Mass Intentions

Sunday:

6.00 pm Bridget O'Connor (Anniv) 12.00 pm Paddy Carroll (Anniv) Also Celia Hogan (Anniv)

Weekdays

Monday

Maureen Fenner (Rec Dec)

Tuesday

Mary Bonotty (Rec Dec)

Wednesday

Donors Intentions

Saturday

Ann Owens (Anniv)

NIGHT FEVER.

On Sunday evening, 23rd June, the eve of the feast of St. John the Baptist, we will



repeat Night Fever. It was very successful last year. A team of people will go out from the church to invite people to come into the church to light a candle for a particular intention. They will be presented with the candle on the street. There will be silent meditative prayer in the church.

We need volunteers to sit in the church and pray for the intentions and others to go out and present people with a candle and to invite them to come in. If you would like to get involved, please give your name to Maura O'Looney, either Fr. Johns, or into the sacristy or parish office. Could you do that as soon as possible. It would be marvelous if the event is as successful as last year

Annual Cemetery Masses

May 26th at 3.00 pm Angels Blessing of Remembrance, Glasnevin June 9th at 12.00 pm St Fintan's June 23rd at 1.00 pm Fingal Cemetery June 30th at 3.00 pm Glasnevin Cemetery July 7th at 3.00 pm Dardistown Cemetery July 14th at 1.00 pm Balgriffin Cemetery



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21. The Gospel joy which enlivens the community of disciples is a missionary joy. The seventy-two disciples felt it as they returned from their mission (cf. Lk 10:17). Jesus felt it when he rejoiced in the Holy Spirit and praised the Father for revealing himself to the poor and the little ones (cf. Lk 10:21). It was felt by the first converts who marvelled to hear the apostles preaching "in the native language of each" (Acts 2:6) on the day of Pentecost. This joy is a sign that the Gospel has been proclaimed and is bearing fruit. Yet the drive to go forth and give, to go out from ourselves, to keep pressing forward in our sowing of the good seed, remains ever present. The Lord says: "Let us go on to the next towns that I may preach there also, for that is why I came out" (Mk 1:38). Once the seed has been sown in one place,

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VISIT OF THE PAPAI NUNCIO.



To mark the feast of the parish, on the eve of the Feast of St. John the Baptist, Archbishop Montemayor will celebrate the 12noon Mass in our church on Sunday 23rd June. All are invited and welcome to attend.

The first collection for the priests last weekend came to €675 and the second collection for SHARE came to €444