



The Parish of Mungret ✚ Crecora ✚ Raheen

PENTECOST SUNDAY.

4TH JUNE, 2017



Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mould me, fill me, use me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
(...on us, on all)

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MASS TIMES IN THE PARISH :

Raheen: Vigil 6pm Sun 11am & 12.30 pm. Mon 11 a.m. Tue to Fri 10am Eucharistic Adoration 10.30am – 10 pm

Crecora: Sunday 10 a.m. Tue.Wed.Thurs 9.15am. Eucharistic Adoration: Thurs to 12noon & 6p.m. - 10 pm

Mungret: Sunday 11.30 a.m. Wed. & Fri 9.30 a.m. Saturday 11.30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration: Wed 10am–12 noon.

Mass Times 3rd/4th June

6 p.m. Martin & Therese Keating (A)

11. a.m. Conor Johnston (A))

12.30 pm Johanna O'Connor (A)

& Frank Costelloe (A)

Crecora: Eileen Hayes (A)

Week ahead: 5th – 9th June.

Raheen

Mon Pro Pop

Thurs Bob & Kitty Nix (A)

Weekend 10th/11th June

Raheen:

6 p.m. Michael O'Leary (A)

& Jackie Bourke (A)

11 a.m. William & Charlotte Butler (A)

12.30 p.m. Michael Walsh & Michael Snr. (A)

Pentecost Sunday - Spirit Alive:

Someone dies and we say he kept his spirit alive to the end; or we say that 'his spirit lives on'. A word we talk easily. It's something elusive, you can't pin it down. It comes from somewhere. Maybe from parents, a spirit of endurance or being able to make it through a tough time; or from our prayer and faith. Today is the feast of the Spirit of God, alive, active and joyful. Pentecost is the flame of God's own love, given to his followers to mark the birth of the community, the body of Jesus, the Church.

It is the spirit of forgiveness always, a gift of the first Pentecost. Compassion, mercy, forgiveness and a hope of justice for all are gifts we ask from the Spirit who blows among us strongly today. (Intercom)

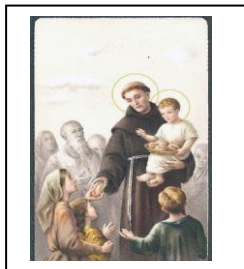
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Bank Holiday Monday: Mass 11a.m.Raheen

Padre Pio: Mass and Prayers in Mungret Church on Wed next 7th June at 9.30 a.m.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul: Last collection before September takes place this weekend. Thank you for continued help and support.

Clerks Collection: Envelopes are ready for distribution and will be distributed in the parish during the week. Please show your appreciation and support for our parish clerks who do such excellent work.



NOVENA IN HONOUR OF ST. ANTHONY –

St. John's Cathedral, Cathedral Place, Limerick.

Monday 5th June to Tuesday 13th June.

Conducted by Fr. Brian Allen OFM.

Masses each day 5.45pm (Saturday 10.00am & 6.00pm).

(Sunday 10.30am & 7.00pm) With Novena Prayers, Homily and Blessing with Relic.

Tuesday 6th Blessing of Expectant Mothers after evening Novena.

Friday 9th Anointing of the Sick @10.00am Tuesday 13th Blessing of Children @ 9.15am in The School Hall, St. John's Girls' and Infants Boys' School. Blessing of Lillies on the final day.

Prayer for that which is lost.

St. Anthony, perfect imitator of Jesus, who received from God the special power of restoring lost things, grant that I may find (name the item) which has been lost.

At least restore to me peace and tranquillity of mind, the loss of which has afflicted me even more than any material loss.

To this favour, I ask another of you:

that I may always remain in possession of the true good that is God.

Let me rather lose all things than lose God, my supreme good.

Let me never suffer the loss of my greatest treasure, eternal life with God. **Amen.**

Members of the **Redemptorists Community** will speak at Masses in Raheen Church next weekend on their upcoming Novena in Mount St. Alphonsus..

Copies of **Safeguarding for young people** are available at the back of the church. Every family should take one and read it and be familiar with protocol and procedures.

Prayer before an Examination.

Dear Lord, as I take this exam, I thank you that my value is not based on my performance, but on your great love for me. Come into my heart so that we can walk through this time together. Help me, not only with my test, but with many tests of life that are sure to come my way.

As I take this exam, bring back to my mind everything I studied and be gracious with what I have overlooked.

Help me remain focused and calm, confident in the facts and in my ability, and firm in the knowledge that no matter what happens today you are there with me.

Amen