

**OFFICIAL FAMILY PRAYER FOR WORLD MEETING OF
FAMILIES 2018**

God, our Father,

We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son,
One family, in the Spirit of your love.
Bless us with the joy of love.
Make us patient and kind,
gentle and generous,
welcoming to those in need.



Help us to live your forgiveness and peace.
Protect all families with your loving care,
Especially those for whom we now pray:

*[We pause and remember family members and others by
name].*

Increase our faith,
Strengthen our hope,
Keep us safe in your love,
Make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share.

This we ask, through Christ our Lord,
Amen

*Mary, mother and guide, pray for us.
Saint Joseph, father and protector, pray for us.
Saints Joachim and Anne, pray for us.
Saints Louis and Zélie Martin, pray for us.*

Parish of St Luke the Evangelist

Mulhuddart • Gyrrelstown • Hollystown



Weekly Newsletter

11th/12th August 2018

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B

Parish Information

Mass Times

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and
Friday 10am

Wednesday 10am Communion Service

Saturday Vigil 6.30pm

Sunday 10.00am and 12noon

Parish Priest

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Baptisms

Last Saturday of each month at 3pm

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Legion of Mary

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SCREENING OF PAPAL MASS IN THE CHURCH

As many parishioners will not make it to the Papal Mass in the Phoenix Park we thought some may like to watch the Mass together in the church? It may be that you would feel more comfortable at home, but if you would like us to make the space available to you, please leave your name in the sacristy after Mass. Depending on the interest shown, we can decide how best to proceed.

PAPAL MASS PHOENIX PARK – TRAVEL INFORMATION

With only two weeks to go until the Papal Mass in the Phoenix Park, here is some information on travel and access to the venue.

Firstly, decide how you will travel to the Phoenix Park well in advance - bus, train, Luas, walking or coach. Public transport and coaches will be given priority and will bring you closest to the Phoenix Park. Leave your car at home - **there is NO car park near the venue.**

If you have a ticket for the Phoenix Park Mass, you will be allowed to travel for free on public transport within Dublin on the day of the event.

Please note that given the volume of people attending this event, the gate through which you will enter the Phoenix Park will be assigned to you. You will also be required to leave from this same gate. When you receive your ticket for the event, it will include the information on your route to the Phoenix Park and the gate you must use to enter and exit.

The journey through the day for those attending will be long and will involve significant walks to and from the Mass depending on where you are coming from. Walking is unavoidable due to the size, scale and location of the event. Therefore appropriate footwear and weather related clothing is advisable. An estimated time guide of walking, queuing and standing time is 8-9 hours so please be prepared. This event is not seated so you may be standing for some time. However, portable seating will be allowed into the venue.

To help you with your journey there are a number of supports in place. Designated rest zones will be positioned at regular intervals at the transport hubs, along these walking routes and at the gates. Multiple food and drinks stations will also be available, as will medical facilities, toilets and baby changing facilities. There will be volunteers throughout the venue, at the gates and at the hubs who will be able to help you.

Remember this is an important and joyful international gathering and a once in a lifetime opportunity to be in the presence of our Holy Father Pope Francis. Please show patience and kindness to those around you at this very special celebration.

DUBLIN'S "CAMINO" FOR THE WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES

The World Meeting of Families 2018 Pilgrim Walk will take place from 18 – 25 August 2018. Pilgrims are invited, in a single day or over a few days during that week, to undertake the Walk. It involves visiting seven designated churches and spending time in prayer in each of them for a special intention for families before finishing the visit with the WMOF2018 prayer. Each pilgrim will be issued with a pilgrim walk passport which will be stamped at each church in the ancient tradition of the Camino of St James. A pilgrimage certificate of completion will be stamped when they arrive at the last of the seven churches. Each church will have a roster of ambassadors to meet the pilgrims, stamp their pilgrim passports and offer a WMOF cead míle fáilte. The churches can be visited in any order.

The route for the Pilgrim Walk includes the following churches:

- **St Teresa's Carmelite Church, Clarendon Street** – the theme is *"the gift of parents to the family."*
- **St Francis Xavier's, Gardiner Street** – the theme is *the role of teachers in enriching the children of our families.*
- **St Saviour's, Dominick Street** – the theme is God walks with families when times are tough
- **St Michan's, Halston Street** – *the gift of children to the family*
- **St Michan's, Church Street** – *fostering the gift of forgiveness among families*
- **St Audoen's Church, High Street** – *the gift of grandparents to the family*
- **Our Lady of Mount Carmel (Whitefriars), Aungier Street** – *love at the heart of the family*

All churches will remain open each day between 9.30am and 7pm. You can download the Pilgrim Walk map in PDF form at www.dublindiocese.ie/7-church-pilgrim-walk-for-wmof2018