

*Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
*Newsletter 13th February 2022*

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***Church of the Visitation Drynam The Visitation of the BVM***  
**Mass Times for Drynam: Sun, 10.00am, 11.00am (Irish Mass)**



***Mass Intentions this Weekend***

**Sat 6.30pm** Jacqueline Monaghan

**Sun 8.30am** Philomena Doyle

**Sun 11.15am** Beatification of Alfie Lambe  
Michael Aylward (MM)



***Mass intentions for next Next Week***

**Mon** 10.00am Mary Carey

**Tues** 10.00am Sean McKeown

**Wed** 10.00am Kathleen & Joseph Coleman

**Wed** 10.00am Gloria O'Brien

**Thurs** 10.00am Frances Halpin

**Thurs** 10.00am Frank Townley

**Fri** 10.00am Mary Carey

**Sat** 6.30pm Thomas, Annie &

James McKenna

Sylvia Howe (MM)

**Sun** 8.30am Kathleen O'Connor

**Sun** 11.15am Maria Coleman

**RECENTLY DECEASED**

***Please remember in your prayers those who have died recently:***

Julia O'Rourke

Drynam Road

Joan Savage

Seatown Villas



**Minister of the Word and Minister of the Eucharist**

If you are a Minister of the Word or Minister of the Eucharist and would like to be included in the roster again please contact Colette in the Parish Office  
[stcolmcilleschurch@gmail.com](mailto:stcolmcilleschurch@gmail.com) or 01 8407277

**First Penance**

Congratulations to the girls and boys from St Colmcille's GNS, St Colmcille's BNS and Holywell ETNS who received their First Penance during the past week

**Accord Annual Collection**

The annual collection for ACCORD Dublin, the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the family, will be made at all Masses this weekend, 12th & 13th February, it will replace Share collection



**ACCORD Dublin throughout the Diocese offers;**

- Marriage preparation courses - online, small groups.
- Counselling for couples and individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships, currently online or by phone.
- A Relationship and Sexuality Programme for schools

**ACCORD Dublin needs your support this year more than ever. Please support on 12th & 13th February**

**Bethany Bereavement Support Group** are offering telephone support, please contact Kay, 086 2209297 from Sunday 13th to Saturday 19th February.. Details on the Parish website. You can also find information on <https://bethany.ie>

**Building Hope Task Force Report.**

In April, Archbishop Dermot Farrell established a Task Force called Building Hope. The Task Force was asked to assess the needs of the people of the Archdiocese emerging from Covid-19 and to work to support Parish communities as they undertake a radical renewal, looking to the future with creativity. 3,000 people, mostly lay faithful responded to the invitation to share their views. The Task Force report is now available on the link below.

<https://dublindiocese.ie/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/Building-Hope-Task-Force-Report.pdf>



**The Task Force Prayer**

Pilgrim God, we give you thanks and praise.

You constantly journey with us even in our darkness and doubts.

We seek your way of loving kindness to walk together as one family.

Open our eyes to recognise you in the faces of one another, in the breaking of bread and in the splendour of creation.

May the risen Christ sow seeds of hope and new life deep within us.

May our hearts and minds be filled with your Word, bringing forth truth, justice and peace.

May the Holy Spirit working in and through us do much more than we can dare to imagine as we live out our baptismal calling in humble and loving service.

We make this our prayer through Christ Our Lord. **Amen.**

St Laurence O'Toole, *pray for us.*

St Kevin, *pray for us.*

St Brigid, *pray for us.*

**St Vincent de Paul**

The monthly collection for St Vincent dePaul will take place **next** weekend, Saturday 19th & Sunday 20th February.