

Notice Board

FAMILY QUESTIONNAIRE

Next Sunday being the third Sunday of January, The Bulletins will, with your help, be distributed to all the homes of the parish. A Questionnaire on family life will be included in the Bulletin. For that reason we ask that they be delivered as promptly as possible.

Sr. Mary Dineen will explain the questionnaire at all the Masses on next Sunday, January 17th. She is the Diocesan Director of Family Ministry. This is an important initiative from the Parish and we look forward to having your co-operation in this matter.

Ministers of the Word

THE MEETING of the Ministers of the Word will take place on Monday 11th January in the C.P. Centre at 8.0 PM. The Ministers are asked to read 1 Samuel 3: 3 - 10, 19, and pick out dialogue, narrative, repetitions and significant words.

PARISH SIOL RETREAT

The U.S. "AT HOME RETREAT" adapted for Ireland. It helps you find God in the ordinary everyday, gives you methods of prayer, and introduces you to the word of God. Groups of ten (male & female) meet Tuesday nights, Feb. to May, 8.- 10 PM. Contact Noirin Jones -541436 or Sr. Frances - 541376 (beford January 20th)

Blood Donor Clinic

The Blood Transfusion Service Board will hold a Blood Donor Clinic in Colaiste Spioraid Naoimh, Bishopstown, on Thurs.,

14th January from 3.00 - 5.00 and from 7:30 - 9:30 PM.

AN ENGAGED Couples Course will commence at the Cork School of Commerce on Wed., January 20th at 7:30 PM. Prior booking at the School is essential. See notice in Church Porch for further details.

MEDIA COMMENT

THE ASSAULT on our environment continues. We read of the proposed dumping of obsolete British nuclear submarines off our coast. We hear, too, of the evasion of the British Government after the Windscale/Sellafield fire of 1957. If we were lied to thirty years ago, is there any reason to be complacent about the 'information' we are being fed to-day?

PEACE IS 'IN' for 1988! This seems to be the message from the Pope, from world leaders and from our own leaders.

There was reference, too, to the example given by the Holy Family in the ways of peace.

Perhaps we would all benefit from an examination of our personal role in family?

In the domestic family and in the wider, parish, family, are we caring, loving, forgiving? Do we give our time and our talents?

Peace begins in our hearts. Let us share it with those about us.

PEACE BE WITH YOU ALL.



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CONGRATULATIONS!

An outstanding forty six parishioners entered for our Christmas competitions. We acknowledge that the cross-words were difficult and therefore all the more credit to those who entered. From the many correct solutions the following prize winners were drawn:

Adult Crossword

- 1st. Mrs. L Casey, Bendemeer Pk. (A Tennis Voucher)
- 2nd. Mr. D. Healy, Kenley Rd. (£10.)
- 3rd. Sr. Brendan, St. Catherines. (Set steak knives & forks)
- 4th. Sr. Ailbe, St. Catherines. (Fog Lamps)
- 5th. Mrs. M. Laide, Wilton Gds.
- 6th. Mrs. M. McEnri, Model Farm Rd. (Whistling key ring)
- 7th. Miss P. Glavin, Magazine Rd. (Photo Album).

Correct solutions also received from:

Miss S. Hyland, Orchard Road.
Mr. A. O'Shaughnessy, Woodlawn.
Sr. Redempta, St. Catherines.
Sr. Vincent, " "
Ms. M. Power, Laburnum Lawn.
Ms. M. Murphy, Wilton Road.
P. Power, Laburnum Lawn.
Mr. S. O'Brien, Wilton Rd.
The Poor Clares, College Rd.
Mr. B. Heffernan, Farranlea Pk.
Mrs. N. Lehane, Wilton Gardens.
Ms. S. McCarthy, Laburnum Drive.
B. Dunne, Laburnum Lawn.
Anon.

Alphabetical Biblical Competition

- 1st. Mr. E. Cashell, Laburnum Pk. (Tennis Voucher)
- 2nd. Poor Clares, College Rd. (£10.)
- 3rd. Miss C. Bradley, Bishopstown Ave. West. (File).

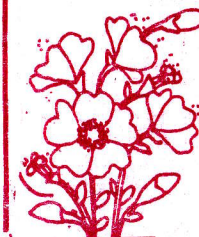
Under 15 Crossword

- 1st. Catherine Heffernan, Farranlea Park (£5.)

As this was the only correct solution the other prizes were transferred to the under 10 Crossword.

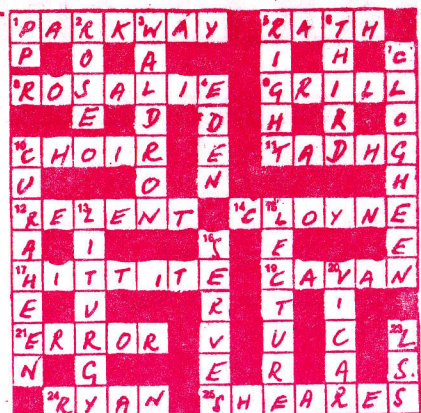
Under 10 Crossword

- 1st. Una Hogan, Bishops Court Rd. (£5.)
- 2nd. Fergus McCarthy, Laburnum Drive. (£3.)
- 3rd. Cliona Keoghane, Wilton Gardens (£3.)
- 4th. Ann Marie Heffernan, Farranlea Pk. (£2.)
- 5th. Brian Burke, Farranlea Grove. (£2.)



