

WELCOME SR NORA

Sr. Nora O'Sullivan has come to live in the parish in St. Vincent's, North William Street. She has previously been working in St. Vincent's Trust in Henrietta Street with young people.

Sr. Angela Garrihy has retired from her teaching post in the girls' school and has gone to work in a parish in Belfast.

Sr. Patsy Finneran from Rendu Appartments has gone to take up a post in Mount Prospect Retirement Home in Clontarf.

We wish them every blessing.

REPOSITORY

There is now a new supply of religious objects, statues, christmas cards, advent and 2002 calendars, children's books and other interesting items in the repository.

Please feel free to come in and browse.

Mount Carmel - King's Inns Street Secondary School

Invite applications for September 2002. If you are interested please contact the Secretary, Jane at 8730958.

St. Francis Hospice thank you for £829 which was raised at the Coffee Morning in our church on 20th September.

Rev. Edward Grimes of the Mission Society thank the parish of North William Street for £551 which was collected at the masses in our church on Mission Sunday, 21st October.

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

The next issue of the **NEWSLETTER** will be published on 25th November.

Items for inclusion must be left in the sacristy before Tuesday 20th November.

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PARISH OF ST. AGATHA NEWSLETTER

28th October 2001

Fun Race-Night

in aid of

St. Agatha's Organ Restoration Fund

in the

CYMS Hall, Philipsburgh Ave. Fairview

on

Wednesday 21st November

at 8.00 p.m.

Ticket includes:

- Admission
 - Transport by bus
 - A Horse in one of the races
 - A programme for the night
- Tickets available in sacristy.



Tickets
£5

Update on Organ Restoration

Work on the restoration of the organ has begun. Stage 1 has been completed - the dismantling of the organ and preparatory work. It is hoped that the work will be finished in June 2002. The organ fund is now £64,143.84. Our target is £75,000

CALENDAR FOR NOVEMBER

Monday 29th October	Bank Holiday Monday Masses at 10 and 11a.m. No 9 a.m. or evening Mass.
Wednesday 31st October	Eve of All Saints Mass at 7.30p.m.
Thursday 1st November	Feast of All Saints Masses at 9, 10 a.m. and 7.30p.m. <i>Today we celebrate not only the canonised saints but all the dead who are in heaven including our relatives and friends.</i>
Friday 2nd November	Feast of All Souls - First Friday Masses at 9, 10 a.m. and 7.30p.m. <i>The church asks us "to help the faithful departed by earnest prayer to God for their entry into the communion of the saints in heaven".</i>
Tuesday 6th November	Feast of All Saints of Ireland Masses at 9 and 10 a.m.
Sunday 25th November	Feast of Christ the King Masses at 7.00p.m.(Vigil Saturday) 9, 10, 11 a.m. and 12 noon.
Monday 26th November	Annual Mass for Deceased Parishioners Mass at 7.30p.m. for all our parishioners who have died since November 2000.

NOVEMBER

a time we pray for those who have died

The month of November is a special time of the year when we as Christians remember and pray for all those who have died.

Altar List of the Dead

You are invited to place the names of all those of your family and friends who have died on to the *Altar List of the Dead*. All those names who are entered on the *Altar List of the Dead* will be prayed for at all the Masses during the month of November.

They are then kept at the back of the altar where they are included in the prayer of the Masses in our church until November 2002 when they will be shredded.

An *Altar List of the Dead* and envelope are included in this Newsletter.

When completed they can be:-

- Put on the collection plate during Mass
- Placed in the box at the altar rails
- Or handed into the sacristy

St. Agatha's Senior Citizens Club Mass

- A Mass will be offered for deceased members and for all the souls
- in Sr. Louise's Hall
- On Tuesday 6th November at 3.00 p.m.
- A cup of tea will be served afterwards

Everyone is welcome to this Mass

Bethany Bereavement Support Group

This is a voluntary parish-based ministry, which aims to help the bereaved and grieving.

An open meeting will be held:

- In the Prayer Room (at back of church)
- Monday 19th November
- From 8.00 to 9.00 p.m.
- Entrance by sacristy door