

This weekend we remember the following people for whom we have been asked to pray since our last newsletter...

RECENTLY DECEASED	ANNIVERSARIES
• Mary Shiels • Seamus Whiston • James Murphy	• Georgie Butterly [9th Anniversary] • Tom Mongan [11th Anniversary] • John Riley [11th Anniversary] • Fr Michael O'Connor [80th Birthday Remembrance] • Paddy Fay [3rd Anniversary] • Tommy Lanigan [6th Anniversary]

...may their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the Mercy of God, rest in peace.

Parish Lotto

every Tuesday at 11am
in the New Life Centre.

Results from 8th September 2026

09	23	24
[DRAW #1] JACKPOT = €3,000 NO WINNER		
21	22	23
[DRAW #2] JACKPOT = €1,212 NO WINNER		

Envelopes available in the New Life Centre and at the back of the Church.

ALL LOTTO ENVELOPES MUST BE IN THE NEW LIFE CENTRE BY 10.30AM ON TUESDAY MORNING.



Belcamp Community Gardening Course

OPEN TO ALL

Come along, learn new skills, meet new people and help grow your Community Garden!

STARTS TUESDAY 15th SEPTEMBER TO 1st DECEMBER

10:30am – 12:30pm

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Empowering Communities

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Our Lady Immaculate Church
darndale belcamp parish

Sunday, 13th September 2026

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Year A

Season of Creation 2026

This year's theme, 'Living Water', explores Ezekiel 47:9 and 12 as a powerful biblical vision of hope and ecological healing. Set amid exile and loss, the image of living water flowing from God's sanctuary reveals divine healing that renews land, water, biodiversity, and human responsibility towards the whole creation.

The symbol depicts water flowing from the Temple of God - at first a tiny stream that grows deeper, and deeper and as it does so, it brings life to dead areas and restores fertility to damaged or barren ecosystems. Through living water comes healing; but in order to receive new life, we too must step into the water and also become part of God's river of life, taking part in the healing of creation.



Living Water
Season of Creation 2026

CROSSCARE ANNUAL APPEAL 2026

Next Sunday, 20th September is the Crosscare Annual Appeal.

Crosscare is the social support agency of the Archdiocese of Dublin, providing practical support to people at some of the most difficult moments in their lives.

The theme of this year's Appeal is 'Hope and Resilience'. It reflects the remarkable courage shown

by the people Crosscare serves every day and hope made possible through the generosity of parish communities.

Crosscare provides accommodation and support to over 600 people experiencing homelessness, helps more than 14,000 people through its Homeless Prevention and Advocacy Service, and engages with 2,400 young people through youth services and community-based projects. Demands on their services have continued to grow throughout the year.

Please support them next Sunday or donate at www.crosscare.ie.



CHURCH COLLECTIONS

The church collections since our last newsletter amounted to:

FIRST COLLECTION: €73.10
and SECOND COLLECTION
€84.60

Both these collections are sent to the Diocese.

The FAMILY OFFERINGS [this year they are the WHITE ENVELOPES], which remain in the parish, came to: €258.50.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME 2026 – 2027 REMINDER

Parents of children making their First Communion in the Parish in May 2027 are reminded to return the Enrolment Form **IN PERSON** on Monday, 14th September between 11.00 am – 3.00 pm to Sr Lumay & Sr Mary in the New Life Centre.



CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME 2026 – 2027 REMINDER

Parents of children making their Confirmation in the Parish in May 2027 are reminded to return the Enrolment Form **IN PERSON** on Tuesday, 15th September between 11.00 am – 3.00 pm to Sr Lumay & Sr Mary in the New Life Centre.



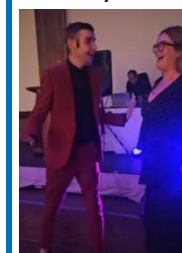
CONGRATULATIONS



Congratulations to the 6 groups from Darndale, Belcamp and Moatview who picked up prizes at the City Neighbourhood Competition for 2025 in the Hilton last week.

Among the winners were: Darndale Belcamp Village Centre, Buttercup Buzzbees, Belcamp Grove, DBM Tidy Towns and Belcamp Community Garden.

Many thanks to Dublin City Council North Central Area for organising the event. DBM Tidy Towns won an award for their Gas Canisters Initiative, which is particularly impressive from such a recently formed community group. **Didn't they all scrub up well** including the Lord Mayor!



PURPLE IS THE COLOUR OF RECOVERY, SEPTEMBER IS THE MONTH OF RECOVERY SUPPORT THE RECOVERY EVENTS RUNNING DURING SEPTEMBER. CALENDAR FROM THE DALES.

The New Life Centre have:

SUNFLOWER SEEDS
and **MARIGOLD SEEDS**

available for 50c per pack from the New Life Centre Garden.

LOOKING FORWARD TO NEXT SUMMER ALREADY!



Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its monthly Parent Support Evening on **Wednesday 23rd September at 7.30pm in the Hilton Hotel, Malahide Road, Northern Cross, Dublin 17.**

This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or how recent their death was. You do not need to register in advance. We also offer an online support group meeting. To find out more call 014045378 or email info@anamcara.ie For any more information, please visit www.anamcara.ie.



WELL DONE TO ALL WHO TOOK PART!