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Facebook: St Pauls Church Lisduggan.

Butlerstown Parish Facebook

LIVE STREAMING Mass and other services (including weddings and funeral masses) are live streamed from our churches on <https://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-paul-s> and <https://mcnmedia.tv/camera/butlerstown> and www.stpaulschurch.ie. so that the parish can extend its reach to those who cannot visit the church. This may mean that your image will be broadcast on those web-sites, in particular, if you are on or near the sanctuary or sit in the first three rows of the middle aisle. If you do not wish your image to be captured in this way, please sit in another area of the church. If you have concerns, please contact us.

ANNIVERSARIES

ST. PAUL'S

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ELIZABETH (BETTY) WALSH (BR)

BUTLERSTOWN

MARY, DENIS & JAMES CULLEN
GERRY WIDGER
ELIZABETH (BETTY) WALSH (BR)

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE



A Prayer for Daily Comfort

As I go to work,
be with me Lord

Be the patience when I'm
frustrated.

Be the endurance when I am tired.

Be the wisdom when I am uncertain.

Be the inspiration when I am out of ideas.

Be the peacemaker when I feel hurt.

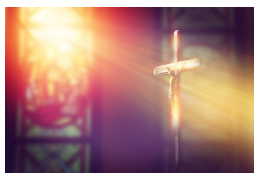
Be the comforter when I feel overwhelmed.

Be the energy when I am weary.

Be the guide when I am confused.

Be the forgiver when I get it wrong

Be with me Lord today.

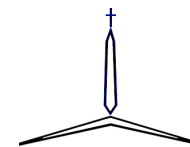


They whom
we love and lose
are no longer
where they were
before.

They are now
wherever we are.

St John Chrysostom

Parishes of St. Paul's & Butlerstown



9th of October, 2022 - TWENTY-EIGHT SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*St Paul's Parish is in St. Otteran's Pastoral Area with the parishes of
Ballybricken, Holy Family, St. Saviour's, Butlerstown, Dunhill & Fenor, Tramore & Carbally.'*

A Grateful Heart

Nine were cured, and a tenth was healed, The last one came back and lifted his heart in praise and thanks.

He was a man of another country, not liked by the followers of Jesus, yet his heart was like the heart of Jesus, thankful and light.

The word 'thanks' can change an atmosphere. It is one of the most important words between people who are in ordinary and consistent relationships. With those we love, with those with whom we work, live, and with whom life is shared, it is a word that deepens the bond among us. It brings lightness among us.

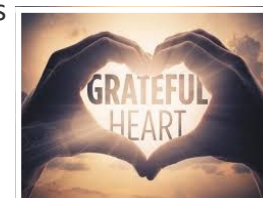
The Christian heart is a grateful heart. We sometimes find people whose lives are very difficult and disabled on the outside but have a heart of thanks on the inside. They are the people who give thanks for what they have, rather than complain over what they have not.

The thanks of the Samaritan brought him into a sort of unity with Jesus and with the others who looked on him as a foreigner. Thanks can bring enemies together. When we give thanks for the same things, we shatter barriers.

The nine were cured, and probably did well for Jesus in their reports. But the tenth brought the new life of Jesus to others from a grateful heart.

Give thanks this day for the ordinary, for the people who are always there, for the goodness of God. And in giving thanks we will be more like Jesus, the one whose life and words thank God his Father.

Donal Neary S.J.



MASS ATTENDANCE IN OUR PARISHES

- Please use Sanitizer provided.
- Please observe markings in the aisles when going to receive Holy Communion.
- Our Masses will also continue to be Live Streamed and broadcast on the Radio.

LIVE STREAMING FROM ST. PAUL'S

<https://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-paul-s>

LIVE STREAMING FROM BUTLERSTOWN

<https://mcnmedia.tv/camera/butlerstown>

RADIO: Morning Mass from St. Paul's Church on the Radio at **107.9FM**

CHURCH OPENING FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

St Paul's Church weekdays 11am -1.00pm.

