

## The North Inner City *No Name* club



We wish every success to the *North Inner City No Name* club which has recently been set up in St Agatha's Hall. It began with a very successful disco in the hall on Friday evening, 20<sup>th</sup> May. The next disco will be on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June.

## PARISH PILGRIMAGE LOURDES SEPTEMBER 2005

The parish of St. Agatha is organising a pilgrimage to Lourdes travelling with the Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage from 7<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> September at a cost **€99** staying in the Agena Hotel. The group leader is Sr. Bridget O'Connor. *If interested please contact Fr. Liam (8556474) or Sr. Bridget (087 2389247).*

If you are interested in going to Lourdes as a Sick Pilgrim with the Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage please contact Fr. Liam - who will be travelling as one of the Chaplains to the Sick.

### *Sacred Heart Novena 2005*

- ◆ In St. Francis Xavier's, Gardiner Street
- ◆ From Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June

### **Novena Mass and Prayers**

Monday to Friday - 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.  
Saturday - 11 a.m. and 7.00 p.m.  
Sunday - 11 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.

### **Homily**

26-30<sup>th</sup> May Fr Barney McGuckian, S.J.  
31<sup>st</sup> May to 3<sup>rd</sup> June Fr. Richard Delahunty, CSSR

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

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# PARISH OF ST. AGATHA

## NEWSLETTER

22<sup>nd</sup> May 2005

## Corpus Christi Procession

In Clonliffe  
College  
grounds



Parishioners from  
St. Agatha's  
are invited to process  
behind the  
St. Agatha's Parish Banner.

In this  
Year of the Eucharist  
the Dublin Diocese is  
organising a  
Corpus Christi Procession  
in Clonliffe College  
on the  
Feast of Corpus Christi  
Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May.

On Thursday  
26<sup>th</sup> May  
at 7.30 p.m.

# New Parish Pastoral Council

The new Parish Pastoral was commissioned on the Feast of Pentecost, Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May at the 11 a.m. Mass.

At its first meeting on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May the following officers were elected:

Chairperson - Mary Irwin

Secretary - Dan Moore

We wish the Council every blessing as it begins its work in service of the parish.



## Sacrament of Confirmation

We pray for the boys of O'Connell Boys' School and the girls of St. Vincent's Girl's who will be confirmed by Bishop Fiachra O'Ceallaigh on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May at 11.00 a.m.

## Parish Pilgrimage 2005 to Kilkenny

on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> June



also St. Bridget's Cathedral, Kildare en route



Dinner in Naas on return journey.



Cost €35



Bookings - Dan Moore or sacristy (phone 8554078)



St. Canice's Cathedral, Kilkenny

## The Copper Coin Collection - Thank you

The copper coin collection took place on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> May. Thanks to all those who contributed and who collected. If you have copper coin that was not collected please bring it to church or phone the sacristy at 01 8554078.

We pray for Peggy Lee who died during the week - it was originally her idea over 20 years ago of collecting copper coins. Since then many parishioners keep a jar for their copper coins. What a difference such a simple idea has made to the parish!!



The amount collected at the churchgate last weekend 15<sup>th</sup> May for the *Irish Cancer Society* was €885. Thank you to all who contributed.

### Brother Kevin Loughran R.I.P.

We pray for the repose of the soul of Br Kevin Loughran who died on 14<sup>th</sup> May.

Born in Dublin in 1929, Bro Kevin served in Enniscorthy, Athy, Cabra, Tuam, Whitehall, Kells and O'Connell School.

*May he rest in peace.*

### Children's Mass Choir - Congrats

St Agatha's Children's Mass Choir took part in the New Ross Choral Festival on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May. They came third in the Primary School section. The Children's Mass Choir is part of the Dublin City Strings School. *Well done!!*

## Cemetery Masses

**Dardistown**  
5<sup>th</sup> June at 3 p.m.

**St Fintan's, Sutton**  
12<sup>th</sup> June at 3p.m

**Balgriffin**  
19<sup>th</sup> June

**Fingal**  
26<sup>th</sup> June

**Glasnevin**  
26<sup>th</sup> June at 3p.m.