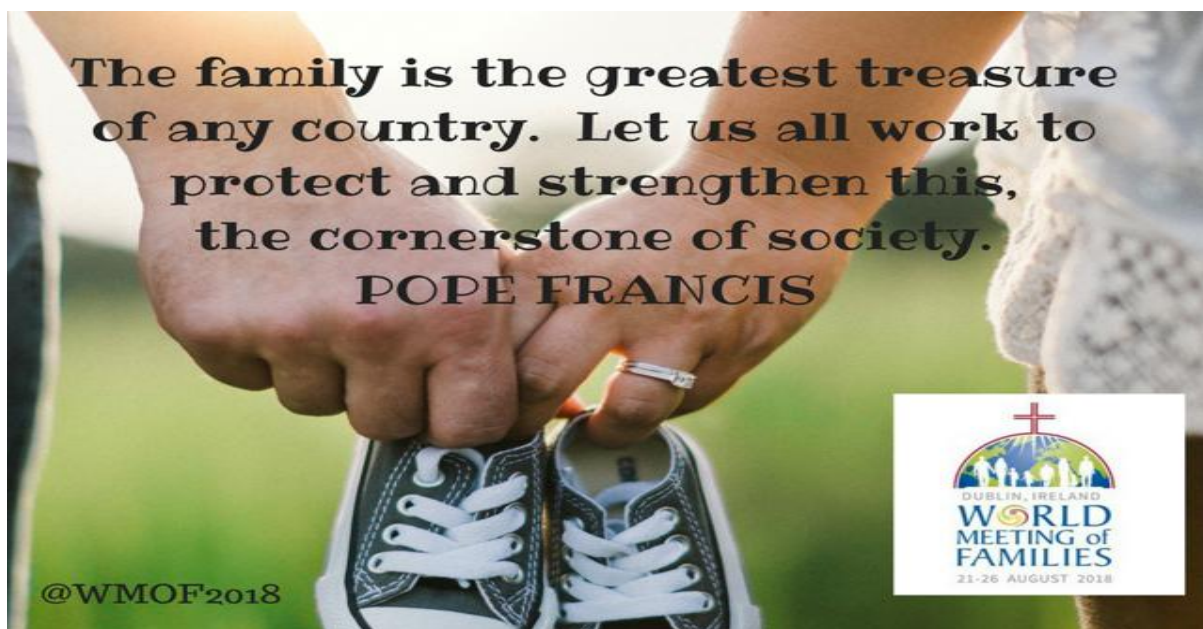




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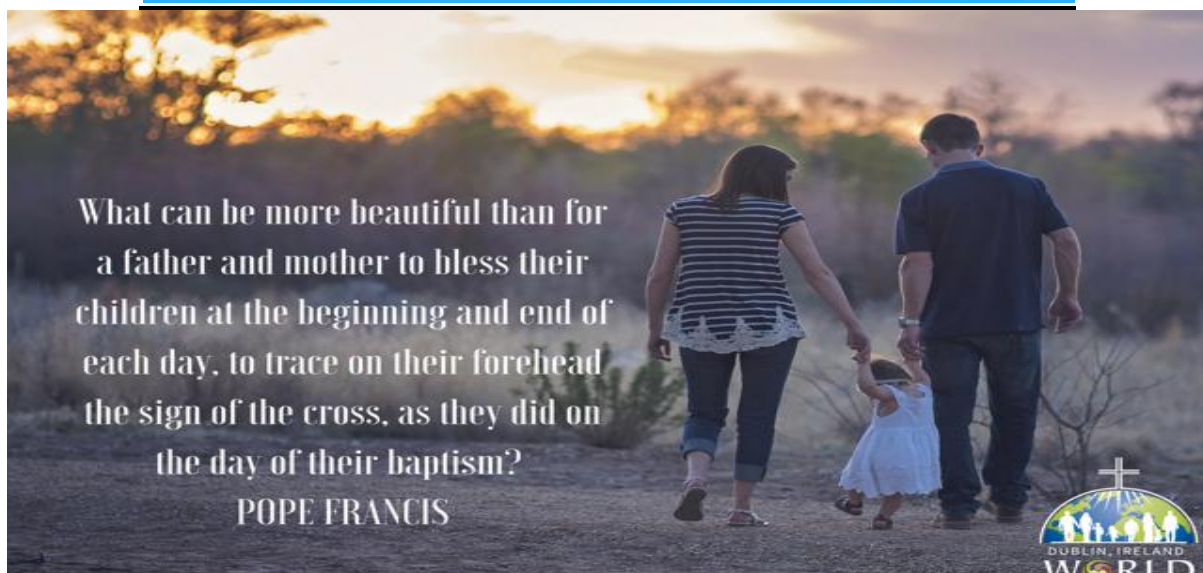
Second Sunday of Lent.

