

The Parish of Carrigtwohill

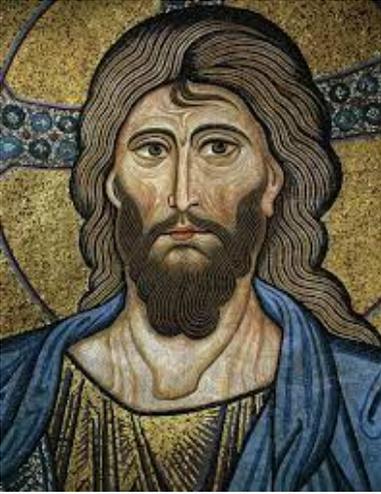
13th /14th November 2021

Thirty Third Sunday of Ordinary Time – Year B

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“Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away”

Jesus said to his disciples:

‘In those days, after the time of distress, the sun will be darkened, the moon will lose its brightness, the stars will come falling from heaven and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. And then they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory; then too he will send the angels to gather his chosen from the four winds, from the ends of the world to the ends of heaven. Take the fig tree as a parable: as soon as its twigs grow supple and its leaves come out, you know that summer is near. So with you, when you see these things happening: know that he is near, at the very gates. I tell you solemnly, before this generation

has passed away all these things will have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away. ‘But as for that day or hour, nobody knows it, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son; no one but the Father.’ Mark 13:24-32

Pope Francis - Angelus Address on 18th November 2018

Human history, like the personal history of each of us, cannot be understood as a simple succession of meaningless words and facts. Nor can it be interpreted in the light of a fatalistic vision, as if all were already preordained according to a fate that removes any space for freedom, preventing us from making choices as the fruit of true decision. In today’s Gospel passage, however, Jesus says that the history of peoples and that of individuals have a purpose and an aim to fulfil: the definitive encounter with the Lord. We know neither the time nor the way in which it will come about: the Lord emphasized that “no one knows, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son” (v. 32); all is safeguarded in the secret of the mystery of the Father. We know, however, a basic principle with which we must confront ourselves: “Heaven and earth will pass away”, Jesus says, “but my words will not pass away” (v. 31). This is the true crux. On that day, each of us will have to understand whether the Word of the Son of God has illuminated our personal existence, or whether we turned our back to it, preferring to trust in our own words. More than ever, it will be the moment in which to abandon ourselves definitively to the Father’s love and to entrust ourselves to his mercy. No one can escape this moment, none of us!

List of those who died in the Parish of Carrigtwohill and whose funeral took place in the Church and /or where the Parish was involved in prayers at the funeral time from October 2019 – November 2021

2019

Liam Manning	4th October
Bernadette McIlroy	15th October
David Flynn	19th October
Sheila Barry	2nd November
Mary O'Mahony	2nd November
Mary Cooney	5th November
Michael Ryan	5th November
Gerard Healy	21st November
Mary McCarthy	2nd December
Annette Lane	16th December

Michael Curtin	13th July
John Roynane	14th July
Pauline Cotter	15th July
Edward Murphy	28th July
Una Keegan	7th August
Sinead Mary Buckley	22nd August
Noreen Spillane	20 th September
Emma Leahy	3rd October
Michael Heelan	29th October
John Barry	31st October
James O'Connell	22nd December
Margaret Ramsell	23rd December

2020

Aidan O'Gorman	6th January
Tim Watson	6th January
Richard Healy	24th January
Sr. Ita Desmond	25th January
Edmond Roche	4th February
Tom Whelan	13th February
Joan Leahy	14th February
Michael Sheehan	5th April
Phyllis Mulcahy	14th April
Henry O'Callaghan	30th April
Patrick McGrath	4th May
James O'Rourke	5th May
Tony Horgan	22nd May
Cait Cashman	28th May
Dominic Cotter	30th May
Jeremiah Looney	10th June
Ann Cronin	28th June
Mary Lahive	7th July

2021

Tom Carey	10th January
Jack Walsh	14th January
Patrick Barry	27th January
Dan O'Mahony	12th February
Sean Harte	5th April
Chiggy Igboanusi	9th April
Alan Griffin	22nd April
Mary Burchill	26th April
Ellen Aherne	27th April
Sean O'Reilly	25th May
Bill Cuddigan	27th May
Martin McAteer	13th June
Patrick Ahern	20th June
Marie O'Driscoll	25th June
Catherine Donovan	28th June
Michael Murphy	9th October
Jimmy Doyle	3rd November
Jack Coleman	8th November

Out of respect for the wishes of those who died in the parish who did not wish to have a church funeral or the families of the deceased who chose this path, their names have not been included in the list. However, if a relative wishes for the parish to include them please contact the Parish Office or Fr. Winkle and we will be pleased to do so. If there are any corrections to spelling please let us know and apologies.

