

**THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME  
10<sup>th</sup> JULY 2016**

**‘You must love the Lord your  
God with all your heart, with  
all your soul, with all your  
strength, and with all your  
mind and your neighbour as  
yourself ’**



**OUR JUBILEE CELEBRATION**

Thank you to everyone who made the Jubilee Celebrations for our parish church such a memorable occasion last Sunday. Bishop Field blessed our bronze relief of St. Finian.

We were happy to welcome back priests and sisters who served in the parish over the years, along with the Syro-Malabar and African chaplains and area priests. The local community was well represented. Our African and Syro-Malabar brothers and sisters lifted our hearts with song and dance. Our parish

choir, folk group and children's choir all led our thanksgiving in song. A large number of servers added greatly to the celebration. Afterwards everyone enjoyed refreshments in the sunshine, including dishes from our overseas communities. Bishop Field cut a beautifully decorated cake presented by the African Community. Music was provided and there was fun and dancing in the car park in the afternoon sun. Many, many thanks to Catherine Byrne and the Jubilee Committee for a joyful and fitting celebration of our Church and God's blessing to ourselves.

**CELEBRATING 25<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY  
IN ST FINIAN'S**

In *The Irish Catholic* this week there is a full page article including photos celebrating 25th anniversary of St. Finian's. It was a great day with community groups, local musicians, face painting and fun for all. Please pick up a copy at the back of the church

**OUR PARISH ORDINATION**

We congratulate Fr Damian Polly O.P on his ordination this weekend. Fr Damian celebrates his first Mass here in the parish today. We ask the Lord to guide him and be with him each day as he journeys on the road of his new pastoral life. We wish him every grace and blessing.



**A SPECIAL THANK YOU**

A new brass altar rail has been put in place in the sanctuary on the steps near the Baptismal font. The Syro-Malabar have offered to pay for it and we are most grateful to the community for their spontaneous gesture.  
**THANK YOU !**

**POPE FRANCIS**



**PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION  
LAST WEEKEND.THE TOTAL  
COLLECTED WAS €955**

**2<sup>nd</sup> July/3<sup>rd</sup> July**

**For the running of our parish**

Envelope Collection: **€690**  
Standing Orders: **€370**

The above are the ONLY collections that stay in the parish to support the running costs of our parish. Please consider contributing if you don't already do so.

Please contact Stephanie in the parish office for details.

**Collections for outside the parish**

**Common Fund: €715**  
(First collection)  
**Share €955**  
(Peter's pence)



Church gate collection this weekend in aid of

St Vincent de Paul

Last weekend Our Lady Queen of Heaven collected €269.42. Many thanks for your support.



**Baptism Dates**

Baptisms on the following  
Sundays at 12.30pm

July 24<sup>th</sup>

August 14<sup>th</sup> and August 28<sup>th</sup>

September 11<sup>th</sup> and September 25<sup>th</sup>

**LOURDES FUND COLLECTION**



**The parish will be having a collection after all Masses on the weekend of July 16<sup>th</sup> /17<sup>th</sup> to raise funds for the sick and the elderly who would like to travel to Lourdes this year.**