

## **Mass Intentions for Sunday 27th September 2020**

### **Enniskerry**

**Sat 7pm:** Noel Kavanagh (A) Betty Swaine (A)

**Sun 10am:** Fr. John Wall (Rec Dec'd)

**Sun 12 noon:** Robert Kavanagh (14th A)

### **Kilmacanogue: Sun 10am:**

John & Catherine Stephens (A)

Sarah Smith & Catherine McArdle (A)

Kay Walsh (A), Dominnic Fallon (A)

Fr John Wall (Rec. Dec'd)



We were so sorry to hear of the Passing of Fr. John Wall (RIP) former Parish Priest of Enniskerry.

Our thoughts and prayers are with his family. Mass will be offered for Fr. Wall this Sunday at 10am in St. Mary's and will be available for viewing on our website [www.enniskerryparish.ie](http://www.enniskerryparish.ie) May he Rest in Peace.

### **CHURCH REOPENING**

St. Mary's & St. Mochonogs Churches are reopened for weekend Masses - Saturday 7pm in St. Mary's, Sunday 10am in St. Mochonog's and 10am and 12 noon in St. Mary's.

St. Mary's are also open for Weekday Mass Monday-Saturday at 10.15am. If you cannot book a seat for Saturday or Sunday you may book for a weekday Mass as a weekday Mass will suffice for the Sunday obligation, you can also book your preferred weekday Mass to ensure a place. Masses will also be on webcam in St. Mary's on Mon. Tues, Wed, Thurs, Frid and Sat at 10.15am.

Please note Weekend Masses must be booked through our Parish Offices (see numbers below) between 10am-1pm, Mon-Thurs and 10am—11.30am on Friday.

***22 Individuals into Enniskerry Church  
16 individuals into Kilmacanogue Church***

1. Please be aware that the maximum numbers of individuals from different households, i.e. individuals who must maintain 2 metres clear spacings between them, is: 22.

We can accommodate a greater number when some family members who reside in the same house sit together.

#### **The following rules apply:**

1. One way system applies in the Church, Entry by Front Door, exit by Side Door.
2. Sanitise your hands on entry and exit.
3. **Keep 2 metres apart at all times, which is also important in the Church grounds before and after Masses and Funerals.**
4. Holy Communion will be distributed at end of Mass as you exit.
5. Stewards will be on duty at all Masses so please follow their instructions.

### **1st & 2nd Collections**

Envelopes for the **1st and 2nd Collections** which are for the **Diocesan Common Fund and the Share Collection** are available at the rear of Church when you arrive at Mass. Please take a box and return it the next time you attend Mass, or you may place it in the baskets in the side porch as you exit the Church. Cash donations are also welcome. You may also place your Green or Pink **Family Offering** Envelopes for Parish Funds. in these baskets **You may also donate on line by pressing the Donate button on** [www.enniskerryparish.ie](http://www.enniskerryparish.ie)

Thank you to all parishioners who kindly donated to Dues and Family Offering while the Church was closed.

**The Meals on Wheels service** operates in Enniskerry and Kilmacanogue and delivers hot meals every Tuesday and Thursday to older people in their homes. It's an opportunity to connect with the community and provide a hot meal and social contact call to older people in the area. We are looking for volunteer drivers who can give up 2 or 3 hours twice a month to facilitate this much needed service. Interested volunteers should contact Maoiliosa Kelly on 0868322466 for further information.

Please be aware that there are **CCTV** cameras in the Car Park (as well as the Church). This is to enhance the safety of all who use the carpark and to assist in the prevention of antisocial behaviour and ensuring people are social distancing as is essential outside the Church.

All daily and weekend Masses on Webcam in St. Mary's. Church. Please check into our website [www.enniskerryparish.ie](http://www.enniskerryparish.ie)

**Parochial House, Enniskerry, 01 2863506, Presbytery, Kilmacanogue 01 2741951,**

**Parish Office, Enniskerry 01 2760030, Mon-Fri 10am-1pm.**

**Parish Office, Kilmacanogue 01 2021882 Mon-Fri 10am-1pm**

# **Diocesan Safeguarding Day, 2020**

## **Letter from Archbishop Martin**

**Sunday 27 September** is Diocesan Safeguarding Day. The safety and protection from abuse of the children and vulnerable members of Archdiocese is a particular priority of all of us. This year we face a different set of challenges and we do so in a situation of considerable uncertainty.

You will be aware that it has been necessary to reduce the number employed by the Diocese including a number of people employed in the Child Safeguarding and Protection Service. However, our commitment to Safeguarding and to the support of victim/survivors of abuse remains undiminished. We need to consider the implications of working with less and the opportunities this presents to look at how we share what we have.

Given the uncertainty surrounding bringing people together, we will have to consider how best we approach things like delivering safeguarding training. Information technology presents us with new opportunities, while also presenting challenges for those not used to using computers.

There is a third uncertainty which I wish to address. I cannot say for how much longer I will serve as your Archbishop. As I near the end of my time with you, I want to say a particular thank you for all of the work you have been doing to make the Church in Dublin a safer place for children and for vulnerable adults. Our parish clergy, already under pressure due to declining numbers, have had to accept additional responsibilities in this area, such as ensuring that those involved in public ministry are vetted. I wish to thank also the hundreds of parish safeguarding representatives and the thousands who have attended safeguarding training. I wish to thank all of our parishioners who have kept faith with us through this difficult time.

I wish to especially acknowledge the courage of those who have spoken of their experiences of abuse in the Church. Their stories have been difficult for us to hear but they have helped us to face up to the truth and we must honour their contribution by making our parishes, not just safe places, but also welcoming and nurturing places for all children and vulnerable persons.

I ask you to remember those who were abused and to pray for them.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "+ Diarmuid Martin .". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

**+ Diarmuid Martin**

## How Long Can SARS-COV-2 LAST?



### **Plastic**

3 – 7 Days



### **Stainless Steel**

3 – 7 Days



### **Copper**

Up to 4 Hours



### **Paper**

Up to 4 days



### **Glass**

Up to 4 Days



### **Cardboard**

24 Hours