



St. Joseph's Church Wilton



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SYNOD SURVEY.

The dioceses of Ireland have now submitted their submissions for the Synod and it interesting to see the similarity of issues being addressed:

ARMAGH DIOCESE: The church both at local and universal levels was perceived by those who engaged in the process as very hierarchical. Most people do not feel that they have any meaningful say in how it is administered or in the decisions it makes.

TUAM: The importance of a proper religious education in our primary and secondary level schools was referenced in many responses.

KILMORE: The church needs to either get with the times or expect less and less young people taking part.



I forgive people.
It doesn't mean I accept
their behavior and trust
them again. It means I
forgive them for me, so I
can let go and move on
with my life.

UKRAINE SMA SUPPORT.

(A note from Poland to Wilton Parish)

Dear Father Michael,
Find below please the latest news from the Centre of African Missions concerning the Ukrainian refugees of war we welcomed in Poland. I would like to thank you in a very special way for the commitment of the Wilton Parish in Cork for every single effort to find the donations to help us at this difficult time. Greetings from our Centre.
Grzegorz SMA

A copy of Fr. Grzegorz's letter is on the Notice Board at the back of the church. I am happy to say that we will be sending a further €1,000 to Fr. Grzegorz. This will bring the amount of Ukrainian support up to €20,000.

The **Knit for Africa group** meet in the Coffee Dock every Monday at 2 pm. The group is doing great work knitting materials for children in Africa. Some people do not attend but in the quiet of their homes they support the work of the group with home knitting.

A visit to Mount Melleray.

The parish is considering a day of reflection and prayer on **Tuesday 26th July** during a visit to Mount Melleray. A bus will depart the church early in the morning and return in the evening. **A day of quietness and prayer is assured.** To make the trip financially viable for everyone we need sufficient people to join.



If you wish to join, please give your name and phone number at the Parish Centre before the 14th July.

FACES OF CORK – Part 2.

A second selection of Faces of Cork representing people who have played a significant part in the life of Cork is now on view in the Parish Centre in the Coffee Dock. People are free to view the display, free of charge, during opening time of the Centre. Faces of Cork—part 2 can also be viewed on our website www.smawilton.ie

MONTHLY CHARITY – FLIP FLOP APPEAL

Flip Flop Appeal. This charity is the brainchild of a group of young people who are seeking financial support for women and young people in developing countries. **Collected to date €1,005.** Well done.

People wishing to support the cause of the young people can make donations in the wall boxes at the front of the church.

Art Exhibition by local artist Magda Keane Thursday 7th July in Bishopstown Library at 3 pm. All welcome.

READING THE GOSPEL OF LUKE.

Between this Sunday and the end of the Church's year (end of September) the Gospel that will be read on Sundays will once again be the Gospel of Luke. It's not easy to make sense of a book if we rely on reading it paragraph by paragraph each week. Please try and find the time to read the Gospel of Luke. **The Gospels are central to our faith.**

Copies of Luke's Gospel on sale in the Mass Office at €2.

Wilton Walking Group.

The group assembles at 11.15am at the entrance of the Parish Centre. On returning you can relax and chat with a cuppa in the Parish Centre. All are welcome.

BINGO takes place every Monday night at 7.50 pm, in the Parish Centre.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice.

PENITENTIAL ACT

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life. Amen.

Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**
Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**
Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

THE GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.



OPENING PRAYER

O God, who in the abasement of your Son have raised up a fallen world, fill your faithful with holy joy, for on those you have rescued from slavery to sin you bestow eternal gladness.

✠ LITURGY OF THE WORD ✠

FIRST READING Isaiah 66:10-14

A reading from the prophet Isaiah.

Rejoice, Jerusalem, be glad for her, all you



FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The mission of every follower of Christ is to be a peacemaker. 3rd. July 2022



who love her! Rejoice, rejoice for her, all you who mourned her!

That you may be suckled, filled, from her consoling breast, that you may savour with delight her glorious breasts.

For thus says the Lord: Now towards her I send flowing peace, like a river, and like a stream in spate the glory of the nations.

At her breast will her nurslings be carried and fondled in her lap. Like a son comforted by his mother will I comfort you.

And by Jerusalem you will be comforted.

At the sight your heart will rejoice, and your bones flourish like the grass.

To his servants the Lord will reveal his hand.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Ps. 65:1-7.16.20

R. Cry out with joy to God all the earth.

1. Cry out with joy to God all the earth, O sing to the glory of his name. O render him glorious praise. Say to God: 'How tremendous your deeds!' (R)
2. Before you all the earth shall bow; shall sing to you, sing to your name! Come and see the works of God, tremendous his deeds among men. (R)
3. He turned the sea into dry land, they passed through the river dry - shod. Let our joy then be in him; he rules for ever by his might. (R)
4. Come and hear, all who fear God. I will tell what he did for my soul. Blessed be God who did not reject my prayer nor withhold his love from me. (R)

SECOND READING Galatians 6:14-18

A reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Galatians.

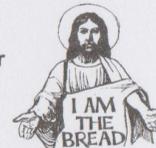
The only thing I can boast about is the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom the world is crucified to me, and I to the world. It does not matter if a person is circumcised or not; what matters is for him to become an altogether new creature. Peace and mercy to all who follow this rule, who form the Israel of God.

I want no more trouble from anybody after this; the marks on my body are those of Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, my brothers. Amen.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! May the peace of Christ reign in your hearts; let the message of Christ find a home with you. Alleluia!



GOSPEL Luke 10:1 - 12. 17-20.

*(*Shorter form in italics 1-9*)*

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

The Lord appointed seventy - two others and sent them out ahead of him, in pairs, to all the towns and places he himself was to visit. He said to them, 'The harvest is rich but the labourers are few, so ask the Lord of the harvest to send labourers to his harvest. Start off now, but remember, I am sending you out like lambs among wolves. Carry no purse, no haversack, no sandals. Salute no one on the road. Whatever house you go into, let your first words be, "Peace to this house!" And if a man of peace lives there, your peace will go and rest on him; if not, it will come back to you. Stay in the same house, taking what food and drink they have to offer, for the labourer deserves his wages; do not move from house to house.. Whenever you go into a town where they make you welcome, eat what is set before you. Cure those in it who are sick, and say, "The kingdom of God is very near to you."

But whenever you enter a town and they do not make you welcome, go out into its streets and say, "We wipe off the very dust of your town that clings to our feet, and leave it with you. Yet be sure of this: the kingdom of God is very near." I tell you, on that day it will not go as hard with Sodom as with that town.'

The seventy - two came back rejoicing.

'Lord,' they said, 'even the devils submit to

us when we use your name.' He said to them, 'I watched Satan fall like lightning from heaven. Yes, I have given you power to tread underfoot serpents and scorpions and the whole strength of the enemy; nothing shall ever hurt you. Yet do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you; rejoice rather that your names are written in heaven.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,

All bow for following two lines:

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God, the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

✠ LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST ✠

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

May this oblation dedicated to your name purify us, O Lord, and day by day bring our conduct closer to the life of heaven. Through Christ our Lord.

AFTER THE CONSECRATION

The mystery of faith.

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Come to me, all who labour and are burdened, and I will refresh you, says the Lord.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Grant, we pray, O Lord, that, having been replenished by such great gifts, we may gain the prize of salvation and never cease to praise you. Through Christ our Lord.