

WEEKLY BULLETIN

St. Mary's, Star of the Sea, Sandymount



Sunday 11th July 2021

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PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER THIS WEEKEND

Your prayers are requested this weekend for the repose of the souls of
Oliver Gleeson and Jasper Coyle who died this week.

And also for the souls of the following whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Joseph & Ellen Donnelly; Brendan O'Reilly; Michael Shalloo; Emily Mahon;
Pat Ryan; Jim Cribbin;

And for Katherine Doyle whose month's mind occurs.

MAY THEIR SOULS AND THE SOULS OF ALL THE FAITHFUL
DEPARTED THROUGH THE MERCY OF GOD REST IN PEACE. AMEN.

CHURCH COLLECTIONS

The amounts collected
last week 4th July:

1st collection €795
(Common Fund).

2nd collection €1,270
(Peter's Pence).

Congratulations to Peter

On Tuesday last in Archbishop's House our fellow parishioner, Peter Dunn, was presented with the 'Pro Ecclesia et Pontifice' Papal award. It's a great honour in recognition of Peter's chairmanship of the 'Radharc Trust' over the past twenty five years. In that time the wonderful legacy of over 400 documentary films created by the Radharc Team between 1962 and 1995 have been successfully digitized. They record the life of those decades in a wonderful way, valued for Radharc's portrayal of the Church both in Ireland and across the world in which thousands of Irish men and women worked as missionaries at the time. They remain an extremely valuable resource of social history and the culture of faith for decades to come, thanks to the work of the Radharc Trust and the Radharc Team itself.

In receiving the honour, Peter expressed the view that it was received on behalf of the team of people in the Trust who had achieved so much. We recognise also his wonderful commitment to visiting parishes, including our own, to show the Radharc films to parish groups.

The Radharc Team was a group of Dublin priests who following the initiative of Archbishop McQuaid studied film making in America. They were led by Fr. Joe Dunn, who died in 1996. The formation of the Trust at that time saw our Peter, Fr. Joe's brother, assume the responsibility of its chairmanship. We congratulate you, Peter, and all of your Radharc Trust team, on a work well undertaken and an honour richly deserved. Well done!

Volunteers to sanitise the church

In order to maintain everyone's safety, the benches and common touch points are sanitised after every Mass in this church. We depend on generous volunteers to carry out this task.

If there are not enough people available to assist after your Mass, please be ready to step in and help particularly during the summer months when many of our "regulars" are on holidays.

Many thanks and have a happy & safe summer.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society will resume its monthly Gate collection this weekend.