



**Palmerstown Youth &
Community Centre (beside
SuperValu)**



**Sunday, 25 February 2024
3pm to 6pm**

**Music by Arthur Moynihan Admission: €10
More Information: Tel: 01-6166981**



The **ANNUAL COLLECTION** for **ACCORD Dublin**, the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, will take place at all Masses this weekend, 17/18 Feb 2024.

ACCORD Dublin throughout the Diocese offers:-

- ❖ Marriage Preparation courses – online, small groups.
- ❖ Counselling for couples and individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships, currently online or by phone.
- ❖ A Relationship and Sexuality Programme for schools.

**ACCORD Dublin needs your support this year more than ever.
Please give generously.**

Parish Bulletin

**The Parish of St Philomena,
Palmerstown**

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17 - 18 February 2024

**FIRST SUNDAY IN
LENT**

READINGS AT MASS THIS WEEKEND

First Reading: 9:8-17

Second Reading: 1 Peter 3: 18-22

Gospel: Mark 1: 12-15





CHURCH NOTICES

FAMILY GIVING

Sunday, 11-Feb-24 TBA

COMMON FUND

Sunday, 11-Feb-24 TBA

SHARE

Sunday, 11-Feb-24 TBA

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

6pm Vigil Mass (Sat)

9.30am and 12 noon

WEEKDAY MASSES

10am on Monday,
Wednesday, Thursday,
Friday and Saturday

Tuesday

10am Eucharistic Service

HOLY DAYS MASSES

7.30pm Vigil Mass

10 am on Working Holy Days

9.30am & 12 noon on

Christmas Day and St
Patrick's Day

SAFEGUARDING

If you have a concern about child abuse, please contact Mr Andrew Fagan, Director, Child Safeguarding & Protection Service, Dublin Archdiocese (Mon-Fri: 09:00-17:00, Tel: 01-8360314 or Deputy Liaison Person Tel: 01-8360304. Tusla Office, Local Garda Station, or HSE (vulnerable adults) 1850 24 1850 or at info@hse.ie

Mass Intentions

Saturday, 17 Feb	10am	Eileen Leonard (Birthday Remembrance)
	6pm (Vigil)	
Sunday, 18 Feb	9.30am	Anne Connolly (Month's Mind)
	12 Noon	
Monday, 19 Feb	10am	Oliver Byrne (Anniversary)
Tuesday, 20 Feb	10am	Eucharistic Prayer Service
Wed, 21 February	10am	Maureen Hanan (Anniversary)
		Josephy Farley (Anniversary)
Thursday, 22 Feb	10am	Eucharistic Prayer Service
Friday, 23 February	10am	Jean Cullen (RIP)
Saturday, 24 Feb	10am	
	6pm (Vigil)	Phil Brady (Anniversary)
Sunday, 25 Feb	9.30am	Paddy McCartney (RIP)
	12 Noon	Michael Greville (Anniversary)

Dear Lord,

So far today, I'm - doing all right.



I have not gossiped, lost my temper, been greedy, grumpy, nasty, selfish, or self-indulgent. I have not whined, complained, cursed, or eaten any chocolate. I have charged nothing on my credit card.

But I will be getting out of bed in a minute, and I think that I will really need your help then.

Just LENT 1

Our Prayer

Loving God,
in this season of Lent
you call us to act justly,
love tenderly
and walk humbly with each other
so that we can build
your Kingdom of justice and peace,
your Kingdom of love and truth,
your Kingdom of holiness and grace
in our world today. AMEN

Sunday Scripture Link

1st Sunday of Lent
Genesis 9: 8-15
1 Peter 3: 18-22
Mark 1: 12-15

Theme:
Flood and Desert



- In this Sunday's first and second readings you will notice mention of a flood.
- Flood in the Bible connects with danger and disaster, but our first reading assures us that God will never destroy the earth.
- Jesus is in the wilderness of the desert in the Gospel and he emerges from this experience proclaiming Good News from God.
- The early Christians realised that the flood of God's grace, which flows from Jesus' desert experience, is positive because it is about our Baptism.

“ There is no life without water. We cannot survive without it. Sometimes we call Planet Earth, the Blue Planet. Salt water accounts for 97.5 per cent of all water in the earth; the remaining 2.5 per cent is fresh water. This 2.5 per cent sustains human life on earth - our life. In a real sense it is the foundation of all human civilisation; however, because it seems to be in such abundance, we appear to take water for granted. While fresh water is a global concern, it is always a local issue. Most people drink from the well in their own yard. In the past one hundred and fifty years, with the significant industrialisation of society and of agriculture, the demand for fresh water has increased exponentially, and the effects of vastly increased urban living can be seen in our rivers, lakes and oceans. ”

#2.1 The Cry of the Earth, The Cry of the Poor
Archbishop Dermot Farrell

SEE What effects of flooding are you noticing in our country and world?

DISCERN How much water does your household use for cooking, bathing and cleaning?

ACT What could you do differently this Lent to preserve water?

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