



St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral NEWSLETTER

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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.

Confessions

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.





Brother Seán Kelly OFM Cap (Minister Provincial of the Capuchin Franciscan Friars)

Invites you to join us as we celebrate the Transitus of our Holy Father Saint Francis of Assisi

St Mary of the Angels, Church Street

Thursday, 3rd of October at 8pm

Followed by hospitality in the Capuchin Day Centre

Be praised, my Lord,
through our sister Bodily Death,
from whose embrace no living person can escape.
Woe to those who die in mortal sin!
Happy those she finds doing Your most holy will.
The second death can do no harm to them.
(St Francis of Assisi: Canticle of the Creatures)



The Director of the **Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes**, Fr Martin Noone, would like to thank all those who contributed to the Lourdes Associate Membership. €2,690 was collected here in St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral

during August/September.

The enrolment sheets containing the names of the Parish Associates were placed at the Grotto in Lourdes and Mass was offered for the intentions of all our contributors during the pilgrimage.

The local **Conferences of the St. Vincent de Paul Society** will take up their monthly collection after all the Masses this weekend.



John Henry Newman's Lecture

In anticipation of John Henry Newman's (Founder of UCD) canonisation in Rome on 13 Oct 2019, UCD Chaplaincy are organising a public lecture by the leading internationally recognised Newman Scholar, Professor Ian Ker (Oxford University). This will take place in the George Moore Auditorium (O'Brien Science wing) at 7.00pm on Wednesday 9 October. We will also have a panel of experts (Dr. Daire Keogh, Deputy President DCU; Dr. Kathleen Lynch, Prof Emeritus UCD; and Joanna Siewierska, UCD SU President) to respond to Prof Ian's paper and to stimulate audience participation. The title of the paper will be of general interest to educationalists: 'Useful or Useless? John Henry Newman's Vision of Liberal Education TODAY'. All are welcome. Light refreshments will be served.

Prayer of Cardinal Newman

May the Lord support us all the day long,
Till the shades lengthen and the evening comes,
and the busy world is hushed,
and the fever of life is over,
and our work is done.

Then in his mercy may he give us a safe lodging, and holy rest, and peace at the last. Amen.

CROSSCARE would like to thank all those who contributed to their Annual Collection for their Community, Homeless & Youth Services on the weekend of 31st Aug/1st Sept. The amount collected here in St Mary's Pro-Cathedral was €2,660.

On Fridays from 5.00 to 5.30 p.m. there will be Sung Vespers.

Vespers is also called Evening Prayer, it takes place as dusk begins to fall. Evening Prayer gives thanks for the day just past and makes an evening sacrifice of praise to God. (Psalm 141:1).