



# PARISH OF FINGLAS

## CHURCH of St. Canice and St. Margaret

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### HAVING A VISION...

Professional life mentors and motivational speakers could give us a few pointers when it comes to staying motivated. The first and single most important factor in staying motivated is to have a vision. Having a vision gives us a reason to act.

People on a diet have a vision of themselves three stone lighter. Students struggling to sit at a desk and revise on a hot sunny afternoon motivate themselves with a vision of that much sought after career. A Christ's disciples we might motivate ourselves with a vision of a world without poverty or war....or simply to improve the life of one other person. The second most important piece of advice is to imbue that vision with a passion. It's no good having a lack lustre vision, we need a vision that will make us feel passionate about our goal...something that we can conjure up in our mind's eye and make us leap into action.



### NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS—PILGRIMAGE to KNOCK

The Grandparents Association grew out of the National Grandparents Pilgrimage to Knock, where thousands of grandparents gathered in recent years, united by the same goal to do the very best they can do for their children and grandchildren. Grandparents have no agenda; they simply want the best for their grandchildren. They want them to be good, decent human beings, to know the difference between right and wrong, able to make good moral decisions and if they go astray along the way, to be able to find their way back to a loving, forgiving and non-judgemental God.

Pilgrimage will take place on **Sun Sept 11th.**

**Chief Celebrant Archbishop Michael Neary**

Ceremonies commence at 2.30pm with anointing of the sick followed by Mass at 3pm. Children are invited to write a prayer for their Grandparents. Prayers may be sent to Pilgrimage Office, Knock, Co. Mayo and will be Blessed on the day.

A Bus will leave St. Canices Church grounds at 7.45am, picking up pilgrims at the White House (pub car park)

North Road at 8am. Cost €52.... includes bus, refreshments on the journey down and a 4 course dinner in Athlone on the way back. If interested call Mary on 01-8041941 or Mick on 0876768675 .

*Everybody is welcome to this great day of Faith honouring and thanking St. Joachim and St. Anne, parents of Mary, Grandparents of Jesus and all our Grandparents living and deceased, for all they have done for us.*

### RECENTLY DECEASED

Ben Farrell Krzysztf Malewicz  
Fionnuala O Connor-Bennett



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Funeral Directors Finglas Tel 8345655

### HOLY LAND

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land in October 2016. If interested Contact Maura 0876550633

### Parish Shop

The Parish Shop is open daily after Mass until 11.45am. There are many items for sale, i.e., medals, books, Mass cards, etc...please call in for a browse.....

### RECENTLY MARRIED



Congratulations to Francis Molloy  
Ciara O Shaughnessy



**FAMILY OFFERING** - Sunday, August 14th €1436.00 . Thank you for your continued support!

### CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK St. Canices Church

#### August

#### READINGS OF THE DAY

MONDAY 22nd 10m Is 9:1-6. Ps 112:1-8. Lk 1:26-38

TUESDAY 23rd 10am 2 th2:1-3. Ps 95:10-23. Ps 95:10-13. Mt 23:23-26

WEDNESDAY 24th 10am Apoc 21:9-124.Ps 144:10-13. Jn 1:45-51

THURSDAY 25th 10am1 Cor 1:1-9. Ps 144:2-7. Mt 24:42-51

FRIDAY 26th 10am 1 Cor 1:17-25. Ps 32:1-2. Mt 25:1-13

SATURDAY 27th 10am 1 Cor 1:26-31. Ps 32:12-13. Mt 25:14-30

### In Our Thoughts and Prayers

John & Margaret O Connor –Anniversary

Pat Mc Partlan, May Dillon

Patricia Halford

Philip Finnegan & Tom O Connor—Anniv

Kevin Boshell—Get Well

John & Kathleen Dawson—Anniversaries

Philomena Carey—Anniversary

### Family Carers Ireland, Carer of the Year Awards

Throughout Ireland, Family Carers dedicate themselves to providing remarkable levels of care in the home to their loved ones. Once a year we can give them the acknowledgement they deserve through the Carers of the Year Awards. We need your help to identify these carers. If you know a Carer, whether a relative, neighbour or a friend, who you think should be recognised and rewarded for the extraordinary levels of care they provide to a loved one, then please nominate them. There are two Categories of Awards: Carer of the Year and Young Carer of the Year and this year we are acknowledging the increasing numbers of young carers and for the first time there will be 4 regional Young Carer of the Year awards. Thank you for your support. Ways to nominate are:

on-line by completing the nomination form at

[www.familycarers.ie](http://www.familycarers.ie) or Email [jmillman@familycarers.ie](mailto:jmillman@familycarers.ie)

Telephone: 053 9140511 to request a nomination form.

### Viatores Christi

Always wanted to volunteer overseas? Looking for a course about global social injustice? Learn more at the Viatores Christi (VC) - Information & Recruitment Session in Dublin on Saturday 27th August at 11am at VC HQ, 8 New Cabra Rd., Phibsboro, Dublin.

01 8689986 [apply@viatoreschristi.com](mailto:apply@viatoreschristi.com) [www.viatoreschristi.com](http://www.viatoreschristi.com)

ALL WELCOME!



### St Canices Movie Club

August screening will be on Friday 26th at 7.30 pm in 2 Grove Rd. All are welcome to come along to view this months choice, have a cuppa and a chat.



### Finglas Library Photo Group

Finglas Library Photo Group present their latest exhibition of Panorama Photos taken by members of the Photo Group. The exhibition is on display during normal library hours. If you are interested in joining the group contact 018344906



### ACCORD DUBLIN

Catholic Marriage Care Service

Are you going through a difficult time in your relationship?

ACCORD can help.

They offer experienced counsellors to listen to you in complete confidence.

Ph 01-8680028—[www.ACCORD.IE](http://www.ACCORD.IE)

### LOUGH DERG

St. Canices one day pilgrimage to Lough Derg takes place on Saturday September 3rd Early booking is essential. ☎0876550633

### PARISH NEWSLETTER

All Items for inclusion in the Parish Newsletter should be in the Parish Office by Thursday morning of each week.

Tel: 8343110



### Free 1-to-1 Computer Classes in Finglas

Get started with free computer classes. Every learner works 1-to-1 with their own tutor. The classes are small and relaxed. They are open to over 55s who are Absolute Beginners (including the absolutely terrified) and also learners who know a little and wish to improve.

Ph: Robert on 087 9231126

### SOCIAL DANCING CLASSES

Learn to Waltz, Foxtrot, Quickstep, Jive..in a fun and friendly atmosphere.. Commencing on

Thursday September 1st from 8-9.30pm in Beneavin College Beneavin Road. No partner required . Cost €10. For more information

contact Dominic on 0868727318



### ST. VINCENT de PAUL

The Monthly Collection for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be taken up after all Masses at St. Canices Church next weekend.

In these difficult economic times the Society thank you for your continued support which enables them to reach out to the most vulnerable in our community.

Visit the website of the Archdiocese of Dublin at [www.dublindiocese.ie](http://www.dublindiocese.ie)



A thought!...Love, simplicity and humility—if you embrace these three qualities, you can't go wrong