

# Whitechurch News

Autumn 2022





*United Dioceses of Dublin and Glendalough*



***SERVICE OF INSTITUTION***

*by the Archbishop of Dublin  
The Most Reverend Dr. Michael G. St. A. Jackson*

*of The Reverend David Bowles*

*as Incumbent of Whitechurch*

*on 26<sup>th</sup> August 2022*

*at 7.30pm*

# Rector's Letter



**Dear Parishioners,**

This is just a short note following on from my recent institution. There were many people to thank, some I am only now finding out their names, some that, in the heat of the moment I omitted on the evening.

I will begin by thanking you all for the lovely welcome we received and continue to receive since we arrived and particularly on the night of the institution. It was lovely to see a full church!

So, in no particular order, I would like to thank:

**Janet Gillis**, who printed all the service sheets from the office here.

**Irene Cole** and her team, Ruth Connolly, Jackie Jolley, Sylvia Simpson and Patricia Conn who decorated the church so beautifully with lovely flower arrangements.

**Sarah Richards** from Whitechurch Primary School, who opened up the car park in the school for us.

**Alan Keegan and Richard Jolley**, for overseeing the car parking at the Church.

**Hazel Crawford and Gillian Butler**, for cleaning the church.

**Arthur Milligan, Har Allison, Richard Jolley, Brian Heggie and Alan Keegan**, for cleaning up the old school car park.

**Jeremy Russell, Jackie Jolley, Ruth Connolly, Linda O'Callaghan and Rhodanne Heaney**, for providing a fabulous supper for all who came from far and wide!

**John Dexter and the Choir**, for the beautiful music enriching our worship and also our guest organist from Moviddy Union in Cork, **Colin Nicholls** who played the first hymn. You were all inspirational.

Thanks to **Malcolm Hunt** for making sure that the sound system was working to perfection on the night and for organising the streaming so that those who could not make it to the church could still be part of the evening.

To **Reg. Richards**, who did so many things that go unnoticed 'behind the scenes'.

To the **Church Wardens, Stephen Anderson and Gillian Ryan** for all they did behind the scenes too.

To those who travelled from Moviddy Union in Cork, especially, **John Dennis** who spoke so kindly.

To **Adrienne Galligan**, Rural Dean, whose advice, support and guidance helped the evening run so smoothly. Also, she lent us extra communion silver, jugs and small glasses for use on the night.

To The **Rev'd Terry Lilburn** who helped in many different ways, along with his being Priest-in-Charge over the last few months and his ministry during the vacancy, he also helped co-ordinate the clergy robing in the Stables . I also thank the **The Rev'd Kevin Conroy** for his ministry during the vacancy.

To **Dave Hunt**, who has co-ordinated our seamless move into the rectory, answering all our calls and also **Geoffrey Conn** who liaised with the RCB in the financial and legal matters.

Finally, to **Ruth Gaskin** who kept everything running in the parish during the vacancy, I think that only Ruth herself has any idea how much work she has done since Canon Horace retired last year.

I know that I have inevitably left people out and I apologise and thank them too!

I look forward to getting to know you all soon.

### **In addition.....**

It has been a joy to be welcomed so warmly to Whitechurch, as your new Rector. A lot of changes are taking place and I am just getting to know everybody, remembering names slowly but surely. I am not going to fill up space thanking everyone who has made our transition as seamless as possible, you know who you are! We had a lovely evening at the institution, it was great to see the church full and looking so beautiful. So many people travelled from far and wide, from Cork and other dioceses and of course Dublin and Glendalough, alongside parishioners from Whitechurch. Again, thanks to all who helped make the day so special.

I have many ideas and plans which I hope, in good time, to implement. For now, I am finding my feet and getting a feel for life in the parish. Also, it is a time for renewal in the parish too, as things gradually re-open following what has been a strange and difficult time during the COVID-19 pandemic.



God Bless,  
**Rev'd David.**









Institution photos courtesy of Reg. Richards, Sexton.

