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## Lord God,

whose days are without end and whose mercies beyond counting, keep us mindful that life is short and the hour of death unknown. Let your Spirit guide our days on earth in the ways of holiness and justice, that we may serve you in union with the whole Church, sure in faith, strong in hope, perfect in love. And when our earthly journey is ended, lead us rejoicing into your kingdom, where you live forever and ever. AMEN (Order of Christian Funerals, 332)

#### ANNIVERSARIES <u>ST. PAUL'S</u>

SARAH THERESA BURKE (MM) PEGGY MURPHY WALTER MURPHY RAYMOND KELLY & his father WILLIAM BETTY KAVANAGH JOHN GALIBERT Deceased Members of the COSTELLO & HOGAN FAMILIES DANNY WALKER MATTHEW WARREN JOHN BARRY

#### BUTLERSTOWN

JOHN O'BRIEN (MM) ANNETTE MURPHY NORA LEAHY KATHLEEN MORGAN

May they Rest in Peace



In November we gather to pray for our sisters and brothers who have gone before us.

They have ended their service on earth and passed to new life in company with Christ.

We pray that God may welcome them and shine His face upon them with all the saints of heaven.





5th of November 2023 - THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## Love Thy Neighbour (Matthew 23:1-12)

**'Practise** what you preach'. 'Walk it as you talk it'. These are sayings we use to highlight that words and actions in our Christian life should harmonise.

'Love is shown in deeds, not words' is the ending of the Ignatius' Spiritual Exercises, a compilation of meditations, prayers, and contemplative practices developed by St. Ignatius Loyola to help people deepen their relationship with God.

This is the criticism of Jesus about some of the Pharisees: they preached intolerable burdens of the law, and did not observe it themselves, nor help anyone to do so.

We find out how to be a follower of Jesus by watching him in the gospel, by hearing his word, and by living a life of love and compassion as best we can. We learn from him how to relate to others by how he does this himself. *Donal Neary SJ* 

Lord, Teach us, your children, to be caring of one another, To protect one another, as you gather us in your care. Help us to know peace that steals gently in through quiet acts of kindness.



#### HOLY SOULS NOVENA PARISHES OF ST PAUL'S & BUTLERSTOWN

The Holy Souls Novena is now taking place in St. Paul's Church and will continue until the 10th

#### of November.

Mass each weekday morning at 10am.

Weekend Schedule as Normal

Envelopes for your remembrance intentions will be distributed to homes and will also be available in the Church.

#### BEREAVEMENT MASS

Our special Mass for all who have been bereaved recently or in the past will take place in

St. Paul's Church

on Thursday 9th November at 7.30pm and in Butlerstown Church on Thursday 23rd of November at 7pm.

#### BUTLERSTOWN HOLY SOULS MASS

will be celebrated in Butlerstown Church on **Sunday the 19th of November at 3pm** in remembrance of all who are interred in Butlerstown Cemetery.



DONATIONS If you wish to make a donation to Parishes of St. Paul's & Butlerstown please click the Donate Button on our website. https://stpaulsandbutlerstown.ie/

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#### ST PAUL'S PRAYER GROUP

will hold their Prayer Meeting next Thursday from 2.30 to 4pm in the Prayer Room, St Paul's Church. All are welcome.



### PRAYERS FOR PEACE AND BELLS TO BE RUNG ON 11 NOVEMBER

On Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November, at 11.00 am, coinciding with the anniversary of the end of the First World War, Cathedrals and parish churches are invited to ring church bells as a call for peace and an end to war.

#### ST PAUL'S PARISH FUNDRAISING QUIZ

will take place on Tuesday 14th of November in St Paul's Parish Centre at 8pm. Teams of 4: €20 All are welcome. Teas & Coffees Served.

## **THE POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTION** *For the Pope:*

We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfils his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.





St. Mary's Abbey, Glencairn Saturday 25th November 10am to 1pm

Facilitator: Mother Marie Fahy, Abbess, Glencairn Abbey

A morning of reflection for Ministers of the Word as we prepare for Advent and Christmas

> Bookings - please call 051-874199 or email; marydee@waterfordlismore.ie (Spaces are very limited)

During this month as we recall with love the memories of dear ones who have gone before us, we ask the living God to grace us with an awareness of how blessed we are: Blessed with their wisdom that guided us Blessed with their courage that lifted us Blessed with their generosity that filled us Blessed with their love that formed us.

#### THE RSA'S 'CHECK IT FITS' SERVICE IS COMING TO WATERFORD!

The 'Check it Fits' Service is a nationwide, free expert service which aims to put parent's, grandparent's, and guardian's minds at ease that their child's car seat is safely and securely fitted in their car.

The service is quick, it's free and it is coming to Waterford where our experts will advise on how to fix any problem, demonstrate how to fit the restraint correctly and answer any queries participants might have.

Quish's SV Tramore ,Priest's Rd, Tramore, Co. Waterford, X91 NY96 10.00am - 5.30pm Wednesday 08 November Mum n Me Waterford Tramore Road Business

Park, Waterford, X91 FY07 10.00am - 5.30pm Thursday 09 November

#### OUR MASSES 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/buttlerstown

**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 -1pm **Butlerstown Church** daily 12 to 4.00pm

#### PRAYER FOR PRISONERS' SUNDAY • 5 NOVEMBER

Lord, you offer freedom to all people. We pray for those in prison. Break the bonds of fear and isolation that exist. Support with your love prisoners and their families and friends, prison staff and all who care. Heal those who have been wounded by the actions of others, especially the victims of crime. Help us to forgive one another, to act justly, love with mercy and walk humbly together with Christ in his strength and in his Spirit, now and every day. Amen.

Honour the wisdom of those who went before you. Bind it ever to your heart Tie it around your neck. When you walk, it will lead you, When you lie down, it will watch over you, When you wake it, it will talk to you! (Proverbs 6:20-22)

