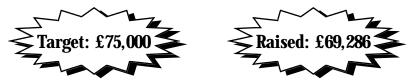
ST AGATHA'S ORGAN RESTORATION FUND... ALMOST THERE!!!



he Organ Fund now stands at £69,286.49. This total includes the £3,905.65 that has raised at the **Fun Race Night** in the CYMS Hall in Fairview on last Wednesay, 21st November. As well as being a fun way of raising money it was a very njoyable social evening. The Committee thank all who supported the night, specially all who attended - over 200 in number - and all who sponsored races and rizes.

You can help by sponsoring a pipe.

he Organ Restoration Committee have decided to close the fund once the target of 75,000 is reached. There is still a considerable number of smaller pipes for £15, 25 and £50 that have not yet been sponsored. If you wish to sponsor a pipe please ake a brochure from the table at the back of the church or from the sacristy. The ipe can be named in memory of a family, a friend or a loved one, living or dead. When the organ is completed that memory will be kept alive.

One pipe does not make an organ. Together we are making it happen.

Dublin Docklands Authority Switching-On of the Christmas Tree Lights

he **St Agatha's Adult Choir** has been invited to join with other choirs to sing at ne switching-on of the Christmas tree lights in the Dublin Docklands Authority on uesday, 4th December at 5.30 p.m.

Ieanwhile, the **St Agatha's Children's Mass Group** has been invited to sing at 11 to 12 to 13 to 14 Tolk's Christmas Party in Croke Park on Sunday, 16th December.

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

ne next issue of the NEWSLETTER will be published on 23rd December 2001. The structure of the Newsletter will be published on 23rd December 2001. The structure of the Newslet in the sacristy before Tuesday 18th December 2001. The variety out our parish website at www.dublindiocese.ie/parishes/northwilliamstreet

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PARISH OF ST. AGATHA NEWSLETTER

25th November 2002

ANNUAL MASS FOR DECEASED PARISHIONERS

The month of November is a special time of the year when we as Christians remember and pray for all those who have died. A special Mass will be offered for all our parishioners who have died between November 2001 and November 2002 and for all those whose names are entered on the Altar List of the Dead. It will take place in the Church on

Monday, 25th November at 7.30 p.m.

A PRAYER FOR THE DEAD

Lord,
may those who have died
sleep in the Peace
of God's eternal HOME
and at the dawn
of the new day
waken in Your Name.

Eternal rest grant onto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine on them. May they rest in Peace. Amen.

WE PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS WHO HAVE DIED NOVEMBER 2001 - 2002

| NOVEMBER 2001 | MARCH 2001 | AUGUST 2001 |
|------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| Carmel Woulfe | Annie Murphy | Frank Byrne |
| Bridget Hand | Florence Ellis | Derek Ennis |
| William Holland | Michael Buckley | Christina Strutt |
| Bridget Sheridan | Paddy Fitzsimons | Roger Phelan |
| DECEMBER 2000 | APRIL 2001 | John Fitzsimons |
| Clare White | Edward Brennan | William Molloy |
| Aidan Norton | Mary Jones | SEPTEMBER 2001 |
| Marie Mahedy | Sean Nolan | Josephine Murphy |
| Michael Sands | MAY 2001 | Cecil Hewitt |
| Marie Little | Peter Byrne | John Farrelly |
| Lily Leetch | Kathleen Smallhorne | OCTOBER 2001 |
| JANUARY 2001 | JUNE 2001 | Richard Lynch |
| Eileen Ward | Kathleen Duffy | Br. Phil Canny |
| Frank Kelly | Carmel Dixon | Conn Sweeney |
| Bridget Love | Rosaleen Harcourt | Agnes Casey |
| Seamus Smith | JULY 2001 | Tommy Maguire |
| FEBRUARY 2001 | Christina Johnston | James McDonnell |
| George Rock | Gerard Fahy | NOVEMBER 2001 |
| Hannah Fullam | Patrick Nugent | Patrick Byrne |
| Catherine Kelly | | Johnnie Reid |

WE PRAY ALSO FOR PARISHIONERS WHO DIED DURING THE YEAR AND WHO WERE NOT BURIED FROM OUR CHURCH.

ADVENT

ADORATION DURING ADVENT

As a way of preparing ourselves spiritually for Christmas, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held:

- in the Prayer Room (in the sacristy)
- on Monday afternoons 3rd, 10th and 17th December.
- from 2.00 to 4.00 p.m. with Rosary at 3.30 p.m.
- entrance by sacristy door.

We pray also for parishioners who died since November 2001 and who were not buried from our church.

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

If you wish to receive the Sacrament of Confession for Christmas in our church, it is available during the 10.00 and 11.00 Masses on Saturday mornings and during the 7.00 p.m. Mass on Saturday evenings. There will be a **Communal Rite of Confession** in the Church on **Monday 17th December after the 7.30p.m. Mass**.

REPOSITORY

Advent calendars are available in the Repository at the back of the Church—as are Christmas cards, Christmas candles and small cribs.

IRISH CATHOLIC WEEKLY NEWSPAPER

A series of articles on Advent and Christmas will be starting in the 2nd December issue. Copies are 60p each and are available in the Repository.

FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SATURDAY 8TH DECEMBER

Masses Friday evening at 7.30 p.m.
Saturday morning 9.00, 10.00 and 11.00 a.m.
Please note the 7.00 p.m. Mass is that of the 2nd Sunday of Advent

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