## **A Welcome for Rev David Bowles.**

Archbishop Michael, Archdeacon David, Registrar Robert, assembled clergy, ladies and gentlemen.

*I would like to say a few words of welcome to Rev David Bowles on behalf of Whitechurch parishioners:*

This is an important and joyous moment in the life of our parish as we welcome our new rector – “Welcome David”.

David, we look forward to you being in our midst and leading us in the weeks, months and years ahead. We also welcome your family, your wife Michelle and your children Harry and Hannah. We hope you are settling into your new home and that the move from Cork went smoothly. We are looking forward to getting to know you and to building new friendships and relationships in the years to come.

We also welcome David and Michelle’s wider family, the parishioners from Moviddy Union of Parishes and other friends and family, who are here tonight for this very happy occasion.

We hope you will all join us after this service for refreshments served in the Old School House.

**Steven Anderson**  
(Churchwarden.)

*(Harvest Photo courtesy of Jean Hartin, Offshoot Photography Society).*

## Harvest Thanksgiving

Our **Children's Harvest** will take place at **10.30am on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> October**. We would very much welcome contributions of tins and/or packets of non-perishable foodstuffs to be brought to church, for local agency distribution. **The preacher** at the Children's Harvest on Sunday 2nd October will be ***Ms Emma Fawcett, Diocesan Youth Co-ordinator.***

Our **Harvest Thanksgiving** will take place on **Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> October at 4pm**. Our **guest preacher is the Rev'd Paul Arbuthnot**, new Vicar of St Ann's, Dawson Street & St Stephen's Church. There will be ***no 10.30am service on this Sunday.***

On **Saturday, 22<sup>nd</sup> October**, our church will kindly be decorated for Harvest Thanksgiving.





## **Whitechurch National School**

(School website: [www.whitechurchns.biz](http://www.whitechurchns.biz))

At the beginning of September, we opened for a new school year. As always it was really lovely to see so many happy faces glad to be back to school! We were delighted to welcome Rev. David Bowles to Whitechurch NS. David joined the staff for lunch on the day before school started back and has since visited all of the classrooms to get to know the pupils. David very bravely gave all pupils the chance to ask him questions about himself and so far the pupils are delighted to know that he has two cats, likes the colour purple and even went to the same secondary school as Ms. Richards! We thank David for spending such a great amount of time at the school in what is no doubt an extremely busy time and we are delighted that David will take on the role of BOM Chairperson at the school.

Our new Junior Infant class are all well settled into school life and their new routines already! Their teacher, Ms. Andrea Deacon, brought them for a full tour of the school and it was lovely to see such wonder and excitement on little faces as they saw the school garden and the PE hall for the first time!! 6<sup>th</sup> Class are playing their part and are once again taking on the role of Prefects and Games Squad, helping with the infants at break times. It is always lovely to see the care and kindness they show with the younger pupils.

As well as new pupils, we also welcomed some new parents to the school this year and the PTA were on hand to help organise our new Junior Infants parents coffee morning. Buddy parents (those who are in the school a number of years) are also continuing to help settle in our new parents and it is a system which has now been working well for a number of years. The

PTA will be holding their AGM at the beginning of October where guest speaker, John Lonergan, will talk about the importance of parents keeping the lines of communication open with children. John is the former Governor of Mountjoy Prison and is an author and television presenter. His sensible and caring approach to parenting is always entertaining as well as informative so we look forward to this upcoming event. The PTA's big project started last year- an Outdoor Classroom, is now in use with the arrival of our furniture. There is still some work to be done with planting and landscaping near the new pond area but it is great to see all the hard work having paid off and this wonderful facility in use! We hope to hold an official opening once all elements are complete and we will be inviting all parishioners to this.

