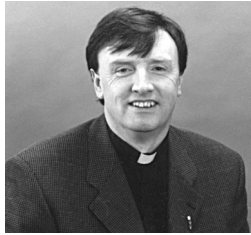


Top Priority

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Rector's Notes



Reverend Scott Peoples

Enjoy Ourselves

Summer gives great opportunity to break out of routine and where possible to use our downtime for recreation and renewal of friendships.

The absence of the school run means that other activities are organised to keep the younger members of families occupied through the (hopefully) long summer days.

Holiday periods also afford us time to simply stop and take notice of what is around us. Walking rather than driving allows us time to appreciate our surroundings and time to talk with neighbours.

Time also allows us to plan for future events and how we're likely to respond to things that lie ahead. One suggestion for this summer period is to leave something behind when we meet with strangers or friends. For the Christian that something is a prayer. Offer a silent prayer for the person you meet. There is a suggestion at the bottom of this page. It will be your silent gift to them as they make their journey from your meeting.

Better still practice this thought every day. In a gentle and powerful way you are invested in the well-being of someone else. Have a great summer everyone!

Father God bless this person, (name), with the fullness of your love and give them every good gift for their well-being and peace. Amen

Yours in His service,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Scott". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Sunday Service Times

	9.00am	10.00am	11.30am
1st Sunday of the month	Holy Communion St Andrew's	Service of the Word St Andrew's	Holy Communion St Mary's
2nd Sunday of the month	Holy Communion St Andrew's	Holy Communion St Andrew's	Service of the Word St Mary's
3rd Sunday of the month	Holy Communion St Andrew's	Service of the Word St Andrew's	Holy Communion St Mary's
4th Sunday of the month	Holy Communion St Andrew's	Holy Communion St Andrew's	Service of the Word St Mary's
5th Sunday	Holy Communion St Andrew's	Holy Communion St Andrew's	Holy Communion St Mary's

Saturday Evening Service - St Andrew's 6pm

The September 2019 issue of Top Priority will be out on Sunday 1st September 2019. Items for inclusion should be in the office by Friday 23rd August 2019



Leixlip Union of Parishes

Leixlip and Lucan Parishes in the Church of Ireland Diocese of Glendalough

Calendar

Monday 24th

10am Carers & Tots - last till

September

Tuesday 25th

10am Holy Communion St Mary's

Wednesday 26th

10am Holy Communion St Andrew's

JULY

Tuesday 2nd

10am Holy Communion St Mary's

Wednesday 3rd

10am Holy Communion St Andrew's

Thursday 4th

7.30pm Bowling

Tuesday 9th

10am Holy Communion St Mary's

Wednesday 10th

10am Holy Communion St Andrew's

Thursday 11th

8pm Healer Prayer group

Tuesday 16th

10am Holy Communion St Mary's

Wednesday 17th

10am Holy Communion St Andrew's

Thursday 18th

7.30pm Bowling

Tuesday 23rd

10am Holy Communion St Mary's

Wednesday 24th

10am Holy Communion St Andrew's

Tuesday 30th

10am Holy Communion St Mary's

Wednesday 31st

10am Holy Communion St Andrew's

AUGUST

Thursday 1st

7.30pm Bowling

Tuesday 6th

10am Holy Communion St Mary's

Wednesday 7th

10am Holy Communion St Andrew's

Thursday 8th

8pm Healer Prayer Group

Tuesday 13th

10am Holy Communion St Mary's

Wednesday 14th

10am Holy Communion St Andrew's

Thursday 15th

7.30pm Bowling

Tuesday 20th

10am Holy Communion St Mary's

Wednesday 21st

10am Holy Communion St Andrew's

Tuesday 27th

10am Holy Communion St Mary's

Wednesday 28th

10am Holy Communion St Andrew's

Thursday 29th

7.30pm Bowling

Heritage Week August 2019

St Mary's Church in Leixlip will be open for visitors again this August. If you haven't visited St Mary's in the past this is a perfect opportunity to see the beautiful; stained glass, and hear a little of the very interesting history.

Opening times

Saturday 17 August

10am - 1pm & 2pm - 5pm

Tuesday 20th August

10.30am - 1pm & 2pm - 5pm

Thursday 22nd August

10am - 1pm

Saturday 24th August

10am - 1pm & 2pm - 5pm

Admission is free and all are welcome

Alzheimer Cafe Leixlip 2nd Wednesday of every month, 7-9pm

'The Conservatory' Ryevale Nursing Home, leixlip

The Alzheimer Cafe is a safe and relaxed place where people with dementia, their partners, families and friends, and health and social care professionals come together for a unique blend of education and support.

The Cafe is a place where people can chat, share experiences and learn more about dementia.

Attendance is free and there is plenty of parking available.

www.alzheimercafeleixlip.ie

Phone 089 4933533

Bethany Bereavement Support Group

A Bereavement support meeting is held on the third Wednesday of each month from 8 - 9 pm in the Pastoral centre at St Patrick's Church, Esker, Lucan. 089 2507213. This is a free confidential service and all are welcome.