

*THE GOSPEL*  
Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

*This people honours me with their lips,  
but their hearts are far from me.*

Lord,  
help our hearts,

as they visit prison,  
tender a smile  
or feed the hungry.

Be within us

so that  
all we do,  
we do with your love.

Let us reach out to our neighbour  
when we are too busy or  
too tired.

Let the world know we are your disciples  
not because our hands are clean,  
but because they are dirty  
with the service of your  
people.

# Our Lady of the Visitation Parish

Under the pastoral care of the Pallottines, Society of the Catholic Apostolate.  
Registered Charity No. 233699

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## COMMUNITY

Fr. Eugene Lynch SCA, Fr. Tom Daly SCA,  
Fr. Kevin Ward SCA, Fr. John Egan SCA.

## OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Saturday 9.00 am – 4.00 pm  
Sunday 10.00 am – 1.30 pm

## MASSES

Monday – Friday	12.00 noon
Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	12.00 noon and 7.00 pm
Sunday	7.00 pm Saturday – Vigil Mass 8.00 am, 9.00 am, 10.30 am 12.00 noon and 7.00 pm
Confessions (Saturday)	11.00 am – 12.00 noon and 6.15 pm – 6.45 pm

## TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

30<sup>th</sup> August 2015

The readings for today's Mass are on  
page 126 of the Mass book.

The Creed – page 11      The Lord's Prayer - page 57

The response to the Psalm is:

*The just will live in the presence of the Lor54d.*

The Acclamation is:

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

*Next week's second collection will be for the Restoration Fund.*

### **BAPTISM MEETING**

The Baptism meeting for September will take place NEXT Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> September at 10.00 am in the Church Meeting Room, which is around the church and up the ramp near the car park.

#### For families living within the parish of Our Lady of the Visitation:

- For a first child then come along to the Pre-Baptismal Meeting in the Church Meeting Room at 10.00 am on the first Sunday of the month. Please bring a copy of the child's birth certificate.
- If you live in the parish, and have already had a child baptised here then make arrangements with the Parish Office for the Baptism.

#### For families who worship weekly at Our Lady of the Visitation, but live outside the parish you need:

- (1) a letter of permission from the Parish Priest where you live,
- (2) a copy of the birth certificate and,
- (3) attendance at the Baptism meeting.

If you live outside the parish and do not worship here weekly, you would need to arrange the Baptism in the parish where you live.

### **SUNDAY SCHOOL 2015-2016**

Sunday School registration will ONLY take place in the Parish Centre, on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> September, from 10.00 am, followed by a parents' meeting. Children currently attending Sunday School and eligible for First Holy Communion will also apply on this date. **AFTER THIS DATE ONLY CHILDREN OF PARENTS WHO MOVE INTO OUR PARISH AFTER SEPTEMBER WILL BE ABLE TO REGISTER FOR THE COMING YEAR.** Priority will be given to children of families who live within the Parish OR who worship weekly at Our Lady of the Visitation Church.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL AUTUMN TERM STARTS ON SUNDAY 13<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER.

### **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2016**

Application forms and details for prospective Sunday School First Communicants will be available from Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> September (see above). For children at the Visitation School, the forms will be made available via the School.

### **CONFIRMATION 2016**

The Sacrament of Confirmation is offered to our young parishioners, practising their faith, in School Year 10 or above. Application forms and relevant details will be available from Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> September in the Parish Office

### **EVENING of PRAYER and HEALING**

On the first Friday of the month (4<sup>th</sup> September), commencing at 7.00 pm, Fr. John will host an evening of prayer and devotion in honour of Our Lady of Medjugorge. The evening will include Prayer of the Rosary, Testimony, Celebration of the Eucharist, and prayers for Healing, finishing with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

### **PILGRIMAGE to MEDJUGORJE**

There are still some seats available on this year's pilgrimage, which leaves on 9<sup>th</sup> September. If you are interested please contact the Parish Office (020-8578-1363) or [www.joewalshstours.ie](http://www.joewalshstours.ie) for more details.

There will be a morning Mass at 7.30 am on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> September, for those going to Medjugorge.

**THE BUS WILL BE LEAVING FOR THE  
AIRPORT AT 8.00 am PROMPTLY.**

### **NEW BABY GROUP**

If you are expecting, or have just had, a baby, you are very welcome to come along to our small, friendly group for a coffee and chat. We meet every TUESDAY from 1.00 to 3.00 pm in the Church Meeting Room, which is around the church and up the ramp near the car park. For more details call Terry on 020-8575-3060 or 07971-821511.

### **EXPRESSION of GRATITUDE**

Danny and Thomas McNaughton would like to thank everyone who supported them through Bernice's illness and recent death. Your help and prayers are very much appreciated. Mass will be offered for all your intentions.

### **Funeral Arrangements**

#### **Mary Ann Glynn**

Reception 7.00 pm, Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September, Visitation Church.

Mass 1.00 pm, Friday 4<sup>th</sup> September, followed by cremation at Breakespear Crematorium.