The start of year student elections are taking place currently with pupils making speeches and voting for our three pupil voice committees- The Student Council, Active Committee and the Green Schools Committee. Last year, our pupils were involved in designing and making a beautiful bottle top mural made from thousands of plastic bottle tops collected over the year. The mural depicts the journey of water from mountains to the sea, showing the features of our locality including our nearby Dublin Mountains, the church, the school and beyond out to the sea. It takes pride of place in our playground and really brightens up even the dullest of days with the beautiful colours and designs made by our pupils. The endeavour was one of several initiatives that took place as part of the school's Green Flag Programme. We were delighted to be awarded our 8<sup>th</sup> Green Flag for Marine Biodiversity last term. It is a wonderful achievement and testament to the ethos of environmental care that exists in our school and amongst the staff and pupils.

Whole School Assemblies are now back in full swing each Friday in the Canon McKinley Hall. We join together to sing hymns, listen to a bible story or lesson, award Student of the

Week certificates and the Class of the Month trophy and celebrate birthdays. Weekly assemblies are a really special time where we come together and we certainly treasure that time all the more after over two years of not being able to be together due to Covid.-19. Sixth Class will lead the first class assembly this week and then all other classes will take turns throughout the year as well as talks from Rev. Bowles and Ms. Richards. We are looking forward to sharing some of the class assemblies with parishioners as part of Sunday services over the year!

If you are interested in applying for a place at Whitechurch National School, please see our school website for information (Parent section, Enrolment) or contact the school office at [office@whitechurchns.biz](mailto:office@whitechurchns.biz). The closing date for applications for the next school year is 7<sup>th</sup> November 2022.

**Sarah Richards,  
Principal**







## **Bible Reading Notes**

At present there are between 25 and 30 of us in Whitechurch using Bible Reading Notes/Aids to help us in a regular system of Bible reading. If anyone else would like to get some of these Notes.... Do please contact me by email, phone or text and I can advise you, they would be delivered to you regularly.

We have now restarted 'Coffee after Church' and it is a great way to share fellowship and meet new people. We have a Rota for organising this, if you would like to assist in the Rota please let me know, either at coffee after Church or text or ring me...

**Rhodanne Heaney** 086 8371040 or  
email [rhodanneheaney@gmail.com](mailto:rhodanneheaney@gmail.com).

## Mission Link

Progress with the construction of the health centre in Nyamagana in Rwanda has been good and the building itself is substantially complete despite delays due to Covid, inflation etc

At this stage remaining works include security fencing, outside toilets, water stands and the sewage system. These are to cost approximately 11 thousand euros and we will need to continue fundraising to achieve this amount.

We are planning to visit Shyogwe next year somewhere between 26th June and 9th July for a 5 day period (7 days in total including travel) and five members of our Rwanda committee are already confirmed to travel. Our fund is of course solely for expenditure on projects which means when we travel we pay all of our own expenses. We estimate that the trip could cost between €1500 to €2000 per person. We would love to get some fresh blood, so if you would like to be included and want to learn more, please speak, without any commitment, to any of us on the committee.

Arthur. 0860801718  
Dave 0872403377

Har. 0868772142  
Mal. 0862397542.





I hope that everyone had a lovely summer and that the busy time that is September is not too taxing for families. We send our prayers and best wishes to all those who are starting school and/or college for the first time and of course to the families supporting them.

Sunday Club will be starting up again shortly and takes place during the 10.30am service.

We will have registration forms that need to be completed by parents/guardians in respect of each child so please ensure this is done as early as possible in the term.

There will be a Youth Harvest service on Sunday 2nd October and we do hope to see all the children back in church on that day. Our first Sunday Club meeting of the term will be during the service on Sunday 9th October.

**Dates for your Diaries:**

Sunday 2 October – Youth Harvest

Sunday 9 October – Sunday Club

Sunday 16 October – Sunday Club

Sunday 6 November – Sunday Club

Sunday 27 November – Sunday Club

We look forward to seeing everyone soon!

**Janine Jamieson**

**Transformation of Whitechurch Grounds for Pollinators**  
with advice from  
**Eco-congregation Ireland, National Biodiversity Data Centre  
and The Royal Horticultural Society.**

In 2007 Whitechurch Parish started its Eco-congregation journey by registering and introducing a few of the recommended modules.

