Chairperson, Olivia Dobbs on 087 241 7731.

**MUSINGS**

The Swiss Reformed theologian and pastor, Karl Barth (1886-1968), famous for his scholarly writings and whom Pope Pius XII called the most important theologian since Thomas Aquinas, engaged in frequent ministry to the inmates of Basel prison. While a professor at the University of Basel he preached in the local prison because, he noted, 'there people need firm contact with real life; at the same time the gospel becomes remarkably relevant and natural of its own accord'. One writer has speculated that when Barth reached the heavenly gates, a banquet was prepared for him not by those who had read his theology, but by the prisoners he had visited on a Sunday morning.

*Salvador Ryan  
 St Patrick's College, Maynooth*

**MASS INTENTIONS**

<b>Vigil</b>	6.00pm	James & Elizabeth Kelly (Anniv.) Freda Russell (Anniv.)
<b>Sun</b>	8.30am	Pro Populo
	10.00am	Nancy & Paddy Dwyer (Anniv.)
	11.30am	Sheamus & Teresa Smith (Anniv.) Steve Green (1st Anniv.) Thomas & Mary Connolly (Anniv.)
<b>Mon.</b>	10.00am	Ann & Ciss Chambers and Jane Mulholland (Anniv.)
<b>Tues.</b>	10.00am	Thomas & Mary Connolly (Anniv.)
<b>Wed.</b>	10.00am	John Mooney (Anniv.)
<b>Thurs.</b>	10.00am	Special Intention
<b>Fri.</b>	10.00am	Steve Green (1st Anniv.)
<b>Sat.</b>	10.00am	No Mass Today

**THERE WILL BE NO SATURDAY 10AM MASS  
 UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

*As Christians, we are called to imitate the Good Shepherd and to help families experiencing difficulties.*

*Pope Francis, via Twitter, 12th November 2015*