

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time 8th/9th Feb 2025

Mass times during the Week

Saggart: Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 11am. **Rathcoole:** Tuesday & Thursday 10am.
Newcastle: Monday & Friday 10am.

Recently deceased: John McDermott, Saggart, Michael McKeon, Rathcoole.

ACCORD Collection

The annual collection for ACCORD Dublin, the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, will be made at all Masses on the weekend of 15th & 16th February 2025.

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.

Marriage Encounter

Restore, Renew, Rekindle. We welcome you to our next Marriage Enrichment Weekend, March 28 to 30, 2025. Venue: Knock, Co. Mayo. Visit www.marriageencounter.ie

Teams of Our Lady

Celebrate Your Marriage with Teams of Our Lady! As we mark National Marriage Week, 7 to 14 February 2025, we invite you to discover Teams of Our Lady, a movement that supports Christian married couples in deepening their faith and strengthening their relationship. Through shared prayer, friendship, and encouragement, Teams offers a path to grow together in love and faith. To learn more, contact Paola & Paolo (dublin.tol.ie@gmail.com) or visit teamsireland.com. Join us on this journey!

Parish Safeguarding update

All who volunteer in our parish are required to complete a disclosure form. Copies of this form are available in the parish office and sacristies in each church. (Readers, Ministers of the Eucharist, Choirs, the list goes on!)

Jubilee Year Celebrations

For more see...

www.dublindiocese.ie/jubilee2025 Useful information on the Jubilee year in Dublin.

Also.... www.catholicbishops.ie where many events will be featured as they arise.

Eucharistic Adoration

We are privileged to have Eucharistic Adoration in Rathcoole church each week. A led hour on Tuesday morning after Mass and silent adoration on Tuesday 3-5pm, Friday 3-7pm & Sunday 4-6pm.

It is hoped to build on this over the coming weeks with a presentation by the Diocesan Eucharistic Adoration Team on the first weekend of March. We will be encouraging people to respond in different ways. To volunteer to spend one hour before the Blessed Sacrament once a week thus increasing the time of adoration in our churches. We hope to bring this opportunity to Saggart & Newcastle and adding to what is already in place in Rathcoole.

Carpark fees

In Rathcoole from February a new system of paying outside of Mass times will come into place. The current machine will be removed and you will be able to pay online only. Many people are already using this service already.

Novena in honour of Our Lady Of Lourdes

The Oblate church in Inchicore concludes on 11th February the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes with, weather permitting, a torchlight Procession on Tuesday 11th at 7pm.