



Welcome to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour – Donnybrook Deanery – 9th August 2026 – Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Very Rev. Philip Bradley PP, Phone: 012891297|Fr. Paul Kenny CC| – Webcam via Parish Website [Webcam – Foxrock Parish](#) (Registered Charity No. 20016166)

A Cuppa?!

Possibly one of Ireland's best traditions is having a cup of tea/coffee with Family, friends or strangers. We stop, sit and have a chat. Sometimes the quality of the cuppa isn't as important as the chat and the company.

A HUGE thank you to the **Sunday Mass café teams** over 15 years. The quality of tea and coffee has been very good, up to usual Foxrock standard! To be honest I'm a bit of a 'Coffee Luddite' having slightly impaired taste buds!!

The Mass Café team has been decreasing over the past number of years and the remaining group has had to double up many times. Alas, the Sunday Mass Café has become unsustainable.

So, a **huge thank you** to the group for their herculean work over 15 years!

The Pastoral Council has been looking at ways of increasing the Welcome after Masses. The Irish 'Cuppa' is very important, and 'Welcome' is a particular ideal of the **Building Hope** Diocesan Initiative! We need to think of ways to organize a 'Cuppa' after our two morning Sunday masses. It's the most practical welcome there is!!

Obviously, we need a good number so that it's not a burden on anyone. The Parents' Association manned the coffee dock for July, they may have some ideas.

But I'm appealing to all parishioners to assist in any way you can.

Fr Philip (Building Hope)

FRENCH LANGUAGE MASS ROLE IN PHIBSBORO

The Parish of St Peter's Phibsboro is currently recruiting a **Sacristan**. Role: to provide a high level of support to the parish priest and parish team in the running of the Church. Applications should be made to the Administrator, St Peter's Church, Phibsboro, D07 FW29, marion.mccormack@stpetersphibsboro.ie, enclosing a CV and cover letter no later than **Thursday, August 13**.

MERCHANTS QUAY BOOKSHOP

Good News St Paul's Books and Gifts, Ireland's leading Catholic publisher and retailer of religious books, gifts, educational materials and parish resources, is open at 4 Merchants Quay, Dublin 8. Email dublin@stpauls.ie or call 0892793978.

FRENCH LANGUAGE MASS

Mass for the French-speaking Catholic community in Dublin in St Mary's Church, Haddington Road, is on the second and fourth Sundays of each month at 12.30pm from September to June.

SUPPORT FOR BIRTH MOTHERS

Information and Support for Birth Mothers whose babies were placed for adoption may be found at www.birthinginfo.ie or by calling the relevant section of Tusla at 0818 445500.

BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

Bethany Bereavement Support Group is a voluntary community and parish-based service. Our objective is to support the bereaved through the grieving process and our services are totally free of charge and confidential within the law. The name Bethany is derived from the story of Jesus' friends Martha & Mary who lived in a village called Bethany and grieved over the death of their brother Lazarus. Visit <https://bethany.ie/>.

The Foxrock Conference of St. Vincent de Paul is holding its August Collection this weekend. All Donations are most welcome.

Foxrock Parish

Mass for the feast of The Assumption
Vigil at 6pm Friday 14th August and 10am
Saturday 15th August

**The Foxrock Lectio Group resumes on
Monday 7th September.**

The Foxrock Parish Pastoral Centre will be closed during August.
The Foxrock Parish Office remains open as per usual during August.

Vacancies in Dún Laoghaire Parish

St Michael's Church is seeking to appoint a **Parish Secretary / Parish Office Administrator** to provide a professional, confidential, welcoming and efficient parish office service. This is a trusted role at the heart of parish life, supporting parishioners, visitors, clergy, staff, volunteers and families at important moments including funerals, baptisms, weddings and parish events. [Full details available here.](#)

St Michael's Church is seeking to appoint a **Sacristan / Sacristan Coordinator** to support the Parish Priest, parish clergy, parish team and wider parish community. This is an important role of service and trust within the parish. The successful candidate will help ensure that the church is prepared, safe, clean, secure and welcoming for daily worship, Masses, funerals, weddings, baptisms, seasonal liturgies and other parish events. [Full details available here.](#)

The application deadline for both roles is August 10.

Experience an exceptional concert performance by Vincent Dubois, titular organist of Notre Dame de Paris and his wife, Marie-Andrée Joerger, classical accordionist. Their programme will consist of pieces by French composers, bringing the spirit of Paris to Dún Laoghaire. **Venue: St Michael's Church, Marine Road. Date and Time: 9 August, 8pm.** Tickets are available at the door or on the website www.dunlaoghaireorganconcerts.ie 15eu/10eu

Please see The Foxrock Parish Website for the leaflet re St Joseph's Centre August Community Events.

*Cinema Club on 15 August – Lullaby of Broadway starring Doris Day.
*Community Choir is every Tuesday at 2.15pm – There is no choir on 11 August.
*Community Café is every Thursday from 10am – 12pm. All welcome! The café is closed on 27 August.

The Memory Café is on a summer break for this month and will be back on 8 September in Loughlinstown Community Rooms from 10.30am.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 8th August 6pm Vigil:

Alex Bracken – Anniversary
Mary Ellen McGuire- Anniversary

Sunday 9th August 10am:

Helen O'Donnell – 3rd Anniversary
Ken Kinsella- Anniversary

Sunday 9th August 11.30am:

Carmel O'Brien – Anniversary
Tommy & Dymrna Horkan – Anniversary
Maureen & Ned Kerr – Anniversary
Colman O'Sullivan – Anniversary

Recently Deceased:

Catherine McGovern
Maura Murray
Brendan Dineen
Fr. John Harrington

Mass: Mon, Tue, Thurs & Fri @ 10am - Sat Vigil 6pm - Sun 10am & 11.30am Confession: 5.20-5.50pm on Saturday in Confession Box or by Appointment.