25<sup>th</sup> February 2018



National Collection for the World Meeting of Families 2018

Please support the third National Collection for WMOF2018 which will be taken up in our parish on the weekend of 24 & 25 February



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## MASS TIMES IN THE PARISH :

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

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

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

Mass Times 24 <sup>th</sup> /25 <sup>th</sup> February, 2018	
<b>Vigil 6 pm</b>	Michael O'Brien (1 <sup>st</sup> A) Kathleen McTernan (Month's Mind)
<b>Sunday:</b>	
11. a.m.	Paul Butler (A)
12.30 pm.	Thomas & Bridget Neville (A)
<b>Crecora:</b>	Con McNamara (A) Tom Skelly (A)
<b>Mungret:</b>	
Sun	John & Mary O'Dwyer (A)
<b>Raheen Week ahead 26<sup>th</sup> Feb – 2<sup>nd</sup> March</b>	
Mon:	Pro Pop
Tue	Special Intention
Wed:	Brid Flynn & Maria Knott (A)
Thurs:	Special Intention
Fri:	Purgatorial

Weekend 3 <sup>rd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> March	
<b>Raheen:</b>	
6 p.m.	Patrick I O'Brien (A) Cyril Murphy (Months Mind) and Nuala Murphy (A)
<b>Sunday:</b>	
11a.m.	Ted & Joan Scully (A)
12.30 pm	Mamie Sinden (A)
<b>Mungret:</b>	
<b>Sun:</b>	Marian Hallinan (A) Christy Coughlan (A)
<b>Crecora:</b>	John & Nora O'Neill (A)

## We pray for Rose O'Brien RIP

Dan Lynch (A) Kathleen O'Connell (A)

## THE JOY OF LOVE: AMORIS FAMILY PROGRAMS THIS LENT!

### TOPIC – THE REALITY OF FAMILY.

A parish conversation program about family, marriage and love. Based on Pope Francis letter to families : *Amoris Laetitia*, *The Joy of Love*. Starting in the Millennium Centre, Raheen, on Thursday March 8th at 7.30 – 8.30 p.m.

(also anyone interested in going to a one day session in Dublin on the bus should contact Margaret Ahearne and Ann Louise Campbell through the Parish Office 061-210869

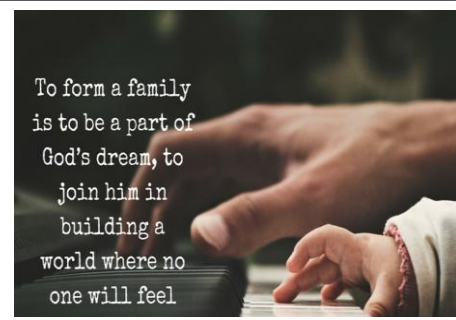
**Baptismal Meeting:** Thursday next 1<sup>st</sup> March at 7.30 p.m. in the Millennium Centre, Raheen.

**First Friday:** Friday next 2nd March.

**First Friday Devotions to the Sacred Heart/Immaculate Heart in Raheen Church.** Masses 10.15 p.m. & 12 midnight. Confessions included.

## World Meeting of Families

National Collection for the World Meeting of Families 2018. Please support the Third National Collection for WMOF 2018 which will take place in our Parish this weekend 24<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> February, 2018 at all Masses.



**CHOOSE LIFE 2018:** Issue No.4 This week Kames and Anne-Marie Mahon tell their story. "As a couple some of the most precious moments share together include meeting our two children time. We have great memories of marvelling at their growth and development during pregnancy.

## Why not follow Choose Life 2018 on Facebook

**Lourdes in September:** Thanks for the interest in our Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes. We will travel on 22<sup>nd</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> September. Why not join us? Names to Fr. O'Shea. Please consider.

**Trocaire Boxes:** Don't give up on them this Lent is the theme of Trócaire. Please take a Trocaire box for your family. Boxes are available at the back of the church. Your contribution makes a difference to the poor of the world.

**Pioneer Lenten Challenge:** Many people abstain from alcohol and take the Short-Term Pledge for the duration of Lent. Make your Lenten pledge by visiting [www.pioneersassociation.ie](http://www.pioneersassociation.ie) or by contacting your local Pioneer centre representative. Details at the front door porch of Raheen Church.



Proposed trip to Boom: Wednesday May 30<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2018. Wednesday: Visit Lafcadio Hearn Japanese Garden in Tramore, Co. Waterford; then on to visit what is regarded as one of the most beautiful gardens in Ireland, Altamont Garden, Tullow, Co. Carlow. On then to Dublin to hotel and dinner that evening. Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> May, full day at BLOOM and return to home. No price yet until I can establish interest. Get your names in this coming week by **TEXT** to Fr. Richie 087 2977500 so I can get working on the trip and if there is enough interest we will be off again this year to BLOOM.

**All Church Volunteers** namely Eucharistic Ministers, Readers, Choir Members, Sacristans, Bereavement Group etc. etc. are invited to a Child Safeguarding Meeting on March 6th. 7.30 p.m. in the Millennium Centre, Raheen. This update is very important in view of recent legislation. Please contact Sec. with numbers.

**Pope Francis on Lent: I wish you all a fruitful Lenten Journey, and I ask you to pray for me. Prayer can change you. Your life changes when you allow God to come into your life.**

**Mungret-Raheen Youth Club** - Induction meeting for parents and young people Wed 28<sup>th</sup> Feb at 7.15 p.m. in St. Nessan's National School, Mungret. Welcome.

**Pro-Life Rally:** Buses leaving Limerick for Dublin Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> March for Pro-Life Rally to save the 8<sup>th</sup> Amendment. Contact 085-2044791 for a seat.