



# St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral NEWSLETTER

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14<sup>th</sup> February 2016

**Staff of the Pro-Cathedral** - Very Rev Damian F. Canon O'Reilly, Adm.,  
Monsignor Francis Walsh, P.C., Fr Brendan Staunton, SJ, P.C.,  
Sr. Patricia Somers, RSC (Parish Sister)

## Mass Times

**Monday to Friday** - 8.30 a.m., 10 a.m.,  
11 a.m., 12.45 p.m. and 5.45 p.m.

**Saturday** - 8.30 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12.45 p.m.  
and 6.00 p.m. (*Vigil Mass*) - (Cantor & Organ)

**Sunday** - 10 a.m. (St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral Girls' Choir)  
11 a.m. (The Palestrina Choir), 12.45 p.m. (Cantor & Organ)  
& 6.30 p.m. (Pro Nuova Music Group)

*Pro-Cathedral closes immediately after Evening Mass*

## Confessions

**Monday to Friday** - After 8.30 a.m. & 12.45 p.m. Mass

**Saturday** - From 11.30 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1.15  
to 2.15 p.m.

**Penitential Service** last Saturday of each month at  
11.30 a.m.

**Italian Mass**—second Sunday of every month at  
3 pm in St. Kevin's Oratory.

**Thank You** - weekend 6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup> Feb 1<sup>st</sup> Collection  
(Priests') €1,070 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection (Share) € 780



**ACCORD**  
DUBLIN  
Catholic Marriage Care Service

The **Annual Collection of ACCORD**, the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, will be made at **all Masses this weekend**, replaces the *Share* Collection. Accord Dublin offers Marriage Preparation Courses, counselling for couples and individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships, a relationship and sexuality programme in schools.

*Thank you for your support*

## From Ashes to Light

The Lent Readings for prayer and preaching

4 THURSDAYS OF LENT

18<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> February and 3<sup>rd</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> March 2016

From 11.30 a.m. to 2.30 p.m.

in

ST MARY'S PRO-CATHEDRAL  
with Fr Kieran J. O'Mahony, OSA



LENT 1

TEMPTATION IN  
THE DESERT

Luke 4:1-13

LENT 2

THE TRANSFIGURATION

Luke 9:28-36

LENT 3

THE PARABLE OF  
THE FIG TREE

Luke 13:1-9



LENT 4

THE PRODIGAL SON

Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

**SESSION 1** From 11.30 a.m. to 12.35 p.m.

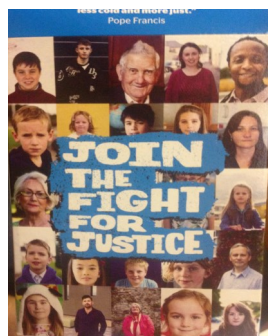
The Gospel  
Presentation  
Conversation  
Mass 12.45 p.m.  
Lunch break



**SESSION 2** From 1.45 to 2.30 p.m.

Reading for prayer  
and for preaching

## TRÓCAIRE



"Justice is at the heart of all of Trócaire's work, both overseas and in Ireland. We provide humanitarian assistance and long-term support to communities in over 20 developing countries. In Ireland, the charity raises awareness about the root causes of poverty and inequality, and campaigns on justice issues."

So as it says on our Trócaire box for this year;  
"Join the fight for Justice," and join us in our campaign. All information on Trocaire can be found by visiting [www.trocaire.org](http://www.trocaire.org)

## CHOIR AUDITIONS



The Palestrina Choir and St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral Girls' Choir are auditioning for boys/girls from 6 to 8 years of age.

For further information please contact Mary Irwin, Administrative Secretary before 22<sup>nd</sup> February at 01-8745441 Ext 9 218 or [procath@dublindiocese.ie](mailto:procath@dublindiocese.ie)