Butlerstown Church daily 12.00 to 4.00pm



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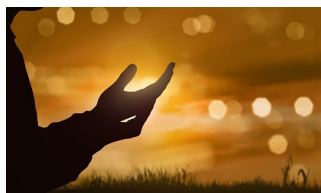
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ST PAULS SCRIPTURE GROUP will meet in St. Paul's Parish Centre beginning on the 12th of October on Wednesday at 11.am.

ST. PAUL'S SENIOR CITIZENS BINGO

in St Paul's Parish Meeting Rooms (entrance gate between Lisduggan Credit Union and St. Paul's National School) each Wednesday from 12th of October from 2.30 to 5.00pm. New Members welcome.



CHRISTIAN MINDFULNESS IN A TROUBLED WORLD A Talk by Dr Stefan Reynolds

(Retreat Director at Mount Melleray Abbey)

Our talk will explore the relationship between mindfulness and love. In attempting to do this, Dr. Reynolds asks the following questions: Is the world really speeding up, or is it our minds that are getting more busy and stressed? How do we deal with our worries? How can we separate genuine concerns from unnecessary anxieties? What is there in Christian spirituality that can be a practical help? Can faith be a motivation for the practice of mindfulness? How can we keep an eye on the bigger picture - the presence of God - while at the same time being attentive to the details of life?

By seeing mindfulness not just for peace of mind but as a way of growing in love we may find greater empowerment for living in the present moment. Is faith a way of connecting the details of life to a deeper source? In this way, religion may be a resource for peace rather than further division in an already troubled world.

Thursday, 13rd October, at 6:30 pm at SETU Waterford Campus, Room F01 (Business School) All Welcome - Admission FREE

HAIL HOLY QUEEN CONFERENCE 2022 LIVE ON RADIO MARIA IRELAND FROM 2PM ON SATURDAY 15TH OCTOBER. Speakers include Fr. Vincent Stapleton, Antonia Moffat, Fr. Brian McKeivitt OP, Katrina Leyden . Radio Maria Ireland can be listened to by downloading the Radio Maria Ireland APP, Saorview Channel 210 or listen live at (01) 4373277

ST. PAUL'S GOSPEL CHOIR

will sing at the 11.30am Mass in St. Paul's Church on Sunday 23rd of October.

CHECK IT OUT For updates on events/series in the Diocese of Waterford & Lismore ...Go to the web address below for the current issue of Check it out!

https://waterfordlismore.ie/wp-content/uploads/2022/06/WL_June-3rd-Diocesan-Events-Bulletin.pdf

VACANCY FOR MAINTENANCE ASSISTANT, ST PAULS CHURCH, LISDUGGAN, WATERFORD

COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT PROGRAMME

This is a developmental opportunity, no experience necessary. Accredited training will be provided to support your career.

Duties

Cutting Grass, weeding & Strimming,
Planting/maintaining landscaping,
Painting,
Refuse management,
Clean and maintain indoor and outdoor areas as directed by management.

Contract Type: Temporary
Employer Name: Compact Community CLG
Hours: 19.5 hours per week
Wages: CE Rates
Vacancy Reference: CES2246498

Contact Georgina Kiely Power 051/875847
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Georgina.kielypower@compactcommunity.ie

JUBILEE CELEBRATION OF PARISH MINISTRIES AND SERVICE

As part of our Jubilee, on **Sunday October 16th at 11.30 a.m. Mass in St. Paul's**, we will celebrate and honour all those who serve our faith community in parish ministries and services. We have been blessed over the years with a generous volunteering spirit which has enhanced our parish life in so many ways. **So, if you are, or have been, involved in any way, this is for you and you are invited to this special event.**

Each person will be presented with a memento of our Jubilee. Our liturgy will be accompanied by the Jubilee Choir.

Often I can ask God for my needs but can forget to give thanks. To give thanks completes the circle, and I am enriched by doing it. I ask you Lord to teach me to practice gratitude.



God will never leave you empty. He will replace everything you lost. If he asks you to put something down, Its because He wants you to pick up something greater.