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Masses: St. Anthony's -Sundays 5.30pm Family Mass Vigil (Sat),  
 10.00 am, 11.30 am., Weekdays: 7.45 am, 10 am  
 St. John the Baptist- Sundays 6pm Vigil (Sat),  
 10 am, & 12.Noon Weekdays: 10.00am  
 St. Gabriel's- Sundays 5pm Vigil (Sat), 10.30am, 600pm,  
 Weekdays: 10.00am , Sat 10.30am

Baptisms/Weddings  
 Baptisms held on second Saturday of each month at  
 12.30 pm and last Sunday at 12.30pm.  
 Weddings – Please contact priest directly  
 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place every Tuesday  
 from 10.30 am to 1.00 pm  
 Confessions – Each Saturday following 10am & 7pm Masses



**MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK**

**Sat 5.30pm** Bernie O'Mahony Rec Decd  
 Donal & Esther Fitzpatrick Anniv  
**Sun 10.00am** Declan Bruen Anniv  
 Joe Joyce Anniv  
**11. 30am** James Gallagher B/day Remb  
 Maureen Moran Anniv  
 Tom & Maureen Dunne Anniv  
 Kathleen Maher Anniv  
 Bryan Maher Anniv  
**Mon 7.45am** Donor's Intentions  
**10.00am** Eilenn O'Ceallaigh &  
 Fr Brian Kelly Anniv  
**Tues 7.45am** Andy Canderbanc Rec Decd  
**10.00am** Special Intention  
**Wed 7.45am** Special Intention  
**10.00am** Grace O'Connell Rec Decd  
**Thurs 7.45am** Get Well Intention  
**10.00am** Michael Quinn B/Day Remb  
**Fri. 7.45am** Donor's Intentions  
**10.00am** Dr Dermot fitzgerald Rec Decd  
**Sat 10.00am** Orlaith Keogh Month's Mind  
**5.30pm** Joe Moonev

**CHRISTMAS CARDS**  
 "Greetings from St Anthony's Clontarf" Christmas cards and Christmas Mass Bouquets. will be available from the parish office towards the end of the week.  
 Also Please send a religious card this Christmas, as it is a Christian Celebration

**ADVENT**

Next week we begin Advent. A time of preparation for Christmas. The Church will be decorated with Advent symbols  
**the Advent Wreath with five candles.**  
**Our gift Prayer boxes as we seek Hope Peace, Joy, and Love**  
**Our Crib:** This year on each Sunday we will put in the traditional figures.  
The Donkey and the Ox  
The Angel and the Shepherds  
Joseph, Mary's Husband  
Mary, Mother of Jesus  
**and on Christmas Night The Baby Jesus.**  
 Each figure has a rich significance and are at the centre of the Christmas story.

Please consider using the Christian symbols  
 We live in a secular world where the emphasis is on buying and consuming.  
 Let's not lose sight of the Christian meaning of Christmas.

The birth of Jesus Our Saviour  
 . Send a Christian Christmas Card.  
 Put up a Crib in your home.  
**Take one of our Advent Prayer Cards.**  
 Light a candle symbolising Christ, the Light coming into our world.  
 Let us put Christ back at the centre of our Christmas this year

**ALTAR LIST OF THE DEAD**

The Altar lists of the dead and envelopes are available at the Church Doors.  
 Masses on 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of each month are offered for all those whose name is on the Altar List of the Dead  
**Please return your envelope to the Parish Office or hand them into the Sacristy**

**SHARE SUNDAY**

This Sunday 25th Nov is Share Sunday .  
 Share, the second collection, is an important funding lifeline for the many services that support the pastoral outreach of the diocese as well as providing support for poorer parishes.  
 Your support for the promotion of the work Share is appreciated  
 Archbishop Martin says in a letter that he is "very much aware of the many financial calls that have been made within the Catholic Church in recent times and I am genuinely grateful for the generous response that has come, specially from Mass-going Catholics"  
 Copies of the Share newsletter are available at the doors of the Church.

**MEETINGS IN ST ANTHONY'S PARISH LITURGY GROUP**

Meeting on Tuesday next 27th November at 12 Noon in the sacristy meeting room.

**PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE**

Meeting on Tuesday 27th November at 7.30pm in the Sacristy. Would all members please confirm if they can attend.

**TREE OF REMBRANCE**

We would like to invite you to write the names of your departed loved ones on our card-leaf and hang it on our Remembrance Tree.  
 It is a special way of praying and remembering all those we have known and have died .

**CHRISTMAS NATIVITY PLAY**

We are looking for children and parents who are interested in taking part and organising our Nativity Play which will take place during our Christmas Eve Family Mass at 5.30pm and at the Family Mass on Christmas Day at 10.00am .  
 If you wish to take part please sign up after the 5.30pm Family Mass this Saturday or give your name and address into the parish Office 01 833 3459 All children must have their parent's permission

**ADVENT**

During Advent (4weekS prior to Christmas Day) we will focus on the Crib figures and their significance to the Christmas Story.  
 Any children who would like to be involved in the Family Mass during Advent please let us know this or through the parish office

**Teen Hope**

is a parish based faith outreach to teenagers. Young people often feel stressed and anxious. Would you agree?  
 Teen Hope is a space where teens can just be themselves – a pressure free zone. It is a space where through fun and engaging activities you can build friendships, and encounter an experience of welcome, belonging and discipleship  
 . Each gathering includes hospitality with music & refreshments, team building games, main activity & prayer  
 . We are looking for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> years for Teen Hope Clontarf, which will launch on **November 25<sup>th</sup>**  
**In St John the Baptist Parish Centre at 7pm. Parental consent forms are available at the back of the Church**