



St Michael's Parish Gorey Newsletter 15 April 2018

CONFIRMATION IN ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH

Bishop Denis Brennan will administer the sacrament of Confirmation to the girls & boys of St. Kevin's N.S. in **St. Kevin's Church, Tara Hill at 11.00am, on Thursday 19 April.**

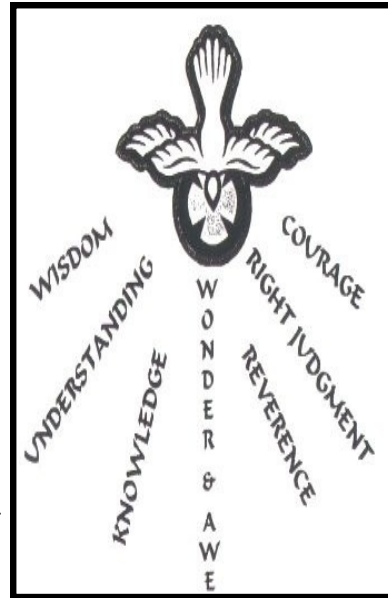
Bishop Denis Brennan will administer the sacrament of Confirmation to the pupils of Bunscoil Loreto in **St. Michael's Church, Gorey, on Friday 20 April at 10.00am** and to the pupils of St. Joseph's N.S & Pastoral Group at **1.00pm.**

This is a very special day for the boys and girls involved and their families. We congratulate all the teachers involved in preparing the children and those involved with the choir and the music.

Prayer to the Holy Spirit St. John Paul II

Holy Spirit and Seat of Wisdom help us in the great endeavour that we are carrying out to meet on a more and more mature way our brothers and sisters in the faith. Through all the means of knowledge, of mutual respect, of love, may we be able to rediscover gradually the divine plan.

Teach us constantly the ways that lead to unity. Help us all to proclaim Christ and reveal the power of God and the wisdom of God hidden in His Cross. How greatly I desire to entrust to You all the difficult problems of the societies, systems, and states — problems that cannot be solved with hatred, war, and self-destruction, but only by peace, justice, and respect for the rights of people and nations.



Because of the Confirmation there will be **no 10:00am Mass on Friday**

ANNUAL PATRON ST. MICHAEL'S CEMETERY

Because of Pope Francis's visit to Ireland on the occasion of the World Meeting of Families, our Annual Patron has been re-scheduled for **Sunday 19th August at 2.30pm.** We would be grateful if you would inform your families and friends, who may be travelling home for the Patron, of the amended date.

CHURCH ENVELOPES 08 April 2018

CHURCH	AMOUNT	NO. ENV
GOREY	1,175.75	189
TARA HILL	92.50	17
2nd Collection	779.33	

St. Kevin's Tara Hill

Sun 15 Apr 10.30am: Peggy Houghton (Née Noctor)
Sun 22 Apr 10.30am: Mary Morrissey

St. Michael's Gorey:

This week's Masses intentions for:

Mon 10am: Pro Life Intention
Tues 7.30am: Christy Byrne
Tues 10am: Mary MacEntee, Catherine Waddock, John & Mary Finn
Wed 10am: John French, Mary & Arthur Walsh
Thurs 10am: Staff of the Royal Victoria
Next Weekend Mass intentions for:
Vigil 6pm: Gerard Wynne (1st anniv)
Vigil 7.30pm: Patricia (Patty) Quigley, Bill Cullen
10.30am: June Finnegan (Née Moore) 1st Annv. & Members of The Moore Family, Mick Sheil
12 Noon: Kathleen Egan, Pa Grannell & daughter Catherine, John Kennedy, Maura Walsh

JOHN PAUL II FOUNDATION - IRISH CHAPTER: The Irish Chapter of John Paul II Foundation will meet at St. Aidan's Adoration Chapel in Ferns on Tuesday 17th April. Holy Hour at 7:00pm will be followed by Mass at 8:00pm celebrated by Fr. Billy Swan. Prayers are being offered for families and everyone is welcome to attend.

APOSTOLATE OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK: 28th - 29th April. Bus leaves Wexford Saturday 28th April at 7:00am, Enniscorthy at 7:30am, Ferns at 7:45am, Gorey at 8:00am. Total cost €95 includes bus fare, 1 dinner, B&B in Knock House Hotel. Children half price. Contact Monica 087 6419960 to book your place.

FAMILY CARERS IRELAND: Are you caring for a family member at home? A spouse, a partner or a close relative or neighbour? Then you are a Family Carer, become a member of Family Carers Ireland and benefit from a local and national network that helps family carers who need advice and that informs and influences Government policy relating to home-based care. As a member you can also avail of our exclusive deals. For more information call 05793 22920 or visit our website www.familycarers.ie

FREE HEART HEALTH CHECKS: The Irish Heart mobile health unit will be at the Gorey Family Resource Centre on Friday 20th April. On the day there will be two nurses available to provide **free Blood Pressure Checks** and heart health information. The one-to-one advice offered by the nurse is a vital part of this check. Each person receives a personal record card with their results and in the event of any abnormal results is advised to follow up with their GP. Any queries to Gorey FRC at 053 9489017 or drop into us at 4 Charlotte's Row.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR CANVASSING: Pro-life group looking for volunteers to help with door to door canvassing and street sessions in the run up to the referendum on May 25th. Contact Helena at 087 2981506.

LIFE AFTER LOSS: Clonard Bereavement Support Group would like to offer you an opportunity to explore the journey of grief and loss, seek understanding and support, help find new meaning in the face of such loss on the journey from heartbreak to hope. Join us on Tuesday 24th April in the Shamrock Room, Clonard Parish Centre from 7:30pm - 9:00pm. For further information contact 0539123672/0871008759