Through 2008 to 2010 the Parish got involved in a number of local environmental projects together with other churches in the area - these included art competitions (national schools), essay completions (secondary schools) and presenting films and church services. We entered Beautiful South Dublin County Council Biodiversity Competition and received a number of awards including Best Biodiversity Initiative Category. We continued working on the suggested Eco-Congregation modules and received a bronze award in 2010

From then on our Sexton, Reg. Richards, has been researching, reaching out to different information centres, advising other parishes and working tirelessly on rewilding our church grounds. Grass cutting has been reduced leading to the appearance of wild primroses, cowslips and Lady's smock. A section of church ground was prepared by Reg. and planted with Irish wildflower seeds in July 2020 and in March 2021 this area was extended significantly. These actions have substantially increased the biodiversity of our grounds as well as giving us lovely wildflowers to enjoy.

In 2021 the parish was presented with a second Eco Congregation award, this time a Gold Award.

As parishioners we are very proud of our beautiful church grounds and we are very grateful to Reg. for his tireless work in creating this wonderful wildlife habitat and for his continuous care of our parish church and its surroundings.

**Pamela Sheil**



## **Mother's Union**

It is so uplifting to be planning a Mothers' Union Programme for the coming year and to be able to meet together once again! We give thanks to God for this blessing which we had come to take for granted like so many other things!

So let us come out in our numbers and support our speakers who are kind enough to give us their time!

The following is our programme of meetings up to Christmas and our full programme for the year will be printed in the coming weeks !

**Tuesday 11th October....OPENING HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE** in the church at 8 pm.  
Taken for the first time by our new Rector Rev. David Bowles.....followed by refreshments.

**Tuesday 8th November....GARDEN BIRDS**  
Speaker .... Niall Hatch, Head of Communications & Development, Bird Watch Ireland.

**Tuesday 13th December...Packing of Christmas Hampers**  
....followed by seasonal refreshments!

Two of our Committee members represented Whitechurch at the Annual MU Festival Service on Thursday 15th September in St. Saviours Church Arklow!

**Gillian Butler**



## **Whitechurch 68th Cub Scouts**

Our cubs were set a five hike challenge earlier in the year and six of them completed it last Sunday. The rest of the pack will get a chance to complete it in 2023, but this time round, we took just the cubs moving to scouts. We also had one scout accompany us for support.

It took them four hours to climb 2,790ft Slieve Donard in The Mourne Mountains and 2.5 hours to come back down. The weather was fantastic and they got the opportunity to look down at the clouds for a change. Well done chaps.

Cubs and Scouts are starting back next Wednesday 21st September from 6.00pm to 7.30pm.

**Glen Vince**





*Taking a Rest.*

*Up in the Clouds*





## **Whitechurch Brownies**

Whitechurch Brownies meet every Thursday evening from 6.15 – 7.30. We start back on 15th September after the long summer break. This year we are delighted to welcome Lily as a young leader and Mairead as a new leader to the unit.

We had a jam packed agenda last year which finished off with lots of badges, an overnight in Portmarnock with Whitechurch Guides and a day of activities in Larch Hill.

This year will be more of the same with visits planned from The DSPCA, The Fire Brigade, First Responders, days out, hikes and plenty of fun.

If you would like your daughter to be out on the wait list please email me at - [Whitechurchbrownies@gmail.com](mailto:Whitechurchbrownies@gmail.com)

**Hazel Furlong**

Photos Overleaf.....







## **Whitechurch Girl Guides**

Six of our Guides and three Senior Branch joined with Tivoli Guides again and enjoyed a very calm ferry crossing to the Isle of Man in August. On arrival at the Venture Centre in Lewaigue we were straight into activities - first the assault course; clambering through tunnels and swinging over streams all over the place. After a BBQ we walked down to the beach for a sunset paddle / games in the water.

The following few days were filled with abseiling, rock-climbing, crate-stacking, tree-climbing, canoeing, kayaking, archery, air-rifles, high ropes, raft-building, cross-bows, axe-throwing, back-woods and camp-craft and finally gorge-walking. We also squeezed in a day out by bus and tram to Laxey, up Snaeffel Mountain to view all five kingdoms in perfectly clear sunny weather, and then on to Douglas for some shopping

We are looking forward to our new term, welcoming our new girls up from Brownies, and our weekend in the Guide cottage at Halloween.

