

# WE'RE BACK!

## PALMERSTOWN ACTIVE RETIREMENT

We hope all our members had a good Christmas and wish you a very Happy New Year. All activities will resume on the week beginning Monday, 8 January 2018.



### **THE CONCERT SERIES. NO.3**

#### **“Tis the season of Opera and Ballet”**

We welcome back Ted Courtney to  
Stewarts' Library, Mill Lane

For a new series of monthly talks as follows:-

**7.30pm on 11 January 2018**

**'Tannhauser and Gotterdammerung'**

Wagner finds his true identity through Myth and Magic.

**7.30pm on 25 January 2018**

**"How to enjoy Ballet"**

- An introduction to Tchaikovsky.

**7.30pm on 8 February 2018**

**'The Russians and 'Boris Godunov'',**

Stalin's favourite opera.

**7.30pm on 22 February 2018**

**'Spartacus' by Aram Khachaturian and the feet of the Russian dancer.**

This talk will be linked to the *“RTE NSO Psalms & Requiem Bernstein, Elgar and Durufle Concert”* which will take place on the following evening in the National Concert Hall.

**Free talk and all welcome.**

**Phone : 01-6518129**

**Email: library@stewartscare.ie**

## *Parish Bulletin*

**The Parish of St Philomena,  
Palmerstown**

**Parish Priest: Canon Tony Reilly, Tel.: 6266254**  
**Parish Mobile: 087-4104939 (For Emergency Contact)**  
**Website: [www.palmerstownparish.com](http://www.palmerstownparish.com)**

### **06 – 07 JANUARY 2018**

## **The Baptism of The Lord**



**“You are my Son.”**

**Checkout our website [Palmerstownparish .com](http://Palmerstownparish.com)  
for PowerPoints on the Sunday Gospels**



Please note that there will be **no** Outdoor  
Collection this weekend.

Date	Mass Time	Intentions
Saturday, January 06	10.30 am (School Hall)	Margaret & Frank Hughes (Anniversary)
Saturday, January 06	12.00 noon	Nancy & Edward Bond (Anniversary)
Saturday, January 06	6.00 pm (Vigil)	Tony & Kathleen Mayne (Anniversary)
Sunday, January 07	10.30 a.m. (School Hall)	Patrick McGeever (Anniversary)
Sunday, January 07	12.00 noon	Jim Gilbert (Anniversary)
Monday, January 08	10.00 am	Prayer Service
Tuesday, January 09	10.00 am	Prayer Service
Wednesday, Jan 10	10.00 am	Prayer Service
Thursday, Jan 11	10.00 am	Prayer Service
Friday, January 12	10.00 am	Prayer Service
Saturday, January 13	10.00 am	Jenny Murray (Birthday Anniversary)
Saturday, January 13	6.00 pm (Vigil)	Ina Downey (Anniversary)
Sunday, January 14	10.30 a.m. (School Hall)	Tom Mernagh (Anniversary)
Sunday, January 14	12.00 noon	Clive Lockwood (Anniversary)

## A PRAYER FOR THE NEW YEAR

The tide of time washes over the old year as it fades away



and the New Year is beginning  
bringing in a brand new day.  
A clean slate and a blank canvas made ready  
for me to display  
my many acts of loving kindness  
through each passing day.

Please God help me to fill each canvas with sweetness and love  
as I try to walk in the footsteps of my Lord from heaven above

Royston Allen

## CONTACT DETAILS

### S, A C R I S T Y

**Sacristan:** Donal Byrne, **Part-Time Assistant Sacristan:** Tom Geoghegan  
**Hours:** 9.30am – 11am Mon – Friday. **Telephone:** 6266241  
(For all queries regarding Booking Masses, Christenings, Weddings,  
Month's Minds, obtaining Baptismal & Confirmation Certs)

### PARISH OFFICE

Located In the Parish Centre, **Parish Secretary:** Ruth Collender, **Telephone:** 6260900  
**Hours:** 9.15a.m. - 11.45a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Fridays  
**Email:** [stphilomenaparish48@gmail.com](mailto:stphilomenaparish48@gmail.com) Website: [www.palmerstownparish.com/](http://www.palmerstownparish.com/)  
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### BAPTISM

First Saturday at 12.00 noon and third Sunday of each month after 12.00 noon Mass.  
Initial Application should to be made in the Sacristy (Tel: 6266241).

### MARRIAGE

At least three months' notice is required to Church and State. It is necessary to contact a priest  
in the parish in which you live well in advance. He will organise your Church Documents. For  
pre-marriage courses ring **Accord** at 8404550.

### BOOKING MASSES

Masses may be booked in the Sacristy after Mass (Tel: 6266241).

### CERTIFICATES

Baptism, Confirmation & Marriage Certificates may be obtained in Sacristy (Tel: 6266241).

### FIRST FRIDAY VISITS

If you, or someone you know, wishes to be visited by a priest/minister of the Eucharist on the  
first Friday of the month please leave the name, address and phone number into the Sacristy.

For further information on the above, please check out our website:

[www.palmerstownparish.com](http://www.palmerstownparish.com)

### FAMILY GIVING

Many thanks to all who contribute to the Family Giving and by Standing Order collections.  
These are the only funds available to maintain the Church and Parish to its present high  
standard. If you would like to receive Family Giving Envelopes, please contact Ruth at the  
Parish Office, Tel: 6260900.

### NEWCOMERS TO THE PARISH

We welcome all newcomers to the parish and offer you every good wish as you settle  
among us. If you would like to be actively involved in parish life, or if you need any  
information, please let us know, anytime, through the sacristy.

### CHILD PROTECTION REPORTING PROCEDURE CONTACT NUMBERS:

The Diocesan Designated Person: Mr Andrew Fagan (01)8360314  
The Deputy Designated Person: Ms Sinead McDonnell (01)8360314  
The Duty Social Worker of the local HSE, Cherry Orchard. 6264702  
Ballyfermot Garda Station 6667200, Ronanstown Garda Station 6667700