

Trinity News



**July
2017**

Worship at 10.30am in the Exchange— Coffee Bar afterwards	Sun 2 9 16 23 30
Church Picnic —1pm— Rose Festival in St Annes Park, Raheny, Dublin 5	Sun 16
Mustard Seed Team meet at 8pm in The Exchange	Mon 3 10 17 24 31
Prayer Event—8pm in The Exchange	Thurs 13
Worship Practice—8pm in The Exchange	Thurs 6 13 20 27
Prayer Training —8pm in The Exchange	Thurs 20
Miracle Cafe : 11.30am - 1.30pm in The Exchange	Sat 29
Church Picnic —1pm— Rose Festival in St Anne's Park, Raheny, Dublin 5	Sun 16

Shalom Peace of God



We are in a time where stress and anxiety are at an all-time high. Peace, peace they say where there is no peace, paying the bills, keeping a home, children moving back because they can't keep up with the rising costs of life, hospitals are filling up with stress related problems, even some of our children are finding it hard to attend school and are medicated at such a young age, governments are finding it hard to find the solutions to man's problems.

What would Jesus say, what would Jesus do, when everything inside you is screaming— where can I go to find PEACE!

SHALOM (harmony, wholeness, completeness, prosperity, health, soundness, tranquility, fullness, rest, safety);

It's the absence of agitation or discord, Shalom completes, perfects and makes you full. **Jesus, the prince of peace, the wonderful counsellor**, invites you to come to him with your life and your woes and let him give you the peace of his kingdom, he is the only one that can complete you and give you back a sound mind.

Jesus said to Jerusalem, *Jerusalem, how I longed to gather you like a hen would gather her chicks under her wings but you were not willing. Let us be willing to let God be God* as he is the only one that can give us peace and healing and teach us how to stay in peace in a world that thinks it is better off without him.

Picnic in the Park—Sunday 16 July : 1pm onwards

We are having our annual church picnic in St. Annes Park, Raheny during the Rose Festival, on Sunday 16th July after Church, around 1pm. We won't have a coffee bar that morning—instead we will take our tea and coffee to the Park!

This is a lovely day out in a beautiful Park during their Rose Festival weekend. There is lots to do, with entertainment for children, stalls, beautiful flowers etc. We will meet at the picnic tables in front of the Children's Playground where we will provide tea and coffee and you can bring your own picnic. Maps will be available on the morning at the Welcome Desk.



**No Children's
classes for the
month of July**

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Recently at the Exchange

We had a Street Feast

Following on from the success of the Street Feast that Bill and Sharon Gunter ran two years ago—the Miracle Café hosted another Street Feast on Sunday 11th June.

There were 1,280 Street Feasts happening all over the Country on that Sunday - and we were delighted to join in.

The purpose and vision of Street Feasts is to bring communities together, create an opportunity for neighbours, on one particular day, to come together for food—however simple that may be.

We were delighted to meet some of our neighbours at The Exchange and had lots of families join us for strawberries and cream, delicious scones and ice cream for the children. Thank you to everyone who got involved, thanks to Anne Kilroy and Team who did lovely face painting on the day too. It was a great success.



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Prayer Focus

Our prayer focus as a church this month is taken from 2 Samuel Chapter 20 v 19

We are the peaceful and faithful in Israel. You are trying to destroy a city that is a mother in Israel. Why do you want to swallow up the Lord's inheritance?

You are among the Peaceful and faithful.

Hear the word of your servant—"I am listening"

Guidance is given by God so that his peaceful and faithful servants can end disputes!

Philippians 4 v 6

Do not be anxious about anything—but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving present your requests to God

Let Us Pray On

Thursday 13 July : 8pm

This month's **Prayer Event** will give us an opportunity to exercise our 'spiritual say so'.

Come at 7.45pm for tea / coffee first.



Church Weekend Away at Ovoca Manor

Thank you to everyone who came and participated in our Weekend Away in Ovoca Manor—it was a very special weekend.

We had great food, fun, chats, entertainment on our Rag night and great teaching.

Fergus Ryan spoke to us about the person of the Holy Spirit and his purpose in our lives. The phrase we all came away with was—*It's Sunday—but Monday's coming*, which really captured why the Holy Spirit equips and empowers us—which is to go out into all the world and make disciples.

Thank you to Jen Duffy, and the Children's Team and Jonathan & Tamar Kerrigan and the Youth Leaders who made the weekend special for all the children and youth group. Looking forward to next year—already !!

