



Darver & Dromiskin Parish

January 28th 2018 Third Sunday in Ordinary time 2018

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BAPTISMS

First weekend of each month.

St. Peter's Dromiskin, Sat. evening at 6.00pm.

St Michael's Darver Sun. morn at 11.15am.

One month's notice must be given at Darver prior to Baptism. Parents to avail of Parish Baptismal Programme.

Parish Collection: Weekend of Jan. 21st

St. Michael's Env. €159 Cash €80

St. Peter's Env. €393 Cash €182.82

Weekly Envelope for 2018 will be distributed during this coming week. I offer a big "thank you" to those who have prepared the weekly envelope to this point and to those who will distribute them this week. To all who contribute to our Parish finances I say "thank you." To those who do not I ask you to give what you can. It is the personal responsibility of all adults members of our Faith Community to support financially. All contributions should be meaningful.

Poverty is

the only tax on an unborn child is...

18 DAYS:
a Baby's heart beats

42 DAYS:
Brain waves detected

52 DAYS:
Hiccups and yawns

8 WEEKS:
all organs function

9 WEEKS:
has fingerprints

10 WEEKS:
can feel pain

12 WEEKS:
can smile



Be My Voice

St. Michael's Darver

Sun. Jan. 28th 10.30a Av. Maggie Reilly & Jim Nixon
Sun. Feb. 4th 10.30 Av. Peter Matthews Av. Seán Mooney

St. Peter's Dromiskin

Sat. Jan 27th 7.00pm Av. Anne Dunne.
Av. Noel Corrigan & Ann & Edward Corrigan
People of the Parish.
Sun. Jan. 28th 9.00am
Mon. Jan 29th 7.00pm Special Intention.
Sat. Feb. 3rd 7.30pm Av. Margaret Corrigan Av. Dec. members Merrigan Fam.
Sun. Feb. 4th 9.00pm Special Intention

Recently Deceased Mary Hamill, Anthony Kerr, Frederick Carpenter Josephine Dowling, Sr. Josephine Dowling Mary Hamill & Jim Callan (London)

Thurs. 1st Feb. St. Brigid's Feast Day - Mass and Blessing of Crosses in St. Michael's @ 9.30am

Fri. 2nd Feb. Presentation of the Lord - Candlemas Day: Mass: St. Peter's @ 9.30am

Sat. 3rd Feb. Feast Day of St. Blaise: Blessing of throats at all weekend Masses.

Mar Iosa Prayer Hour

St Peter's Tues. @ 7.30-8.30p.m. Time of Prayer - Reflection - Adoration.

Gospel Matters

Lord

God our Creator, You are the giver of life and the source of all joy. We pray for all expectant mothers. We understand the commitments and the profound responsibilities that pregnancy bring to them and the wider family. So we ask that every expectant mother and the child in her womb will be blessed with health and joy and experience Your comforting presence in this your time of waiting. Lord, hear us.

World Cancer Day 2018 that is

next Sunday. It aims to reduce the number of preventable deaths each year by raising cancer awareness among the general public and pressing governments to take further action against the disease. Our lady Queen of Peace Pastoral Area has decided to help and support people, their families, friends and communities who are living with cancer to a **concelebrated Mass in St. Michael's Church Darver** on Sunday 4th February 2018 - . We are inviting you all because of the great pain, sense of isolation and frightening experience that cancer is for us all - **Mass will be concelebrated at 4 pm.** A Christian Community is one that cares and prays for those who are suffering in any way. There is a Choir rehearsal in St. Michael's Church on Wed next at 8.p.m. Members of both Church Choirs are invited to attend.

EVERYBODY IS INVITED TO JOIN IN CARE AND PRAY - LET'S BE A PEOPLE OF HOPE!

PARISH €OTTO RESULTS

Monday January 22nd 2018

**Numbers drawn: (11) (19) (22) (26)
4 winner with 3 numbers shares €200**

Anne McEvoy, Mark Gracey, McGrane Fam., Pat Finnegan

JACKPOT NOW

€3,600

Thanks for your support!

Minister of the Word: St. Michael's

Feb. 4th 10.30am Louise Shaw

Signed Mass cards available in both Churches/Sacristies before and or after Masses. Both "sympathy" & "Mass Bouquet" It is imperative that we do everything necessary to protect the integrity of Holy Mass.

27th DIVINE MERCY CONFERENCE in

THE RDS DUBLIN on Sat 17th and Sun 18th

Feb.- Moley's Bus leaves from Friary Church on Sat 17th Details - Phil @ 086 0638452 or 042 - 93200787.



"Let us REMEMBER that every CHILD at its very conception is created for GREATER things - to LOVE and to be LOVED."

MOTHER TERESA