**Doreen, Rosemary & Ruth**







## **Healer Prayer Union.**

Our Healer Prayer Union holds a short prayer service on the 2nd Sunday of each month after the morning service (excl. June, July and August) and all parishioners are welcome to attend. This group provides an opportunity to take part in intercession for those who have requested our prayers.

There are eight intercessors who each receive a list of those for whom we have been requested to pray. The lists, which are updated regularly and at least once a month, are for their use in daily prayer for those who are sick or for those in any special need.

Should you wish to submit a name and a brief note of the illness or need of a person, you may contact me at any time.

I would also appreciate knowing, from time to time, of those who may have recovered from illness or whose condition may have changed or of anyone who may no longer need prayer intercession.

**Hazel Crawford.**  
**0872448228**  
**or 01 4946918**

## **Whitechurch Badminton Club**

We are a small group of ladies who enjoy social badminton every Wednesday evening from 8.00pm to 10.00pm in the Old Schools. We play from September to May and enjoy the chat just as much as the exercise. We do not play league matches and we are of mixed ability, therefore any standard of player would be very welcome.

If anyone, male or female and over 18 would like to join us, please contact me on 086 3647746.

**Sylvia Simpson**

## **Whitechurch Bowls Club**

Bowls restarted on Monday 12th September with many members in attendance. At last, we are able to have supper which gives us a chance to catch up and have a chat.

We were delighted to get notification from the Bowling Association that it is intended to have League matches again this season after a break of over two years and it will be great to get back to playing matches against other clubs in the league and meeting up with old friends.

We invited our new rector, Rev David Bowles, to be President of the Bowls Club and he accepted! We look forward to seeing him at bowls from time to time and welcome him, along with his wife Michelle, son Harry and daughter Hannah, and hope they will be very happy in Whitechurch.

**Jackie Jolley**

## Whitechurch Montessori School

We are all delighted to be back in our “New School” The Stables.

We began our term with a coffee morning for all our new parents and children. It was great David was able to pop in and welcome them all too. It is a new beginning for us all. All the children are settling in well and making new friends. It is great having our outside space for playing and for picnics whilst the weather is still good. The wild flowers that we planted before the summer are looking beautiful.



### Gedinka Fair

*Playing in the garden during the good weather.*



*Planting wildflowers with Reg.*



*The resulting wildflower garden!*



*Montessori children in their new home at 'The Stables'.*

***Many thanks to all our contributors. This magazine would not be possible without you!***

***Sylvia Hick***

## **Andrew Flynn**

### **One man and his dog.**

In spite of being a man who kept much to himself, I recall Andrew having a passing interest in sport, especially rugby. Indeed his dog 'Lass' possessed the stocky build of a fine forward. This pair never separated in the areas of Church or it's environs, until the sad demise of Lass who headed for her final happy hunting ground.

A subsequent conversation clearly reflecting his recent loss suggested it would be a long time before he could consider a replacement.

One week later I called to Andrew seeking his help in finding a home for a 'Kiltarnan Parish' dog. Knowing his preference for smaller breeds, I may have forgotten to tell him it was an Alsatian/Retriever mix. Hey, all 8 week old pups are small, cute and fluffy.

'Sal' (Lass spelt backwards) became part of the establishment and Whitechurch parish security detail. Andrew, being her 'Master and Friend' (Hymn 593) became inseparable, and a lasting memory of the pair is how they could regularly be seen sitting on the Old Schools wall counting cars in head-turning unison.

The partnership ended when Andrew himself moved on to a 'better place'. What about Sal? .

Sal moved to another job -- The canine Swat team at the Stewart's House St. Columba's College joining Bob, Yoyo and Wah (Pullmans ! ). She settled in easily.

She reflected her life with Andrew, quiet, calm, with a private personality, gentle and always ready to 'go with the flow'.

