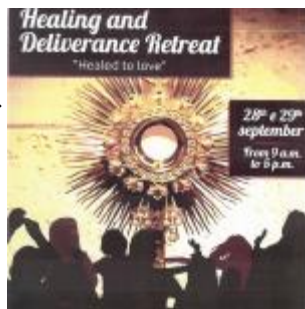


Healing and Deliverance Retreat

"Healed to Love"
28th & 29th September

The Brazilian Catholic Community invites you to participate in their *1st Healing and Deliverance Retreat*. It will be a weekend full of grace and a deep encounter with God's love. Come, be renewed in the Holy Spirit and feel closely what God has for all of us.

Preachers from Nancão Nova
Marianella—75 Orwell Road, Dublin 6
Registration €12 contact: David 0868771880
E-mail: catolicosemdublin@gmail.com



Reminder

Each First Friday of the Month

Matt Talbot Novena Mass and Prayers for Healing.



Matt Talbot was born on 2nd May 1856 in 3 Aldborough Court, off Portland Row. He was the 2nd eldest of twelve children.

Before long he established a pattern of work and heavy drinking and by the age of 16 he was a confirmed alcoholic.

Fortunately for him after his so-called friends abandoned him, he decided that he would give up drink and take the pledge.

With the help of prayer he reformed his life. Until his death in 1925 he lived a life that was radically different, marked by charity, gentleness and serenity.

Matt is seen as a champion of workers and he played a significant role in his union. He experienced unemployment and poverty. World wide today Matt's name is synonymous with fighting addiction of all kinds.

If you know of any housebound parishioner or anybody else who might be interested in this **NEWSLETTER** please give them a copy.



PARISH OF ST. AGATHA NEWSLETTER

15th September 2013

Fond Farewell to Fr. Tony

Dear Parishioners,

I would like to take this opportunity to wish Fr. Tony every blessing and fulfilment in his appointment to the Parish of Kilbride and Barndarrig, Co. Wicklow.



Fr. Tony has ministered for the past 11 years in St. Agatha's and know he will be greatly missed by many especially the elderly and the sick whom he ministered to with great care.

Fr. Tony's Dublin wit and turn of phrase will be greatly missed.

In more recent years the great care he showed towards his dear mother was a wonderful example to us all of Christian care and concern and although he may not be aware of it his example has left a deep impression on the parish.

Parishioners have described Fr. Tony as a "real priest" and this shows forth in his commitment to the Sacramental life of the parish, especially the Sacrament of Confession.

Whether walking or cycling around the parish Fr. Tony always had time for everyone.

His deep commitment to the right to life of the unborn will be particularly remembered.

On behalf of all of us in St. Agatha's Parish I want to thank Fr. Tony and wish him *ad multis annos*, may God who has begun the good work in him bring it to completion.

SLÁN AGUS BEANNACHT!

Fr. Brian

**Ireland's Biggest Coffee Morning
in aid of St Francis Hospice
on Thursday 19th September**



You are invited to a coffee morning

- ▶ in the **Prayer Room** (in the sacristy)
- ▶ after the 10.00 am Mass
- ▶ on **Thursday 19th September.**



By taking part in *Ireland's Biggest Coffee Morning* you will help St Francis Hospice, Raheny to continue to care for patients and their families on the northside of Dublin. All proceeds will go directly to Hospice care in our area.

Please bring a friend!!

Lourdes Invalid Fund



We would like to thank all those who contributed to this year's Lourdes Invalid Fund. The amount collected was **€1780**. The intentions of all contributors have been prayed for during the Pilgrimage Masses and placed at the Grotto.

Annual Crosscare Collection 
(the Social Care Agency of the Dublin Diocese)

The theme for this year's annual Crosscare collection is "Putting Faith into Action" the collection takes place at all Masses on **Sunday 22nd September** and replaces the usual share collection.

CROSSCARE is involved in a wide variety of social projects in Archdiocese of Dublin. Since it was founded over 70 years ago CROSSCARE has continued to seek to redress poverty and social exclusion.

It continues to develop new and innovative programmes and to sponsor new research to help inform policies on combating poverty and exclusion. In reaching out to those most in need CROSSCARE operates 11 programmes throughout the Diocese.

We are gathering together
unto Him

A celebration of
Charismatic Renewal in Ireland
past and present ... and looking ahead

Sunday, 29th September


2.30 p.m.

finishing with Mass
at 6.30 p.m.

in
The Pro-Cathedral
Marlborough St
Dublin

Organising group: Sr. Bridget Deane, Gerard Gallagher, Aileen Marie Leahy, Michael Leahy, Fr. Michael Harley, Brenda Lynch, Patricia Mitchell, Cyprian Sheehan.

Further information: Phone: 01-874 5441(Pro-Cathedral)
Email: ggallagher@dubhoose.org



Open to any young person of secondary school attending age

Word Spread

Are you looking for a place where you can meet other young people to explore faith and life in a fun and exciting way?

FaithFest – has music, prayer, workshops, and more!

For teenagers from parishes who wish to meet other teens from other parishes in Dublin.

FaithFest

Where?
Holy Cross College, Diocesan Centre, Dublin 3

www.evangelisation.ie
www.facebook.com/faithfest4eems
faithfest@dubhoose.ie

GET INVOLVED!

When? **4th Oct 2013** from **6-9:30pm**

Bring What? An empty Pringles box & empty solo can!
A warm blanket, coat & bring €2

To Book? Email faithfest@dubhoose.ie www.facebook.com/faithfest4eems

Archdiocese of Dublin

Dublin Culture Night – Visit Holy Cross College!
Dublin's Culture Night –

Clonliffe College, for the first time, will be a host venue for the *City's Culture* night next month. Explore an evening full of delight on **Friday, 20 September from 6.15- 9.15 pm** with events such as: **Exhibition of Archival Material on the 1913 Lockout, Talk at 6.15pm and 7.15pm and much more.**

The Light Within – will allow you to browse over a glorious collection of 20th Century Religious Art (Hanlon, Jellett, and Pye) followed by a talk at 6.45 p.m. and again 7.45 p.m.

The evening will include a beautiful Music Recital of Sacred Music from 8.15pm – 9:15pm.

Please spread the word. Admission free to all events.