Church of Divine Mercy, Lucan South - Parish Notices - Sunday 12th January 2025 - Baptism of the Lord

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Registered Charity Number (CRA Number): 20016166 Revenue Charity Tax Number: CHY 7424

Mass Schedule

Mon 13th - Fri 17th 9.15am

Sat 18th 10.00am, 6.00pm

Sun 19th 10.30am, 12 Noon

St. Vincent de Paul Contact Information

If you require assistance from the St. Vincent De Paul Society: Dublin Office: 01-8550022, www.svp.ie

Lucan Faith Fellowship

Lucan Faith Fellowship 18th January 2025, Saturday 1 to 3PM

From St. Faustina's Diary

Par. 1175 - Fruit of the Meditation "Whatever Jesus did, He did well. He went along, doing good. His manner was full of goodness and mercy. His steps were guided by compassion. Toward His enemies He showed goodness, kindness and understanding, and to those in need help and consolation.

I have resolved to mirror faithfully these traits of Jesus in myself during this month, even if this costs me much."

Christmas Dues

Christmas Dues envelopes are available if you wish to make a contribution to the Christmas Dues. We thank you for your generosity to all our parish collections.

Jesus Youth Lucan Teens Group, 3rd Friday Night Friday 17th January, 7.00 - 9.15pm Venue: Bush Centre

This month's topic is 'God and the Big Bang'. Games, music and more. Refreshments provided. Age 13-18 years. Contact Levin: 087-3864397, or just come along on the night. No need to book in advance!

Bingo

Bingo in the St. John Paul II Room resumes this week Wednesday January 8th at 7.30pm.

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Divine Mercy Food Bank

Divine Mercy Food Bank reopens on Monday 6th January, 11.00am - 12 Noon. **Donations of non-perishable food items** can be left in the green containers inside the doors of the church. We thank the Food Bank volunteers for the tremendous work they carried out throughout 2024.

From the Jubilee Letter of Pope Francis 'Hope Does not Disappoint'

Hope is born of love and based on the love springing from the pierced heart of Jesus upon the cross. And by his perennial presence in the life of the pilgrim Church, the Holy Spirit illumines all believers with the light of hope. He keeps that light burning, like an ever-burning lamp, to sustain and invigorate our lives. Christian hope does not deceive or disappoint because it is grounded in the certainty that nothing and no one may ever separate us from God's love: "Who will separate us from the love of Christ...(Rom 8:35.37-39). Here we see the reason why this hope perseveres in the midst of trials: founded on faith and nurtured by charity, it enables us to press forward in life. As Saint Augustine observes: "Whatever our state of life, we cannot live without these three dispositions of the soul, namely, to believe, to hope and to love".