

For Attention of Parents of children attending Primary Schools or have yet to start: The Department of Education is currently conducting a Primary School Survey that will determine the future provision of Primary Schools and crucially could lead to lasting changes in your school. In simple, direct terms, you are being asked if you want your school to stay a Catholic school or if you want that to change. Don't leave it to others, have your say before 16 December 2025.

Participate before 16 December 2025 in the Department of Education and Youth's #PrimarySchoolSurvey



www.gov.ie/en/department-of-education/campaigns/primary-school-survey/

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Catholic school

CHRISTMAS FOOD POVERTY APPEAL



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Parish Bulletin

The Parish of St Philomena
Palmerstown

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06 – 07 December 2025

2nd Sunday of Advent

Peace



*Christmas
Mass Bouquet*



CHRISTMAS MASS BOUQUETS

Christmas Mass Bouquets (€2.50 each) are now available from the Sacristy (Church) and Parish Office (which is based in Palmerstown Parish Centre).

*Christmas
Mass Bouquet*



CONTACT US

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Parish Office: ✉: parishoffice@palmerstownparish.com Hours: Mon - Fri: 8.30am - 2pm
Website: www.palmerstownparish.com, Webcam: www.churchservices.tv/palmerstown

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CHURCH NOTICES

FAMILY GIVING

Sunday, 30-Nov-25 €1,213

COMMON FUND

Sunday, 30-Nov-25 €645

SHARE

Sunday, 30-Nov-25 €425

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.4

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

Mass Intentions

Saturday, 06 Dec 10am	Funeral Mass of the late Johnny (Seán) Hynes (RIP)
6pm (Vigil)	Elizabeth Tynan (Anniversary) Marion & Kevin Callaghan (Ann) Joe Dixon (Month's Mind) Hilda & Michael Downey (Anniversary) Tom & Cora Corbett (Anniversary) Anne Collins (Anniversary)
Sunday, 07 Dec 9.30am	Ronan Leonard (Anniversary) Joe & Betty O'Shea (Anniversary)
12 Noon	Jack Wrafter (Anniversary) P J Wrafter (Anniversary) Gretta & Eugene Clarke (Ann)
Monday, 08 Dec 10am	Michael Greville (Ann)
7.30pm	Sean Gorman (RIP)
Tuesday 09 Dec 10am	Eucharistic Prayer Service
Wed, 10 Dec 10am	Tony McClelland (Anniversary)
Thurs, 11 Dec 10am	
Friday, 12 Dec 10am	
Saturday, 13 Dec 10am	George & Rose Reid (Anniversary) & Daughter-in-Law Margaret Reid (Ann)
6pm (Vigil)	Des Cloak (RIP)
Sunday, 14 Dec 9.30am	
12 Noon	Ann Haran (Anniversary)

TRAINING FOR NEW ALTAR SERVERS

We would like to start a new team of Altar Servers in our parish.

If your son or daughter is in First Class upwards and is attending Saturday evening/Sunday Mass, they might like to think about helping out as Altar Servers!

Training and support will be provided for all concerned. Each one has a part to play and this might be the part that your child would like!

Email sacramentspalmerstown@gmail.com or speak with Fr Tony or Cathy at Sunday Mass. An enquiry is not a commitment



SVP PALMERSTOWN ANNUAL INDOOR COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

SVP Annual Indoor Collection will take place at all Masses this weekend in place of the regular Share collection.

This Annual collection is supported with great generosity in Palmerstown every year. Together with the outdoor monthly collections and a number of generous donations, over €20,000 is donated every year by the people of Palmerstown. All funds received are used in providing direct assistance to families in need in our parish. No money is spent on Administration.

The assistance provided is in the form of Food, Clothes, Gas, Electricity, Household goods and School expenses. Cash assistance is not provided.

Please continue to support SVP in Palmerstown as generously as you always do. Thank you

Other ways to donate directly to Palmerstown SVP include.

- **Online** https://www.svp.ie/?form=annual_appeal_2025 (or click the Donate button on [svp.ie](https://www.svp.ie)) and choose ► Designation ► East ► Dublin ► Holy Rosary Palmerstown.
- **Phone 0818 176 176** to make Debit/Credit Card donation and specify Palmerstown.
- **Make Bank Transfer** to account SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL HOLY ROSARY PALMERSTOWN IBAN: IE13BOFI90120443497264 BIC:BOFIE2D.
- Place donation in an **envelope** clearly marked SVP and drop into one of the church collection boxes or leave into the sacristy.
- Send **cheque** payable to SVP Palmerstown to: SVP East Region, 91-92 Sean McDermott St. Dublin 1, D01 WV38.



THE FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

takes place on Monday, 08 December 2025
Masses will take place in St Philomena's Church
at **10.00am & 7.30pm**