



St. Agatha's Parish Pastoral Council Update



Hello Everybody,

After our summer break we are back and our first meeting will be on Tuesday 1st September. The main focus for the near future will be Evangelisation. What is that you might ask?

In the words of *Mathew 28:19-20* "*Go therefore, and make disciples of all nations and teach them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold I am with you always, until the end of time.*"

And also from *Luke 12:49* "*I have come to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were blazing already*".

Let this be our target over the next year. As a starting point in this mission the Parish Pastoral Council hope to take part in an Alpha Course starting at the end of September and running one night a week for 10 weeks.

Dan Moore,
Chairperson, Parish Pastoral Council.

Senior Help Line Do you need someone to listen?



We provide a confidential listening service

- ◆ For older people
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- ◆ For the price of a local call
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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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Mass of Our Lady of Lourdes

on

**Monday 31st August at 7.30 p.m.
in the Church of St. Agatha**

All are welcome

especially those who contributed and collected for the Lourdes Invalid Fund, the Sick Pilgrims travelling from this parish, the helpers and the parish group led by Sr. Bridget.

Month's Mind Mass

We remember

**Elizabeth Keogh James Devitt
Margaret O'Neill**

whose Month's Mind Mass takes place
on

Sunday 30th August 2009 at 10.30 a.m.

The Return of the Prodigal Son

A one day retreat

Reflection

Prayer

Faith Sharing

Meditation

Quite Time



Saturday, 12th September

10am to 4pm Donation based

St. Clement's Faith Centre

Monastery of St. Alphonsus (Redemptoristines)

St. Alphonsus Road, Drumcondra, Dublin 9

Tel: 087-7989 301

THE WELLS FOR KENYA PROJECT



“ The Daughters of Charity wish to express their deep gratitude to all the parishioners of St. Agatha’s Parish for their recent donation of a further €1100 towards their Mission in Kenya for the wells project. ”

This fund began in our Centenary Year and brings the amount donated to a total of €120.

The Daughters of Charity also acknowledge in this time of recession the wonderfully kind and compassionate people of the Parish.

“ With renewed gratitude and an assurance that you will be remembered in our prayers. ”

Sr. Catherine Prendergast, DC



Thank You

The recent Copper Coin Collection amounted to **€1290** for which we are most grateful.



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