St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral NEWSLETTER

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<u>Confessions</u>

Mass Times

Monday to Friday: 10.30 a.m. and 12.45 p.m. Saturday: 10.30 a.m. and 6.00 p.m. (*Vigil Mass*) Sunday: 9.30 a.m., 11.00 a.m. and 6.00 p.m. Monday to Saturday after the 10.30 a.m. Mass

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday to Friday after the 10.30 a.m. Mass to 12.30 p.m.

Thank You 4th/5th August 1st Collection €1,160 2nd Collection €690

Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Wednesday 15th August

Mass Times 8.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 12.45 p.m. and 6.00 p.m.



You may become an **Associate Member of the Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage** to **Lourdes** by making a voluntary offering after Mass (commencing Wednesday 15th August). This money will go towards sending sick pilgrims to Lourdes during the Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes from the 7th to 12th September. The enrolment sheets

containing the names of the Associates will be placed at the Grotto during the Pilgrimage. Mass will be offered for all Associate Members at the Grotto in Lourdes.



Dublin's "Camino" for the World Meeting of Families

The World Meeting of Families 2018 Pilgrim Walk will take place from 18 – 25 August 2018. Pilgrims are invited, in a single day or over a few days during that week, to undertake the Walk. It involves visiting seven designated churches and spending time in prayer in each of them for a special intention for families before finishing the visit with the

WMOF2018 prayer. Each pilgrim will be issued with a pilgrim walk passport which will be stamped at each church in the ancient tradition of the Camino of St James. A pilgrimage certificate of completion will be stamped when they arrive at the last of the seven churches. Each church will have a roster of ambassadors to meet the pilgrims, stamp their pilgrim passports and offer a WMOF cead míle fáilte. The churches can be visited in any order. The route for the Pilgrim Walk includes the following churches:

• St Teresa's Carmelite Church, Clarendon Street – the theme is "the gift of parents to the family."

• **St Francis Xavier's, Gardiner Street** – the theme is *the role of teachers in enriching the children of our families.*

- St Saviour's, Dominick Street the theme is God walks with families when times are tough
- St Michan's, Halston Street the gift of children to the family
- St Michan's, Church Street –fostering the gift of forgiveness among families
- St Audoen's Church, High Street the gift of grandparents to the family
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel (Whitefriars), Aungier Street -love at the heart of the family

All churches will remain open each day between 9.30am and 7pm. You can download the Pilgrim Walk map in PDF form at www.dublindiocese.ie/7-church-pilgrim-walk-for-wmof2018

Pilgrims are also invited to visit the Cathedral Church of the Archdiocese of Dublin:

St Mary's Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough Street. The theme for this station *is the gift of brothers and sisters within the family.*

Please note that The Pro-Cathedral will close after 12:45pm Mass on Thursday 23 August until Sunday 26 August in the morning.