St. Paul's Parish Ayrfield

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph - C

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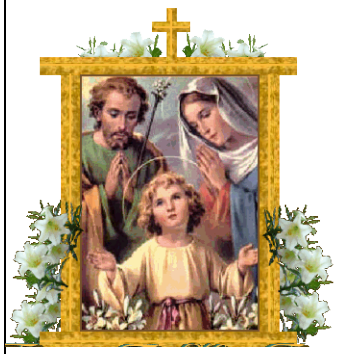

Today we have a chance to reflect on the mystery of our own families! It really is a bit of mystery, how we mostly come out okay from this most intense and formative of experiences. We receive so much that we really want to ponder and to treasure. We can also be burdened by attitudes and traits that we might well wish we were without. Yet, through it all, we are grateful. Family is our "first love" and never really loses its importance for us.

Prayer

Bless all our families. We thank you for the very gift of life itself we have through our parents and for all the other many gifts we receive from our families. We have received so much: help us to continue to give. Help us too to know what to overlook and forget, to pay attention to what can be healed and forgiven, and through it all to continue to love.

We wish all our parishioners a very Happy, Holy and Peaceful New Year.

Fr. Gerard, Fr. Gerry, Fr. Matthias, Freda, Mai & Peter.

Mass Times

Saturday	:	**6 pm Vigil**
Sundays	:	**10:30 am & 12:30pm**
Weekdays	:	**Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu & Fri 10:00 am**

From 3rd January 2022 : Service of Word will be held each Monday at 10am

St. Vincent De Paul Annual Collection

In the current economic climate once again the generosity of the people has proven extraordinary. The amount for the recent Church collection was **€3,854.00**

New Year Prayer:

Thank You Lord for giving me,
The brand new year ahead.
Help me the way I should,
As each new day I tread.
Give me gentle wisdom,
That I might help a friend,
Give me strength and Courage,
So a shoulder I might lend.
The year ahead is empty,
Help me fill it with good things
Each new filled with joy,
And happiness it brings.
Amen

Christmas Dues

Sincere thanks to all who have subscribed to our Christmas Dues. Envelopes can be placed in the boxes provided in the church or given to your outdoor collector.

We remember at Mass and in our prayers those who have gone before us

Sunday 26th	*10:30 am*
Frank & Evelyn Pettigrew	Anniversaries
Sunday 26th	*12:30 pm*
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Monday 27th	*10:00 am*
Betty Mannion	Funeral Mass
Tuesday 28th	*10:00 am*
Mary Galgey	Anniversary
Sr. Joan Tierney	Birthday Rem.
Fr. Tom Colreavy	Birthday Rem.
Friday 31st	*10:00 am*
Carl Kenworthy	Birthday Rem.
Saturday 1st January	*6 pm*
John & Violet Byrne R.I.P.	
Remembrance of Wedding Anniv.	

May they rest in peace

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