**Gerry Pullman.**



*Damien Roe Replacing Andrew's Headstone.*



*'At Rest'.*

## Sunday Services

8.00 am.

10.30 am .

7pm

*Wheelchair access at all times*

**Mid-Week Service** (+Prayer for the sick) - 10.30 a.m. Wednesday.

**Wedding Fee** €300

**Burial Fees:**

Opening of New Grave	€1,050
Re-opening of existing Grave	€520
Erection of Headstone	€350
Erection of Flatstone	€350
Erection of Surrounds	€350
Cremation Plots 2ft.x 2ft.	€600
Re-opening of Cremation Plot	€300

Only members of the parish are eligible for graves (apart from those who already own existing grave plots).

Advance booking of burial plots not permitted.

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David Hunt, Malcolm Hunt.

**Churchwardens 2021-22:** **Stephen Anderson-** Rector's Warden.  
**Gillian Ryan** - Peoples' Warden.

**Select Vestry 2022 – 2023:** Har Allison, Debbie Curry, Geoffrey Conn (Hon Treasurer), Ruth Gaskin (Hon. Secretary), Ruth Hughes, David Hunt, Arthur Milligan, Gerry Pullman, Keith Quinn, Susan Ronan, Jeremy Russell, Hugh St. Leger.

**Parochial Nominators 2020-2023:** Hugh St. Leger, Rhodanne Heaney, David Hunt, Ruth Gaskin.

**Supplemental Nominators: 2020-2023:** Malcolm Hunt, Janine Jamieson, Ruth Hughes, Sylvia Hick.

**Diocesan Synodspersons:2020 -2023:** Harold Hislop, Ivan Sutton, Bruce Burgess.

**Supplemental Synodspersons: 2020-2023:** Jane Kelly, Ruth Hughes, Lenore Rothwell O’Kane.

**Authorised to administer the Chalice:** Audrey Champ, Lenore Rothwell O’Kane, Harold Hislop, Colin Graham, Mena Ogodo.

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**Whitechurch National School:** Sarah Richards [Principal] Tel: 4942177

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**Board of Management:** The Rev Canon Adrienne Galligan (Acting Chairperson), Ms. Rowan Hillis (Honorary Secretary), Ms. Sarah Richards (Principal), Mr. Geoff Sparling (Honorary Treasurer), Ms. Terri Lalor (Teacher's Nominee), Mr. Gerry Pullman (Patron's Nominee), Mrs. Patricia Marchant Community Nominee, Mr. Hugh St. Leger (Community Nominee).

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**Safeguarding Trust Parish Panel:** Rector, Hugh St. Leger, Ruth Hughes, Don Lewis.

**Select Vestry’s Old Schools Administration Committee:**

Arthur Milligan [Chairperson] Tel 493 2509, Jeremy Russell, Kathleen Swanton, Nadya Dunne.

**Stables Management Committee:**

Jackie Jolley [Chairperson] Tel.494 3310, Cleo Burgess, Philip Champ, Tony Sutton.

**School Secretary:** Laoighse De Burca Tel: 494 2177 (office).

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Rector’s P.A. Janet Gillis [ Monday - Thursday 9.00am – 1.00pm]

**Parish Website:** <http://whitechurch.dublin.anglican.org>

**External Resources that use the Old Schools & Stables are:-**

**Whitechurch Day-Care**

[Age Care] Service [under the auspices of the Health Board].

**Supervisor:** Awaiting further instructions from HSE.

[Monday/Wednesday/Thursday]

**Montessori School.** Enquiries to G. Fair Tel. 087 418 7031.



**Children's Harvest**

**Sunday 2nd October at 10.30am.**

**Guest Preacher: Ms Emma Fawcett,  
Diocesan Youth Co-ordinator.**

**Harvest Thanksgiving**

**Sunday 23rd October at 4.00pm.**

**Guest Preacher: Rev'd Paul Arbuthnot,  
new Vicar of St. Ann's Church, Dawson St.**

**&**

**St Stephen's Church.**