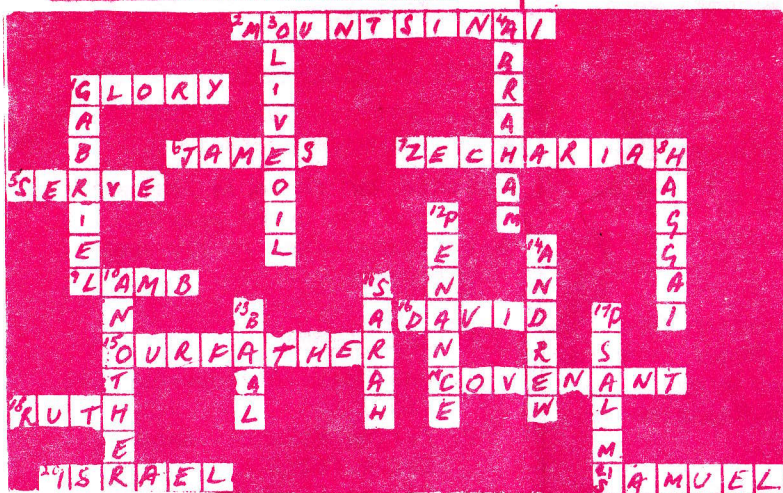
Thank you to the Fairy Godmother who donated so many prizes. Her generosity is greatly appreciated.

ADULT CROSSWORD



Alphabetical
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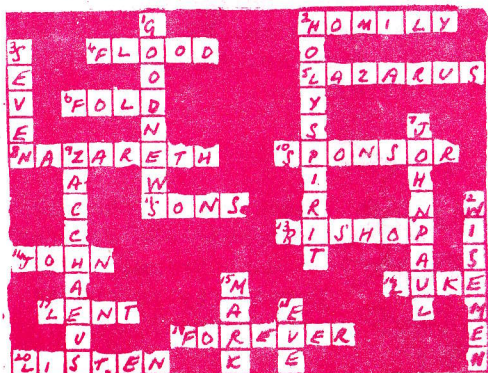
A: Abraham; B: Bethlehem;
C: Cana; D: David; E: Esau;
F: Frankincense; G: Gideon;
H: Herodias; I: Isaac;
J: Jacob; K: Kingdom of God;
L: Levi; M: Melchisedech;
N: Nicodemus; O: Onesimus;
P: Paul; Q: Queen of Sheba;
R: Ruth; S: Shechem; T: Titus;
U: Ur; V: Vashti; W: Widow;
X: X; Y: Yahweh; Z: Zachary.



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Rest In Peace

SISTER MARY BRIGID of the Poor Clare Monastery, died after fifty years in the Religious Life. A native of Cork's Lower Road, she had been in failing health for some time. Fr. Cyprian, O.F.M. Cap. paid tribute to her example and her life of prayer, calling her "an inspiration to all".

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CÓN O'MAHONY, Cloonagh, Cherry Grove, died after a short illness, before Christmas. The large and representative congregation at his funeral Mass, heard Archdeacon O'Sullivan commend his work with Cork Polio and for the Blind. Our sympathy goes to Joss, his wife, and to Ann and Maureen his daughters.

LIAM DEMPSEY, Oxfordville, Wilton Road, died unexpectedly at his residence. A quiet, intelligent man, he spent his latter years reading and studying. He was buried on the Tuesday before Christmas.

WILLIAM BEAMISH, late of Farranlea Park, died in Dublin. His funeral was on Dec. 23rd. from our Parish Church.

NORA O'DONOGHUE, St. Anthony's, Magazine Road, died after a short illness at the Regional Hospital. Her funeral was in her native Kilgarvan. Our sympathy goes to her daughter, Joan Costello, who lives in Wilton Gardens.

TOM REDMOND, Laburnum Drive, died on Christmas Day. A native of Wexford, he was to become a true Corkonian, playing football on the Cork County Team. The Barr's Flag draped his coffin. A large crowd, including many colleagues from the Cork Examiner, attended his funeral.

ELIZABETH (Betty) DINEEN, Rodger Casement Park, died unexpectedly at her residence. Mourned by her loving husband, sons and daughters and many friends. Her popularity was proven by the large attendance at the funeral Mass.

MOLL O'SULLIVAN, 1 Milestone House, Model Farm Road died at 12.20 A.M. on the 29th December at the age of 85. Just a half hour previously she had received the Sacrament of the Sick, after which she slipped away peacefully. Many neighbours and friends came to her funeral to express sympathy with her daughter, Patsy (Ahern).

TIMOTHY O'CONNELL, Wilton Gardens, died at home after a long illness. We extend our sympathies to his wife and family.

MONICA BUCKLEY, 9 Lima Lawn, died peacefully at home during the Christmas period. At the funeral Mass Fr. Newman prayed that the blessings of her long life will be crowned with the blessing of Heaven.

Mrs. O'Mahony, late of Watergrass-hill, died on 28th December. On behalf of everyone in Ballin-easpaig we extend sincere sympathy to Fr. Tadgh on the death of his mother.