CORK CATHEDRAL FAMILY OF PARISHES

South Parish - St Patrick's - Ss Peter & Paul's Blackpool - The Glen - Ballyvolane - Sunday's Well Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cork Cathedral Family of Parishes Lotto

Lotto Numbers: 06, 11, 23 Bonus: 03

Jackpot: No winner

Consolation prize: 1 Winner

This week's Jackpot is **€20,000**Consolation Jackpot **€475**

Lotto tickets are available for €2.50 each after the weekend Masses in all churches in the Family of Parishes.

We thank you for your support in the Lotto

There will be a second collection taken up at all Masses next weekend 22nd/23rd June for Peter's Pence.

The Peter's Pence collection is sent to Rome. It is used by the Pope to support special charitable projects in developing countries as well as defraying expenses of the work of the Church.

We remember and pray for our Recently Deceased

Sr Dolorosa Fleming – Cathedral

Kathleen O'Mahony – Cathedral

John Coughlan – Cathedral

Mary Fitzgerald – Cathedral

Marian Hegarty - Blackpool

Collections taken Last Weekend

- Cathedral €870
- South Parish €765
- St Patrick's/Holy Family €875
- Ss Peter & Paul's €1,652
- Blackpool/The Glen/ Ballyvolane
 €2,077

'Day for Life': a dedicated day celebrating the beauty and dignity of all human life

Day for Life Sunday is celebrated annually with a special message by the Catholic Church across Ireland, Scotland, England and Wales. It is a day specifically dedicated to raising awareness and reflecting on the deep value and meaning of human life at every stage, and in every condition. On Sunday 16 June, the Church will mark Day for Life 2024 with a message on the theme: *The Lord is my shepherd - Compassion and Hope at the End of Life*.

This year's message reminds us that Jesus did not send the sick away, rather He showed that life always has dignity and that there is no such a thing as a useless life. Catholics are called to defend this gift of life to its natural end and to protect vulnerable citizens from a culture that could pressure them into assisted suicide. In this way, we are encouraged to support people with the companionship of a listening ear, appropriate treatment, and the best of care, so that their last days can be times of grace, intimacy and love.

This message also includes a brief human-interest story about a young man named Matt, and the experience of a priest who ministered to Matt and his loved ones in his final months and days. This grace-filled time proved to be a period of intense compassion and profound dignity, as well as faith enriching experience of love and generosity for all concerned.

The Day for Life message is available on https://councilforlife.ie/day-for-life-2024/

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Intercessions – Day for Life – June 16 2024

On this Day for Life, conscious in a particular way of the gift of human life which is entrusted to our care, we bring our prayers to God.

- 1. We pray for Pope Francis, as he himself bears witness to hope in the frailty of his advanced years that the Lord may strengthen him and give him courage to complete the mission for which he has been sent. Lord hear us.
- 2. We pray for all who are faced with degenerative or terminal illness that they may experience the healing presence of Christ in the care of those who accompany them day by day. **Lord hear us.**
- 3. We pray for those who form public policy and who enact our laws that in their efforts to serve the common good, they may always have in mind the inherent dignity of every human person, which is not the gift of society, but the gift of a loving creator. **Lord hear us.**
- We pray for healthcare professionals that, even when a cure is no longer possible, they may continue to provide gentle and lifeaffirming care for all their patients. Lord hear us.
- 5. We pray for an end to war may respect and peace be always at the heart of human relationships. **Lord hear us.**
- 6. We pray for our family members, friends and neighbours who have died may they be surprised by joy as their best hopes are fulfilled in the Kingdom of heaven. **Lord hear us.**

Lord "we proclaim your love in the morning and your truth in the watches of the night". Be with us, as we accompany, in the morning and in the night, our sisters and brothers who live with terminal illness. Help us to be, for them, witnesses of your faithful love. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Coffa House Afternoon Tea Dance

Tuesday 18th June 2pm-4pm Music by the brilliant 'Haz Band' Great afternoon assured. Refreshments served All Welcome

Diocese of Cork and Ross Pilgrimage to Lourdes

20th to 25th September 2024 Bookings Contact: Joe Walsh Tours on 01-2410800 General Enquiries: 085-25 25 040

Please note that places have been filling up very fast in the past few weeks and the second of our two planes is now almost full – if you are planning on travelling on pilgrimage ensure that you book your place as soon as possible.

National Franciscan Pilgrimage to Knock

Secular Franciscan Fraternity of St Francis Liberty Street Is organising a Coach to Knock Shrine as part of National Franciscan Pilgrimage on Sunday 30th June. Travel Cost €20.00. Coach leaves St Francis at 7:00am. Returning at 10:30pm.

Stopping for breakfast outward and dinner on return trip if desired.

Tickets at Mass Office St Francis Church

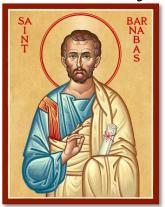
Mass in St Joseph's Cemetery Little Island

Mass will be celebrated in St. Jospeh's Cemetery, Little Island on Friday 28th June at 7.30pm. Family members, relatives and friends of those buried in the cemetery are all invited to attend. Please bring your own chair as seating will not be provided. In the event of bad weather, the Mass will be celebrated in nearby St. Joseph's church.

Mass in St Michael's Cemetery, Blackrock

There will be Mass celebrated for all the faithful departed in St Michael's Cemetery, Blackrock, on Wednesday 26th June at 7:30pm.

Feast Days of the Past Week







St Antony of Padua - 13 June