Masses for the bereaved

Mass for those who were bereaved from October 2019 to September 2020 will be celebrated on Friday 19th of November 7.30pm.

Mass for those who were bereaved from October 2020 to November 2021 will be celebrated on Friday 26th of November 7.30pm.

Only those families who are bereaved in this period are asked to celebrate these Masses.

Due to the rise in Covid infections people are asked to abide by social distancing and for families to sit together.

For anyone who wishes to light a candle for a loved one who died in other years please celebrate the Mass on Monday 22nd at 7.30pm.

The Little Ones who died in or around the time of birth and those who died in infancy will also be remembered. Anyone who wishes to remember them can leave a white flowers near Our Lady's Shrine and they will be placed at the book of remembrance.

Supporting the Bereaved: Presentation on Grief and Bereavement - 16th November at 7.30pm in the Church

by Sr. Una Boland, LCM, Counsellor: Sr. Una will take questions and comments for people present on the evening. In this time of Pandemic the normal gestures have been paused some what and it can be harder to grieve.

R.I.P.

We pray for and remember Jack Coleman (Bartlemy), Clodagh Fuohy (Cobh), Denis Long and Gerard Manning who died recently: those whose anniversaries occur at this time; Michael O'Sullivan Snr. Michael O'Sullivan Jnr., John Seymour, Ann O'Connell, Dominic Cronin, Shelia Fitzgerald, William (Bill) O'Mahony, Eamon Colbert, Mary Collins and John Collins.

November Prayers in the Cemetery Templecurraheen Graveyard – Sunday 14th at 3pm

Reception of Holy Communion for the first time.

We welcome those who will receive Holy Communion for the first time this weekend.

Celebrating Safely in Covid -19 Times

The most recent government regulation on Places of Worship is the following: *“religious services and weddings can proceed without capacity limits but with all other protective measures remaining in place”*. www.gov.ie

The protective measures that are required are;

- Masks / face coverings must be worn
- Ventilation must be provided
- Hand Sanitising must be adhered to
- Social Distancing must take place between different household units.

Due to these protective measures the Church cannot reach full capacity. Further guidance from the HSE is awaited, as stated on the website it is “under review”: <https://www.hpsc.ie/a-z/respiratory/coronavirus/novelcoronavirus/guidance/placesofworshipguidance/>

At any Liturgy there can be unvaccinated people with vaccinated thus the need to have protective measures. The measures help in creating safe environment.

As the numbers of Covid infections are rising and the number of those needing hospitalisation and ICU care, it is in the best interests of all to do what we can to help slow down the spread of the virus and to assist the health care system and workers at this time.

- Household units may sit on the same seat in the centre aisles.
- Where two household units sit on a centre aisle seat, they must keep distance between them.
- Couples or families of three and individuals may sit on the side aisles seats.
- One way system now in place.
- A face covering /mask must be worn.
- Enter by the main door and exit by the side aisles.
- Sanitise hands on entry and exit to the Church.
- Sanitise your seat with sanitising wipes available before and after use. If using kneelers or touching seat in front sanitise that too.
- Sit only on designated seats.
- Keep physical distance from other households at all times.
- Holy Communion will be distributed at the Altar. Physical distancing while processing to the Altar and returning from it must be adhered to.
- Holy Communion is to be received on the hands while standing.
- If a person is feeling unwell, please stay at home until feeling better.
- Cough, sneeze into your elbow or tissue.
- Do not touch unnecessary surfaces.

Respect the space of one another

Parish Pastoral Council: A meeting took place on Wednesday 10th. Due to a number of members not been able to attend, the election of officers did not take place. Discussion took place on Masses for the Bereaved, Presentation on Grief, Christmas Masses, care for those living alone and older people. It was agreed that due to rise of Covid infections the Anointing of the Sick and prayer for healing would be postponed to the spring. If anyone who is seriously ill or feeling the burden of years wishes to receive the Sacrament of the Sick, contact Fr. Winkle to make arrangements.
