



CHURCH OF OUR LADY MOTHER OF DIVINE GRACE, Raheny
 Sunday 8th November 2015 Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Cycle B Week 4

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MASS INTENTIONS

Vigil	6.00pm	Mary Nally (Anniv.) Brendan Sutton (Month's Mind) Richard Sutton (Anniv.)
Sun	8.30am	Pro Populo
	10.00am	John Quinn (Anniv.)
	11.30am	Deirdre & Bob O'Gorman (Anniv.)
Mon.	10.00am	Moya Rafter
Tues.	10.00am	Teresa Treacy (Rec. Dec'd)
Wed.	10.00am	Maurice Murphy (Anniv.)
Thurs.	10.00am	Nora Abraham (Anniv.)
Fri.	10.00am	Hugh & Marell McGreevy Willie & Margaret McGreevy (Anniv.)
Sat.	10.00am	Mary Kennedy (Anniv.)

Feast Days this Week

Monday 9th - The dedication of the Lateran Basilica
 Tuesday 10th - St. Leo the Great
 Wednesday 11th - St. Martin of Tours
 Thursday 12th - St. Josaphat
 Saturday 14th - St. Laurence O'Toole

The Forget-Me-Nots is an inclusive choir for older people, and is especially welcoming to those affected by dementia, Alzheimer's Disease, memory loss and those who are wheelchair bound. Participants come from all over north Dublin. The choir meets every Tuesday from 11am to 12.30pm in the Baldoyle Community Centre. Refreshments are included, admission is free and everyone is welcome. Big fundraiser in The White House, Baldoyle, on Saturday 14th November at 7.30pm. See www.forgetmenots.ie for further details.

Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Patrick Brennan whose funeral took place this week. Please also remember in your prayers those whose who died recently and those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Next Sunday's Readings : Dn 12:1-13. Ps 15:5, 8-11, R/ v 1. Heb 10:11-14, 18. Mk 13:24-32.

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

Church Gate Collections
 Sunday 8th November - C.A.S.A.
 Sunday 15th November - St. Vincent de Paul

THE DEEP END • GIVING EVERYTHING

In today's Gospel, Jesus is courageously speaking out against the hypocrisy of the so-called 'religious' of his time. This passage is encouraging all his followers to engage in a reality check. The hypocrisy of the scribes is in total contrast to the humility and generosity of the widow in the second part of the Gospel. She gives not of what she has to spare, but everything she has. She is free. We don't have to restrict this example to money either.

At the end of this month, a vitally important meeting is taking place in Paris called COP21. World leaders will gather to try to settle on a universal agreement on climate change action. It is a hugely difficult task; one that has not been achieved before. We are asked to pray and to continue to put pressure on our governments to take real action on climate change. The widow gave her all in the Gospel today and we are challenged to model her behaviour rather than the behaviour of the 'elite' of the opening verses.

'The idea of infinite or unlimited growth... is based on the lie that there is an infinite supply of the earth's goods, and this leads to the planet being squeezed dry at every limit. Yet all is not lost. Human beings, while capable of the worst, are also capable of rising above themselves, choosing again what is good, and making a new start.'

Pope Francis, Laudato Si'

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