



Most Holy Sacrament Church, Cherry Orchard

8th January, The Baptism of Our Lord

www.cherryorchardparish.com

Fr Michael & all those ministering at our Parish wish you Every Good Wish & Blessing for the New Year. We are very grateful for your support, assistance & generosity in the past year & look forward to it in 2023.



Christmas Day Collections

1st Common Fund - € 536.67

2nd Share - € 443.58

Sincere thanks for your generosity.

1st January 2023



Many Thanks to Our Hard-Working

Lotto Team & Lotto Sellers

Numbers Drawn 1 – 2, 9, 25 - No Winner

1. Megan Collins (8) 2. Vicky Doolin (4)
3. Pauline Flynn (20) 4. Mark O'Callaghan (20)

Draw 2 – 9, 23, 25 - No Winner

Sellers Prize: Bridgie Reilly (25)

**Next Week's Jackpot: 1. €10,000
2. € 4,350 approx**

Alpha, a New Year's Gift to yourself?

Alpha is an eleven week course that creates a space where people are excited to bring their friends for a conversation about faith, life, and God. It is based on hospitality, sharing and open conversation. Participants connect over food, to begin: watch a video: take time to Connect, Watch, Discuss. The discussion time is an opportunity for people to respond to the talk, hear from others and contribute their own perspective in an honest, friendly and open environment.

We hope to run an Alpha Course in Ballyfermot, **Tuesday evenings 7.00-8.30, beginning Tuesday January 24th, 2023.** **Venue: Pastoral Centre, beside Assumption Church: 199 Kylemore Road, Dublin 10.** This course is for anyone 18 and over, wherever you are on the spectrum of faith or no faith, it's for young and old, parents, partners, searching for meaning, asking the hard questions, exploring faith, life and God. Learn more about Alpha from YouTube or googling it. Enquiries to seamus.devittcssr@gmail.com

Find us on www.alphaireland.org /find an Alpha.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

January 18 - 25

So that they may all be one, as you, Father, are in me and I in you, that they also may be in us, that the world may believe that you sent me.

John 17:21

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity takes place from January 18 to 25 www.christianunity.va

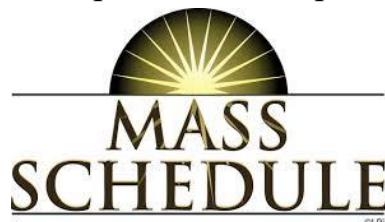
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“It is the beautiful task of Advent to awaken in all of us memories of goodness and thus to open doors of hope.” – Pope Benedict XVI.

May the welcoming gates of paradise open to this shepherd and may his soul rest in the eternal peace of God. Requiescat in pace.

The daily schedule of mass/communion services @ 10am this week will be announced from day to day. Fr Michael is away at the Redemptorist’s Chapter (AGM). Please remember them in your prayers as they plan for their future in Ireland.



If you or someone you know are experiencing difficulties over the Christmas or New Year Period the following contact numbers may be of help;

C.A. (Cocaine Anonymous) 087 3174989 – Every Friday at 7.30pm in Cherry Orchard Church

Alcoholics Anonymous, Gamblers Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous - contact: Ballyfermot Resource Centre Tel. 6269599

The Samaritans Tel. 116123 (freefone)

Pieta House Tel. 0818111126 / 1800 247 247



St. Vincent de Paul - looking for €€ help **01 8550022**
(they can also help with electricity bills and pre-pay electric)

Money Advice and Budgeting Service Helpline (MABS) Tel. 0761072800 or 086 7841819

Bereavement Support Line is available from **10am to 1pm, Monday to Friday**, by calling **1800 80 70 77**.

Parish Calendars for 2023 are available at the back of the Church. They contain a lot of local important information and contact numbers. Kindly take one for yourself and for your neighbours. If you could take one for your road/apartment block/area/ etc - You would be doing a great service to your area. To avoid duplication, kindly let Fr Michael know which areas you have taken calendars for. Many thanks again for your effort in distributing Parish Calendars.

A Blessed & Happy 2023 to All

Parish Personnel

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Marriages By Request

3 months minimum notice
Must be given to Church and State
(See Civil Registrar of Marriage-)



www.civilregistrationservice.ie



COLLECTIONS

Sunday, 1st January

1st Common Fund - € 166.70
2nd Share - € 112.18
Family Offering - €

Sincere thanks for your generosity.



MassTimes

Saturday (Vigil)7.00 pm

Sunday.....11.00 am

Holydays.....11.00 am

Weekdays

Monday – Friday ...10.00 am

(Bank Holidays.....11.00 am)

Confessions ...6.00pm - 6.30 pm
or By request at anytime

Safeguarding Children

Confidential Line:

If you are concerned about the safety of children now or are still worried about something that happened in the past you are very welcome to call...083 0920894

You can also contact the **Tusla Office** at **076 6955587**

Or our **Local Garda Station 01 6667200**



Baptisms

Times of Baptisms.....Every Saturday at 1.00 pm.

Booking a baptism..... Two week’s notice must be given by the child’s parents.

Godparents...Must have received Sacrament of Confirmation.

